



## Jodi D. Ferguson

December 12, 1961 - June 2, 2021

Jodi Darlene Ferguson, age 59, passed away on June 2, 2021. Jodi was born on December 12, 1961 in Tacoma, WA to Larry and Karen Gordier. The family moved to Michigan when Jodi was a child and made their home in Oxford. She was a graduate of Oakland Christian School in Auburn Hills. Jodi loved flowers and had a "green thumb". In her earlier years she worked in the greenhouses and helped to manage the offices at Bordines and Goldner-Walsh. Jodi later started her own lawn care and landscaping business and could be seen most days with her socks and shoes stained green from weed whipping all summer long. After retiring from landscaping, she applied her business knowledge and strong work ethic as a trusted executive assistant covering many roles including bookkeeper, sales person, logistics, and all around problem solver. Whether for work or with family, Jodi made the time to support others when they needed it most. Jodi enjoyed traveling, especially to the south west of the United States. The southwestern motif and bright colors were a constant influence in her home and style. Her friends and family knew her as someone who was always fashionable, with fun and unique accessories for all occasions. She also loved having unique pets. In the last several years she fell in love caring for their tortoises Shelly, Amy, and Loki. Jodi was the loving wife of Samuel Cartagena. Former spouse to Scott Ferguson. Beloved mother of sons Aaron (Alyssa) Ferguson and Alex Ferguson. Cherished Daughter of Larry (Debra) Gordier and the late Karen Gordier. Dear sister of Tammy (Adam) Waymaster and Brenda (Michael) Weingartz. Adored granddaughter of Sadie (the late Russ) Montagna. Also survived by a niece and many nephews. Visitation Wednesday 2 pm until time of funeral, 4 pm at Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W. 11 Mile Rd. (4 blks E. of Woodward), Royal Oak. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions to the family on their GoFundMe page are appreciated, <[https://www.gofundme.com/f/support-for-family-of-jodi-ferguson?utm\\_source=customerandutm\\_medium=copy\\_linkandutm\\_campaign=p\\_cf+share-flow-1](https://www.gofundme.com/f/support-for-family-of-jodi-ferguson?utm_source=customerandutm_medium=copy_linkandutm_campaign=p_cf+share-flow-1)>

# Events

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**JUN**   **Visitation**                      02:00PM - 04:00PM

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Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak  
705 W. Eleven Mile Road, Royal Oak, MI, US, 48067

**JUN**   **Funeral Service**    04:00PM

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# Comments

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“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jodi D. Ferguson.



June 09 at 08:16 AM

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“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jodi D. Ferguson.



June 08 at 12:57 PM

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“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Jodi D. Ferguson.



June 08 at 06:37 AM

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“ I'm just so sad to hear about Jodi joining the angels too early. I loved talking to Jodi, she always was the person to give it to you straight up, and gave great advice. She and I worked together and she always kept me straight. I will miss her so.

**Megan George** - June 07 at 07:32 PM

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“ I have so many wonderful memories with Jodi working with her with ECS for the last 4yrs. I will never forget the way she would answer when I would call her after hours needing things from Home Depot. She would say Hello Ray. Like omg what does he want now. Lol. I will truly miss Jodi. She was a wonderful person with a big heart. My deepest condolences to the Family.

From: Ray Salazar & Family



Ray Salazar - June 07 at 01:57 PM

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“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Jodi D. Ferguson.



June 07 at 11:21 AM

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“ I have so many great memories with my Mom. From dancing to disco on her trampoline to going to the "movie theater" in Tawas during salmon fishing trips, I will always hold the best memories close to my heart. I love you Mom!



Alex Ferguson - June 05 at 05:17 PM

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“ I have so Many good memories with Jodi, not many people know I was the cause of her keeping a short haircut! I needed a model for work to practice a new haircut technique and I asked her if she would be my model ? she said yes but can i see what your doing ? I said NOPE just enjoy the ride (you already know how she was feeling at that point)! And once I said ok take a look (I was definitely a little scared she would kill me)! But she actually loved the short hair and I continued to cut it that way until I could no longer cut due to my work travels! But she definitely kept up the style in many different ways! She was a fashionista with Hair, Nails, shoes and purse! GONE BUT NEVER FORGOTTEN LOVE YOU JODI!

**Sonia vasquez** - June 05 at 05:06 PM

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“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jodi D. Ferguson.



June 05 at 02:50 PM

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“ My favorite time with my mom was drinking coffee together early in the morning before everyone else was awake. She would make the best fresh cappuccino for us and we would spend the next few hours talking increasingly louder and faster as the caffeine took effect!

**Aaron Ferguson** - June 05 at 02:04 PM

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“ Jodi was fun to be with., and as my daughter-in-law we had many goods times together. She will be truly missed.

**barbara ferguson** - June 05 at 12:26 PM