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Donna L. Machovina, age 62, of Elyria passed away Tuesday, August 13, 2013 at Oak Hills Nursing Center under the care of New Life Hospice after a lengthy illness.

She was born on May 23, 1951 in Niagara Falls, Ontario to Leo and Norma (nee Caldwell) Byrnes. Donna was a 1969 graduate of Lorain High School. Upon completion of high school she continued her education at Lorain Community College. She was a resident of Lorain County most her life.

Donna made her career as a transcriber in the radiology departments of area hospitals, including St. Joseph Hospital, Fairview Hospital, Mercy Regional Medical Center and Tri-City Medical. She was an avid reader and enjoyed gardening.

She is survived by her daughter, Holly (Hal Looby) Minch, of San Francisco, CA; sisters, Marie (Mike) Gravelle, of Niagara Falls, Ontario, Leota Borbash, of Florida, Jan (Paul) Rigda, of Amherst, OH and Wendy (Peter Burke) Byrnes, of Florida.

Donna was preceded in death by her parents, Leo and Norma Byrnes; brother, Allan Byrnes; and brother-in-law, Joe Borbash.

A memorial service will be held at a later date in Niagara Falls, Ontario.

Contributions may be made in memory of Donna to New Life Hospice Center, 3500 Kolbe Road, Lorain, OH 44053.

Online condolences may be left for the family at www.dovinreberjones.com

Funeral arrangements are the the direction of Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center, Amherst, OH



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JY

Janice Young posted:

Whenever we had a class reunion, Donna was always the person I looked forward to seeing. She was a great dancer and always so much fun. I have very fond memories of her. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Janice Young (Zocchi)

August 20 at 5:38 AM

BG

Barb Gidich lit a candle in honor of Donna.

I don't know where to begin. I have so many fond memories of Donna and your family, We shared good times and bad and I always knew she was there for me. I'm so sorry for your loss, you are all in my thoughts and prayers. Barb Gidich



August 14 at 3:48 PM

LB

Laura Berki posted:

Donna was a kind and caring person. We met when we worked together and became good friends and shared each other's joys and problems for many years. I'm sorry to say we lost touch in the past few years. She will remain in my heart and I will miss her sweet smile and pretty voice. My sympathy to her daughter, Holly, and all her sisters and relatives. She loved you all very much.

August 14 at 6:51 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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