



## Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco

July 24, 1974 - February 29, 2016

Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco

Age 41, Born in Rochester, Mi July 24th, 1974.

Beloved wife of Gaspare.

Loving mother of Isabella, Anthony and Salvatore. Beloved daughter- in-law of Anthony and Angela Chirco.

Dearest sister in law of Josephine (Salvatore) Munaco, Francesca (Mario) Sanchez, Gina (Norman) Gomez and Salvatore (Melanie) Chirco. Dear aunt of 17 nieces and nephews.

Family will receive friends at the Wm Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Road (3 Blks E. of Van Dyke on the north side of M59) Utica, Friday 3:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m.

Instate Saturday 9:30 a.m. at St. Andrew Catholic Church 1400 Inglewood (north of University Dr.)Rochester, until time of her Funeral Mass at 10:00 a.m

Memorials appreciated to ~ <https://www.gofundme.com/gretchenchirco>

Please share a memory at [www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com](http://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 4. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home  
8459 Hall Road  
Utica, MI 48317  
(586) 731-2411  
utica@sullivanfh.com  
<https://www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com/>

## Instate At Church

MAR 5. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Andrew Catholic Church  
1400 Inglewood  
Rochester, MI 48037

## Funeral Mass

MAR 5. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Andrew Catholic Church  
1400 Inglewood  
Rochester, MI 48037

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco.*



March 03, 2016 at 03:19 PM



“ *Dear Gaspare, We are terribly saddened by your loss. Gretchen will be remembered as a loving wife and wonderful mom... May God comfort each one of you and your families. LuvHugsPrayers, Walt and Dona Stockyj*

**dona stockyj** - March 03, 2016 at 09:06 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco.*



March 02, 2016 at 09:56 PM



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco.*



March 02, 2016 at 07:46 PM

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“ *Ed Lietz, Jim Carter and the staff at 911 Mechanical purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco.*



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**Ed Lietz, Jim Carter and the staff at 911 Mechanical** - March 02, 2016 at 03:56 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco.*



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March 02, 2016 at 12:03 PM

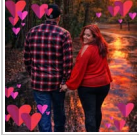


“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco.*



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March 02, 2016 at 11:07 AM



“ I am so saddened to hear about the news. As our boys have grown up together (playing together, being in activities, birthday parties as well as school functions). It is heart breaking to hear of you passing. Gretchen and Gaspare you together have raised such a great well respected well mannered son Anthony. I am sure your daughter and other son are just as wonderful with having you as their mother and Gaspare as their father. The happiness you guys have will live on in your children. I am so sorry again Gaspare and family for you loss.

*Shannon and Chase Aiuto*

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**Shannon Aiuto** - March 02, 2016 at 09:49 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco.



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March 02, 2016 at 09:23 AM



“ My heart hurts for this beautiful family. Although I only knew Gretchen through the kids schools, she was always there, for everything-conferences, plays, volunteering, you name it. And she always looked beautiful, and always had a smile. She also raised an incredible daughter, Bella. My son, Zac, and Bella have been friends for years. When he was going through a very rough patch Bella was there for him like a true friend. My prayers go out to her husband and her kids. RIP Beautiful Gretchen.

*Sheri Love and Zac Czarnota*

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**sheri love** - March 02, 2016 at 09:07 AM

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“ *Gaspare and family - We are so very sorry for your loss. May cherished memories bring you moments of comfort.*

*Sincerely,*

*Scott and Judi Chase*



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**Judi Chase** - March 02, 2016 at 08:30 AM

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“ *We offer our sincere condolences to Gaspare, the children and all of Gretchen's family during this difficult loss. May God comfort you all.*

*Sincerely,*

*Michael and Cathy Schwark*

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**Michael Schwark** - March 02, 2016 at 08:20 AM

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“ *Although my memories of Gretchen were from when we were children such as sneaking dollars out of our mothers' purses to go to the candy store in Petoskey. :-) I still remember her infectious laugh. I extend my heartfelt condolences to Gretchen's family.*

*Shelly (Mieczko) Davis*

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**Shelly Davis** - March 02, 2016 at 06:57 AM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Gretchen Elizabeth Chirco.*



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March 01, 2016 at 11:30 PM



“ *What I remember about Gretchen is what a truly beautiful person inside and out. She truly loved her children and Gaspare. Every time I would run into Gaspare and Gretchen around town they were always happy and smiling. You could totally feel the love they had for each other. Gretchen, God Bless You With Eternal Peace.*

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**Michele Chirco** - March 01, 2016 at 09:23 PM



“ *I can still remember Gretchen as the pretty little girl next door. My heart goes out to her husband, children, mother, brother and family. I will keep all of you in my prayers. Phyllis (Mleczko) Barker*

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**Phyllis Barker** - March 01, 2016 at 07:27 PM