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Diane R. Anderson, age 46, a lifelong resident of Lorain passed away Thursday, December 29, 2011 at her home after battling cancer.

She was born on January 4, 1965 in Lorain, Ohio and was a 1984 graduate of Admiral King High School.

Diane was employed by Lake Pointe Health Center in Lorain for the past 9 years working in both Health Aide and Housekeeping. She was a member of the Church of St. Peter, Lorain where she participated in the Vacation Bible School Program for many years.

Dunkin Donuts was a daily stopping point for Diane and her coffee cravings and on certain days was known to be there more than once. She enjoyed going to festivals and her most treasured times were spent with her family.

Diane is survived by her son, Dane Anderson, of Lorain; mother, Kathleen Anderson (nee Zelenak), of Lorain; sisters, Laurie Arthur, of Fort Myers, Florida, Susie Auvil, of Lorain and Lisa (Bud) Swiger, of Lorain; brother, Steve Zelenak, of Fort Myers, Florida; Nieces and nephew, Jeremy and Jenna Swiger, Ashley Auvil, Hanna Linn and Melissa Arthur.

She was preceded in death by her brother, David Carl Deeds and her aunt, MaryAnn Perry.

The Anderson Family will receive friends on Monday, January 2, 2012 from 3:00 – 8:00 p.m. in the Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center, 1110 Cooper Foster Park Road, Amherst. Closing prayers will be said on Tuesday, January 3, 2012 at 9:30 a.m. in the Funeral Center followed by Mass of Christian Burial at 10:00 a.m. at the Church of St. Peter, 3655 Oberlin Ave., Lorain. Rev. Fr. Craig Hovanec, Pastor, will officiate. Private inurnment will take place at a later date.

Online condolences may be left for the Anderson Family at

www.dovinreberjones.com




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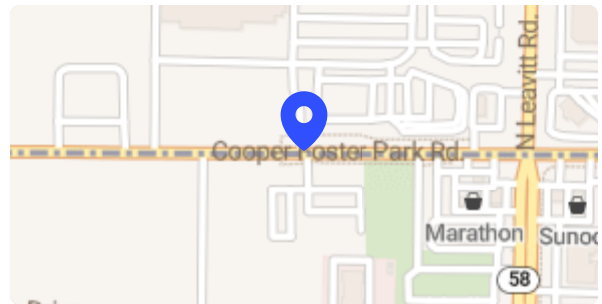
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Visitation

 **Monday**, January 2, 2012

 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET


 **Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center**
1110 Cooper Foster Park Road, Amherst OH 44001

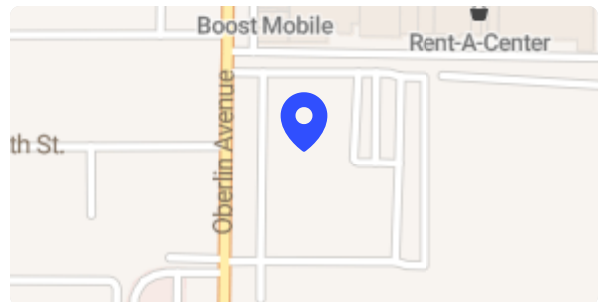


Funeral Mass

 **Tuesday**, January 3, 2012

 10:00 AM ET

 **Church of St. Peter**
3655 Oberlin Avenue, Lorain





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BB

Bob Bernhardt lit a candle in honor of Diane.



June 11 at 3:15 PM

GA

Gary posted:

untill we meet again. love always Gary

December 29 at 4:24 AM

HL

Hannah Linn posted:

Dee dee I miss you so dearly , I hope I could touch you one more time I know you in a much better place now with no sorrow or pain each one of us have your picture in a frame we think of you in silence in the night while looking up at the sky . Our precious woman is gone but won't be forgotten we still think of our moments together . I softly call your name and know you here . Even though we're miles apart I have you in my heart . Our memories and secrets we share are safe and sound . Your up in the night sky what a beautiful angel you are . Heaven is a place for perfectness, beautifulness and so much more and that's just what you are . I know somehow somewhere you sitting here today with me although I cannot see you I can feel the warmthness of your hand . Gone but never forgotten ?? we'll cherish you forever untill we meet again I love you ??

January 17 at 5:20 AM

SS

Susie - Lorain, Oh - Sister posted:

Diane you are always in my thoughts and heart.I miss you,you were my best friend,my sister.I miss you coming over to hang out with me everyday.We enjoyed the good and bad days together.Now when something good or bad happens I want so badly to call you up and tell you to come over so we can talk about it,but my best friend is gone and I feel so alone without you.No one can ever replace you.I am just happy that I got to be with you everyday.I miss our little adventures,our secrets that we shared,and the laughter that we shared.You were the best sister anyone could ever ask for.I will be with you one day again til then watch over us down here.I love and miss you so much..Love your sister,Susie

January 22 at 8:00 PM



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LS

Lisa - Lorain, Oh - Sister posted:

I have no words to describe how much I miss you. I remember a year ago today how I was looking out the window and it began to gently snow. I knew then the angels were coming to take you home. Oh how I wished it wasn't true. I knew then there wasn't nothing I could do. I know one day we will be together and never part. I know you are a ?? now and will be always be by my side. Until we meet again you will always remain deep inside. Miss & Love You Forever!

December 28 at 8:00 PM

LS

Lisa - Lorain, Oh - Sister posted:

Precious Sister I Wish I Could See You One More Time Come Walking Through My Door But, I Know That Is Impossible I Will Hear Your Voice No More I Know You Can Feel My Tears And You Don't Want Me To Cry Yet, My Heart Is Broken Because I Can't Understand Why Someone So Precious Had To Die I Pray That God Will Give Me Strength And Somehow Get Me Through As I Struggle With The Heartache That Was Caused By Losing You

December 25 at 8:00 PM

HN

Hannie - Lorain, Oh - Neice posted:

I know you have no more pain now because God wipes every tear from your eyes , and there will be no more death or sorrow or crying or pain.

December 1 at 8:00 PM

HN

Hannah - Lorain, Oh - Neice posted:

In heaven there is: Life happiness comfort relationships mercy love kindness joy and peace. There's no more: loneliness grief fear pain danger hate stress or death. In heaven ,there are mansions . Each one is prepared for one person. Inside are treasures that have been given to you because of the things you've done. In heaven you will get a new body . You have to suffer with this weak and old body anymore . No longer is there sickness or cancer . You are whole and new . Death has no place in heaven. You can no longer cry in heaven God will wipe every tear from your eyes . Heaven is God's throne .

December 1 at 8:00 PM



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HN

Hannah (Hannie) - Lorain, Oh - Neice posted:

Dee Dee , I miss you and so does our family . We stick together through hard times but its nothing new , our family is strong . We cry with each other over you and our memories of you in a frame. Thats nothing new either . We have secrets for you that no one else can hear . Your our keeper of our secrets and don't let them go . Your our glue for the family and the wonderful lady in our hearts . :)

November 20 at 8:00 PM

HN

Hannah - Lorain, Oh - Neice posted:

At time i want to touch you....Even when I know that i can't I think of you and the wonderful times we spent together... It makes me feel like your right by my side even when your miles away.. :)

November 13 at 8:00 PM

HN

Hananh - Lorain, Oh - Neice posted:

i worte a poem for you dee dee.i thought of you today but that is nothing new i thought about you yesterday and days before that too.i think of you in silence i often speak your nameall i have is memories and your picture in a frame.your memory is my keepsake with which i'll never part.god has you in his keeping.i have you in my heart.

November 11 at 8:00 PM

LS

Lisa Swiger - Lorain, Oh - Sister posted:

Can't believe it's coming upon a year since you've been gone.These holidays are not going to be the same without you.There is not a day that goes by that your not in my thoughts. My eyes feel with tears and my heart aches. People say it gets better with time but I know I will never get over you.I know now you were the bond of this family. Oh how I wish you were here.I know your shining down on us.Miss & Love You! Your sis Lisa

October 14 at 8:00 PM



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HN

Hannah - Oh - Niece posted:

I miss you Dee Dee . And i wish you were still here so we can ock the dace moves like the old times . I love you and will never forget you, you taught me so many great things . I need to go to Dunkin Donuts and get our snack . :) You are gone but not forgotten. I miss the times we shared laughing,singing,dancing, and much more... I will never foget my wonderful aunt. You stuck up for me. I miss your voice. I miss the times with you watching Ghost Whisperer. There are no words that i can say to tell you how i feel. Its amost been a year without you .. Many feel sorrow we all miss the dear women that is gone... I know that you are up in heaven watching your family and friends and of course rockin' the electric slide and more....This past year without you has been so empty and lost without you... I'm glad that I was there with you for your past few days.. But when the end came our hearts became broke and we didn't know how to fix them. We all know that you arre in a better place now and hope you have no more pain.. Dee Dee what does it feel like up there? Your favorite holiday is coming up in a month.. In loving memory of you Mom and I decided that we are going to decorate our house scary this year like you like it.. Love, Your Hannie!

September 25 at 8:00 PM

DF

Dick And Connie Zolnay - Lone Oak, Tx - Friend posted:

Diane, you are the only person who has ever slapped my face and got away with it..you were right, I deserved it. I'm sorry my wife didn't get to meet you, ya'll would have been good friends. I still have and wear the harley earring you gave me. I'm sorry for your mom...my wife and I know what the loss of a child feels like. We lost her son at age 25 to AL:S on christmas day, 1998. Kathy, it feels like someone punches you in the chest and rips your heart out and leaves the nerves hanging raw..and it never changes or goes away. It's a forever hurt. Let God be with you to sooth the pain. Diane, find Orval and have a great party!!! When we get the thunder and lightning one nite, we'll know ya'll found each other!!

January 15 at 8:00 PM

AN

Ashley Auvil - Lorain, Oh - Niece posted:

Today's been rougher then most. It just doesn't seem real. I lie in bed wondering when will I move in. When will I deal with it all. I can't even explain how lucky I was to have had those last few days with you. Everything you told me came straight from the heart and was beyond true. I'm sorry I wasn't there more to help you through everything that you had to deal with. I'm sorry... I love you

January 9 at 8:00 PM



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JA

Janice Shumyla Papai - Bedford, Ky - School Classmate:Masson & Akhs posted:

So sorry for your loss.... Diane was such a wonderful person and friend !My thoughts and prayers are with each and everyone of you !

January 8 at 8:00 PM

LL

Lynn Obechi - Lorain, Oh posted:

My Prayers and Sympathy to Dane and his family.

January 5 at 8:00 PM

DE

Daisy Vipperman - Elyria, Oh posted:

The loss of part of a family....The hardest loss of all.-No words that I say will help ease your pain. - Just always remember,Lisa,that I am here for you...My thoughts,prayers,love are with all of you-Daisy

January 1 at 8:00 PM

BE

Barb - Elyria, Oh posted:

I wish I could ease your pain. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

January 1 at 8:00 PM

VF

Vilas B. Desai - North Olmsted, Oh - Friend posted:

Hi! Lisa My all sympathies to you and your family for this unrecoverable loss, my condolences to you and may god bless you all.

January 1 at 8:00 PM



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DC

Donald Zelenak - Lorain, Oh - Cousin posted:

I find myself wishing that it wasn't real
Every time I think about it, pain is all I can feel
Tears fall from my eyes, I can barely see
But my heart tells me that she'll always be with me
I'm glad she feels no pain now-she lives in a perfect land
I can still feel the soft touch on my shoulder of her loving hand
I lie in bed and cry at night
And I don't feel any better in the morning light
And I will love and miss her forever
Until the day we are again together.
Together in that perfect place above,
Filled with caring, sharing and love
But until that day comes- I will wipe my tears away.
And hopefully see her again someday

January 1 at 8:00 PM

BE

Brenda Saunders - Elyria, Oh - Work With Lisa At Giant Eagle posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you Lisa

January 1 at 8:00 PM

AN

Ashley Auvil - Lorain, Oh - Niece posted:

Just was thinking about you today...happy new year. Bet you had one he** of a party! Love you

December 31 at 8:00 PM

CL

Connie - Lorain, Oh posted:

I have and always will miss the way you could always make me laugh at work. Rest in peace friend. Thoughts and prayers to your family.

December 31 at 8:00 PM

PW

Pam - Co-Worker posted:

God will take care of you now. Rest in peace.

December 31 at 8:00 PM

CW

Char - Co-Worker posted:

I will miss talking and picking on you. I HOPE YOU REST IN PEACE, and GOD BLESS YOU. My thoughts and prayers go out to your son and family

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BC

Beverly J Squire - Las Vegas, Nv - Cousin posted:

I had a awesome time with Diane in october I really didnt know her well, but we were getting to know each other and that I will always hold in my heart. We talked and laughed and smoked our cigarettes in the garage i will never forget those days,she left a influence in my life.I have her number in my cell and its goin stay there for awhile.Diane I will remember you always and love you cuz.

December 31 at 8:00 PM

LS

Lisa Swiger - Lorain, Oh - Sister posted:

My Dearest Sister,As far back as i can remember you were the one always there looking out for me.But these last 9 days were me looking out for you.People can only hope to be with the person they Love to the end.We talked and laughed and resolved our differences.I told you I wouldn't leave you for nothing and i didn't, knowing you would do the same for me.My life will NEVER be the same without you. I am so lucky to have had you for my sister.Your kinds words you spoke to me and my children will always be cherished.Although my heart is broken i feel some peace in our final days together. I will always look to those memories of how lucky and honored to be with you.Although you are not with me you will remain FOREVER in my heart. Til we meet again may the Lord Bless You and keep You.Love Your Always,Your little sisterLisa

December 31 at 8:00 PM

MC

Michael Perry - Westerville, Oh - Cousin posted:

Where do I start Diane.....You were like a sister to me. You always had a caring and giving heart towards everyone. One of my memories of you was buying me a pair of Jordache jeans when I was 14 years old. You only had a part time job and still found it in your heart to make someone else happy. When I moved to Columbus you filled in for me to help take care of my mother. I will always hold a special place in my heart for you Dee. I know you and my mother are causing havoc in heavenLove Always,Mikey

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KM

Kathleen Anderson - Lorain, Oh - Mother posted:

To My Dearly Beloved Daughter Diane,I loved you when you were born and never stopped loving you.We had good memories together.I could always talk to you.You would say things will work out,don't worry mom even if I didn't think they ever would.,but she was always right about those sayings.I would make your coffee every morning because you said I could make it better than you,but I doubt that.You were good at everything and tried your best to keep the family together and I will cherish that.I won't forget how you would text me every night to say "mom that was some good dinner",I don't know how I will make it without you.I miss you so much.No one can ever replace you.You were loved by me and you will remain close to my heart forever.I miss your closeness in this house.It is very empty without you.Love,Forever your,Mother

December 31 at 8:00 PM

SS

Susie Auvil - Lorain, Oh - Sister posted:

Diane,There is so much that I wanted to say to you and thought that we had the time.I am so glad that we had the time that we did together.We were together everyday and I am so lost without you to talk to everyday.We kept each others secrets and hopes and dreams.You were the one person in this world who was not afraid to really tell it like it really was;good or bad.You told me to always remember you for keeping your promises to me..you did little sister.I hope and pray that you are happy and free from all pain.Words can't describe the whole in my heart for you.,I just keep telling myself that we will be together again.I know you will be looking down on me to watch over me and keep me safe..I miss and love you so much!!!!You are forever in my heart.....

December 31 at 8:00 PM

AF

Angela Hurtado-Padron - Giddings, Tx - Friend posted:

Diane was a good friend from high school. Always smiling & making me laugh. We got close after I graduated & we lost touch once I got married. My deepest sympathy to her family.

December 30 at 8:00 PM

OF

Onie Heffley - Medina, Oh - Friend posted:

DianeWhy does it take a minute to say hello and forever to say goodbye,I know you are in a better place but I wish I had just one chance to tell my best friend how much you meant to me, I know we went our separate ways but our time together was truly special and I will never forget you ,may life in heaven bring you the happiness and love you searched for your whole life, until we meet again my friend peace and love be with you always.Forever in my heart love you Di

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SF

Steve Anderson - Hanover, Pa - Father posted:

Dearest Diane, Just wanted to let you know how much I LOVE YOU!! I always have and always will. You are in my Heart FOREVER!! Please rest in peace and God will take care of you! Love you FOREVER!
DAD

December 30 at 8:00 PM

NA

Nancy Allison - Mo posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you all. I have now words to describe how much this saddens me.....

December 30 at 8:00 PM

CF

Clyeda Salva - Lorain, Oh - Friend posted:

Dane and family, My thoughts and prayers are with you.

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AN

Ashley Auvil - Lorain, Oh - Niece posted:

Haven't slept in a few days. I just keep seeing your face. Sometimes it feels like life is normal, and then sometimes it seems unreal. I'm so beyond grateful that I got the opportunity to sit and be with you in your last days. I know you're not here anymore but you gave me a gift that I haven't had in many years. You gave me the strength to reconnect with my family. And with that I will always keep you with me. Love you Diane sweet dreams.

December 30 at 8:00 PM

LS

Laurie Arthur - Fort Myers, Fl - Sister posted:

Remembering the fun times we had when you visited Florida. So sorry that we drifted apart. You are loved and will be sadly missed. May you find peace and happiness in heaven...sorry don't think they have a Dunkin' donuts up there! :-) Take care sis and give Tom and Josh a hug for me! Love and hugs from your big sis, Laurie

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Hannah Linn - Lorain, Oh - Niece posted:

Aunt Dee Dee I love you and miss you. I still remember the great times we had like helping you cook food,dancing on the kitchen floor,planting flowers,finding worms haha,cutting the grass, walking to get the mail, and most important going to Dunkin Donuts to get your ice coffee and my pumpkin muffin but i just started getting those pumpkin muffins. i love you Dee Dee and miss you Love, Hannah or as you called me hannie!

December 29 at 8:00 PM



Ashley Auvil - Lorain, Oh - Niece posted:

Aunt Dee Dee, Even though you are gone we will never forget you and always remember all the fun times we shared. Hope your up in heaven rockin' the electric slide right now. Love you!

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Memories only last if you share them

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



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