



## Denice Nassar Genta

December 16, 1952 - August 1, 2017

Denice Nassar Genta, a vibrant and beautiful soul, passed away following an accident on August 1, 2017. Denice was born on December 16, 1952 in Highland Park to the late Charles and Helen Nassar. She shared an unparalleled bond with her sisters, not only in her youth, but over the entire course of her life. On November 3, 2015, she married Lou Genta after an 8 year committed relationship. They enjoyed touring the country and attending classic auto shows, blues music concerts and spoiling their rescue dog Max.

Denice took great pride in her 30+ year career with M.E.S. Solutions. While in their employ, she served as president of the Midwest region and retired in 2012. Although Denice thrived in the business setting, she was incredibly creative. Her taste and creativity were expressed in home, personal style, and numerous projects in which she transformed something out of nothing. She understood the beauty in simplicity and impeccably balanced each outfit with just the right amount of sparkle. In her leisure time, Denice was an avid shopper, kayaker, and skier. She also enjoyed gardening, many genres of music (with a special affinity for blues and rock and roll), and traveling across Europe with her best friend of over 40 years, Elaine McIntosh Rutman. "Dee Dee" will be remembered as an amazing wife, sister, aunt, friend to many, and pleasure to all she met.

Beloved wife of Lou and precious sister to Renee (Edward) Chelian, Patricia

(William Rob) Webster, Mason (Tracee) Nassar, and Shonnette (Doug) Nedbal. Also survived by her husband's children, Kim (Desmond) Orr, Nikki (Dirk) Loveland, and Amy (Ray) Crawford and grandchildren, Alexis Orr, Sydney Orr, Sierra Orr, Hannah Loveland, Luke Loveland, Mike (Julie) Crawford, Haley Crawford, Helen Crawford, and Kate Crawford. Cherished aunt to Nicole Chelian, Lara Chelian, Kyle Nassar, and "second mom" to Patricia's children, Jason (Micheall) Webster and Jessica Webster, who honor her with a lifetime of love and cherished memories of trips and countless time spent together. Denice's presence will also be greatly missed by her beloved canine companion, Max.

Visitation Monday 2:00-9:00 pm at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W. Eleven Mile Road (4 blocks E. of Woodward), Royal Oak.

In lieu of flowers, memorials appreciated to Claws and Paws Rescue of West Branch. Click here to donate ([https://www.facebook.com/clawsandpawsanimalrescue/app/117708921611213/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/clawsandpawsanimalrescue/app/117708921611213/?ref=page_internal)) or copy this web address: <https://www.facebook.com/clawsandpawsanimalrescue> and click on "Donate" to the left.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 7. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak

705 W. Eleven Mile Road

Royal Oak, MI 48067

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# Tribute Wall

BS

“ *Denise was a beautiful person who shared laughter and good-will with everyone. We will miss her immensely and send our prayers and love to Lou and family. Bambi & Rick Smith*



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**Bambi Smith** - August 08, 2017 at 08:56 AM

RM

“ *So sorry to hear of the loss of Denise. I worked at MES in the late 90s. She was always full of energy. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends.*

*RoseMary McNitt*

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**RoseMary McNitt** - August 07, 2017 at 03:33 PM

AR

“ *Renee. So sorry for the loss of your beautiful sister.*

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**Ann Rose** - August 07, 2017 at 11:22 AM

AY

“ *Anthony Yakimowich purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Denise Nassar Genta.*



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**Anthony Yakimowich** - August 07, 2017 at 10:45 AM

KK

“ Kevin & Kay purchased the Love's Tapestry for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.



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**Kevin & Kay** - August 07, 2017 at 09:50 AM

JH

“ Denice, my friend of 35+ years, "sister," godmother to my son Jake, a part of my family for so long. We have been through the best and worst of our lifetimes together. My mom describes you in one word "VIBRANT." I would tell you to Rest In Peace, but we know that rest isn't one of your strong suits. So until we meet again my dear friend - we love you! Mark, Julie (Gaiffe), and Jake Hillard

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**Julie Hillard** - August 07, 2017 at 09:10 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.



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August 06, 2017 at 05:42 PM

EH

“ Denise reached out to me so many times at MES when I needed a boost, or a shoulder or a laugh and continued to reach out after I left. There was always, always laughter.

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**Elaine Andries Hartle** - August 06, 2017 at 05:19 PM

TD

“ *The VES Accounting Department purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.*



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**The VES Accounting Department** - August 06, 2017 at 04:43 PM

TE

“ *What a fun and loving person Denice was. She and I have some wonderful MES memories and more than anything, a shared love of the people around us. Denice, you spread so much sunshine. I believe you are shining down on all of us now. We shall miss you, but we shall love you always.*

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**Teresa** - August 05, 2017 at 05:45 PM

MP

“Denise was my mentor and friend. I met her as I entered my Marketing career, working with her at MES, and was in absolute AWE of how intelligent and driven she was. I wanted to be just like her! To this day I have never met another woman who has meant more to me in my career. That alone would be a wonderful testament. Denise was so much more than that though. She was amazingly compassionate and remarkable in the way that she loved and nurtured the people she cared for both in their careers and in their personal lives. I am forever touched by her sincere desire to help me succeed and reach my goals. I will never forget all she meant to me and how grateful I am that I knew her and shared so many many amazing memories. I have witnessed her love and compassion for my other family members at MES We were a family and were blessed to share HER family in Patty and Jessica and Jason and got to know and Love them all as well! My heart breaks for them knowing their loss is amplified 1000 times what I feel. I have cherished every memory made together with her and my MES family and will miss her so very much! I am so happy that she enjoyed her husband, her retirement and Max. May you Rest In Peace Denise. Till we meet again

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**Mary Parker** - August 05, 2017 at 05:39 PM



“Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.



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August 05, 2017 at 04:59 PM

KF

“ Ken and Marcia Kelly and Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.



Ken and Marcia Kelly and Family - August 05, 2017 at 04:27 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.



August 05, 2017 at 03:23 PM



“ Graceful Wreath was purchased for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.



August 05, 2017 at 01:13 PM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.



August 04, 2017 at 08:35 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.*



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August 04, 2017 at 06:54 PM



“ *Words can not express how heavy my heart is hearing about you no longer being here. I will always remember your kindness and how your smile would light up a room. I am praying for you all during this tragic loss.*



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**Alison Merriweather-Coleman and Family** - August 04, 2017 at 05:27 PM



*My heart hurts.. mostly for all her family who Denice loved and loved her! My peace is knowing her life was fulfilled with Love and Happiness with Lou.. Many prays for you Patty, Jessica, Mason, Shonnette, all your kids and spouses.. Prayers to Lou and his family.*

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**Cindy Begerow** - August 04, 2017 at 09:46 PM



*I am so sad tonight. Thank you Denice for bringing me into the MES family and your words of wisdom over the years. I will miss your incredible warmth and infectious laugh. You are a great soul. Prayers to the family.*

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**ed bodde** - August 04, 2017 at 10:06 PM

DS

*I heard the news that you had passed and it made me sad. You brought me into a business that helped me make a living enough so to start a family and continue in it for the last 21 years. I remember some of the laughs we shared in meetings, etc., and the times I drove you nuts. Thank you for all that you did for me. God Bless you Denice. Rest in Peace.*

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**Darren St.Ledger** - August 05, 2017 at 12:26 AM

AH

*Heaven gained an Angel... I will always remember your spirit, kindness and beautiful smile. Thank you for believing in me, and giving me the opportunity to work with you at MES. Gone but never forgotten!! I send prayers to the entire family for strength and peace during this very sad time.*

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**Angela Hosler** - August 05, 2017 at 08:39 AM

WR

“ *Denice is very close to my heart, I will always remember how special she is to me*  
*Wally Ross*

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**wallace c ross** - August 04, 2017 at 05:04 PM

TD

“ *The Drakes purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.*



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**The Drakes** - August 04, 2017 at 03:00 PM

TC

“ *The Staff of Northland Family Planning Centers purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.*



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**The Staff of Northland Family Planning Centers** - August 04, 2017 at 02:29 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.*



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August 04, 2017 at 01:36 PM

LC

“ *Love, Dan & Cathy purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.*



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**Love, Dan & Cathy** - August 04, 2017 at 12:09 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.*



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August 04, 2017 at 11:20 AM

GK

“ Greg Durio and Fred Klinker purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Denice Nassar Genta.



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**Greg Durio and Fred Klinker** - August 04, 2017 at 09:48 AM

NC

“ Our deepest thoughts & prayers are with Denice's family at this time of loss. Neil & Sandy Cylkowski

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**Neil & Sandy Cylkowski** - August 04, 2017 at 09:26 AM