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Laurie DeChant Obituary

Laurie Irene DeChant (nee: Gregory), 49, of Elyria, passed away Friday April 19, 2013 at EMH Regional Medical Center in Elyria. She was born July 18, 1963 in Elyria and was a 1982 graduate of Elyria High School. She was a member of Lake Avenue United Church of Christ and loved spending time with family and friends. She enjoyed country music, shopping and her volunteer work. Laurie had over 2500 hours of volunteer service at Elyria Wesleyan Village where she will be missed by the residents. Laurie is survived by a son, Stephen Douglas DeChant (TaKara); grandson, Sylas and granddaughters, Nevaeha and Nakyra Bragg; parents, Oren and Janet Gregory and a sister, Lisa Kasubinski (Douglas) all of Elyria; brother, Todd Gregory and Brother Bob Comanse both of Fort Lauderdale, Florida; niece, Paige Kasubinski and nephew, Ryan Kasubinski; friend of many years, Denise Cibroski and many aunts, uncles and cousins. She was preceded in death by her husband, Douglas G. DeChant in 1991; grandparents, Trubie and Irene Gregory and Maud Mitrik and a brother, Brian William Gregory. Friends will be received Tuesday, April 23, 2013 from 3:00 PM until the time of a 6:00 PM service at Dicken Funeral Home, 323 Middle Avenue, Elyria with Reverend Robert Gross officiating. Burial will be in Ridge Hill Memorial Park, Amherst Township. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to The Nord Center, 6140 South Broadway, Lorain, Ohio, 44055. For online condolences visit www.dickenfuneralhome.com.

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TU

Truman & Maggie Ueberroth posted:

SO SORRY TO HEAR OF LAURIE'S PASSING AWAY. WE HAVE LOVED THIS FAMILY FOR MANY YEARS AND HAVE LOTS OF FOND MEMORIES OF THEM WHEN TODD, LAURIE AND LISA WERE YOUNG. TRULY SYMPATHIZE AND SEND OUR UNDERSTANDING AND PRAYERS. GOD BLESS!

April 26 at 8:00 PM

MC

Martha Cregger posted:

Oren, Janet, Todd, Lisa and family We are so sorry to hear of the passing of Laurie. We are just finding out. Our thoughts and prayers for you all. Laurie was a wonderful person to all of us. Wish we could of been there for you all. God Bless you all. Alma, Thomas, Junior, Martha, Pamela, Steve, Diane, Leann and family and Stephen and family.

April 22 at 8:00 PM

DC

Dee Carman posted:

MY PRAYERS AND THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU. I FEEL YOUR PAIN. SINCERELY, DEE CARMAN

April 22 at 8:00 PM

LB

Larry & Karen Brehm posted:

Dear Janet & Oren, We were so sorry to hear about Laurie. Our caring thoughts & prayers are with you and your family. May your faith, and support of family and friends help you through this difficult time. Love, Larry & Karen

April 22 at 8:00 PM

RD

Rebecca Archer Dougherty posted:

Janet, Oren, Todd, Lisa and Stephen, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Lori. She will be missed by many. Peace be with you all during this time of deep sadness. RIP Laurie. My thoughts and prayers for healing are with all of you. Love, Becky

April 22 at 8:00 PM



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Earl And Blossom Walker posted:

Janet & Oren, We were so sorry to hear about Laurie's passing. You have our deepest sympathies. We will keep you all in our prayers that God will comfort you during this difficult time.
With Love, Earl & Blossom

April 22 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Laurie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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