



Michelle K. DeGrace

November 20, 1970 - March 19, 2011

Michelle K. DeGrace nee Moore

Age 40, March 19, 2011

Beloved Wife of Gerald

Loving Mother of Tera and Leah

Dear Daughter of Richard and Nancy Moore

Sister of Dennis Moore

Granddaughter of Julia Hubert

Daughter-in-law of Gerald and Arlene DeGrace

Sister-in-law of Michele Michael Craig, Patricia Joe Biermann, and Julie Wolfe

Granddaughter-in-law of Hedwiges Ternes.

A Celebration of Life Visitation and Service at the Wm Sullivan & Son Funeral Home 8459 Hall Road 3 Blks E. of Van Dyke

Utica Saturday 1:30pm until time of Memorial Service 4:30pm

Donations To The Family for Gerald to assist in the Care of thier daughters - Tera & Leah. Please share a memory at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com

Tribute Wall

MD

“ *Chele, We still don't understand & so many whys. We all love & miss you & all our times together.. Love Always Mom & Dad Dee*

Mom & Dad Dee - March 25, 2015 at 12:01 AM

EM

“ *Jerry I am so soory for your loss, words can't explain what you and your family is going through, I just wanted you to know that I am praying for you and your family. Sincerely, Eric Masters*

Eric Masters - March 25, 2015 at 12:01 AM

JF

“ *There is no way to put into words the depth of my appreciation for who Michele was and what she did for my family. I loved her so much, and now I pray that I can reflect the love of Christ to her husband, parents and precious daughters. We may never understand, but we can always love and serve to her honor. God bless you all.*

Joe, Lisa Patrico and family - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ *We would like to offer our sincere condolences and prayers in support of you during this time of loss. It is never expected that we would outlive our children but apparently it was God's plan so that you could be there for your grandchildren and your son-in-law. Someday, maybe we'll know what He intended for us and we'll stop and say "oh yes, now I see exactly why things happened this way."*

Tim & Sherry Curtis - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ I went to school and grow up in the same neighborhood as Michelle. I was sorry to hear of her passing. I will always remember her smile that would brighted up your day. The kindness she show anyone that made you feel like she was your friend. Also her heart of gold for she was willing to help anyone that need help. To Michelle's family and friends. I pray that God be with you in this time of need. You will be in my thoughts and prayers. Michelle may you rest in peace.

Ann Marie Hunt Mole` - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ "What we have once enjoyed we can never lose; All that we love deeply, becomes a part of us" ~Helen Keller I am so sorry for your loss. I hope that your loving memories of her will help heal in this time of sorrow.

Lesley Harnden - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Dear Jerry and family, We are so saddened by your loss, we will keep all of you in our prayers Jim and Ruthanne Kraemer

Jim Kraemer - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HF

“ Although I hadn't seen you in a very long time. My memories of you will always remain with me. Rest in Peace Michelle.

Harry Fox - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NC

“What the caterpillar calls the end of the world, the master calls a butterfly.” Richard Bach, *Illusions* Michelle, You are now the beautiful butterfly. May you enjoy your eternal life in peace and happiness. You were a dear childhood friend. I will always remember you spending the night and going to church with me. You always brought a smile wherever you were. May your kind spirit live on in your children and bring a smile to your husband as he reflects on your memories together. You will be missed my many . . .

Noor Taha Shawn Carmack - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AZ

“ Dear Dick and Nancy, you have our condolences for the loss of Michelle, I remember her growing up, we are now spending most of our retirement in Florida, again our condolences for your loss.

Art & Diane Zysk - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TA

“ Jerry, family and friends, Our hearts are so saddened for your lose of Michelle. May God hold you close in your time of need and may your memories comfort you to get you through this difficult time.

Tom and Cris Ayotte - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ Dick and Nancy Our thoughts and prayers for the loss of Michelle are with you in these difficult times. Tom & Judi Luxmore

Tom & Judi Luxmore - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ Hi Jerry, Harriett and my thoughts are with you during this awful time. We didn't know Michelle too well but after reading all the kind words about her and meeting her at the Christmas parties and the summer picnics only wish we could have gotten to know her better. We wish God's blessings upon you in the hard days ahead, Jerry Love, Bill and Harriett Nagelkerk

Bill and Harriett Nagelkerk - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ Dick & Nancy, Gerry & Tera & Leah I am heartbroken for you all. I pray that God will give you comfort and strength at this difficult time. I loved working with Michelle at GLHP, she was one of the sweetest girls with a smile that could like up the whole place. I'm so very very sorry for your loss. God Bless you all.

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DO

“ To the family and friends of Michelle... There are no words to say accept I'm so sorry for your loss. I pray for God's peace and comfort for all of you. And may God's grace grant peace to Michelle in heaven. Denise Obrecht Jeff Ternes is my son-in-law, Jamie Ternes is my daughter.

Denise Obrecht - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Dick and Nancy....I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts are with you and your family. Take care. Jim Lewis

Jim Lewis - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ I am in complete shock that this has happened. I know that Michelle loved Gerry and the girls with all her heart. She will be deeply missed.

Christina Ciavone - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ Nancy & Dick, You are in my prayers. May your love and memories of Michelle help you find peace. God bless you both. Love, Bonnie

Bonnie Dobie - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ Michelle, I am so sad at your passing and more sad that you were unable to reach out to your friends for help during your troubled times. I find comfort knowing you are at peace now and pray for Dick, Nancy and Dennis along with Jerry, Tera and Leah through this difficult time. You were the bestest friend and I cherish the memories you leave me from our past. God Bless you Michelle, RIP
Your friend Mari Carver Rice

Mari Carver Rice - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ From childhood to adulthood, Michelle remained a one of kind person and friend. She was confident, witty, funny, and beautiful. You will be missed.

Kimberly Frieze - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VZ

“ Dear Family, We are grieving with you. Sincere sympathy. Virgil and Loretta Zanardelli

virgil zanardelli - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VD

“ To Jerry and the girls, my deepest sympathy in your lonely hours. To Nancy and Dick, I know you are suffering a loss no parent should suffer; you are in my thoughts daily.

Vivien DeTone - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ Jerry, Leah and Tera: Although it's difficult today to see beyond the sorrow, may looking back in memory help comfort you tomorrow. Hold tight to memories for comfort, lean on your friends and family for strength and always remember how much you are cared about. God bless you,Michelle. You will be truly missed by so many.

Kelly Dunn - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ We were so saddened to hear about Michele's passing. I ran into Michele a couple times at the Meijer Store on 26 Mile Road about a year ago. She called out my name, gave me her bright smile plus a huge hug. She was a gift to all who knew her and I will always remember her sweet character. We extend our heart-felt condolences to her family. With sympathy, Bev & Denny Huard

Bev & Denny Huard - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ Dear Nancy, Dick, Dennis, Aunt Dolly, Jerry, Tera, & Leah, Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. I wish I could be there with you at this difficult time. We will all miss Michelle, and that beautiful smile of hers. God bless you all. REST IN PEACE MICHELLE Love, your cousins Bob & Barb Gamelin

Bob & Barb Gamelin - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ Aunt Michelle, You were like my second mom.. you always took care of us when my mom had to work or go somewhere and couldn't be there. I remember you would always bring over Little Nemo for me to watch even though I have seen it a million times, or when you would get mad at me you would scream, "GINA MARIE".. just like my mom. Words can not explain how much I am going to miss you. I Love You always and forever xoxoxo Gina Marie

Gina Ciavone - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ Michelle, thank you for showing up in my dream the other night... even though we haven't seen each other in many years, it felt like yesterday. It meant the world to be able to see you. And although we shared a tearful hug goodbye, your big smile said everything. May you rest in peace my friend. Kathleen

Kathleen McKay - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ Some of us will shed tears because she's gone.. but ALL of us will smile because she has lived. Smiles, laughs & love for my old friend.

Chris Pantaleo - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ My prayers go out to Michelle's beautiful children, family and friends. Michelle and family lived right behind us in 1970's and 1980's. I remember her beautiful smile. My thoughts and prayers go out to Richard and Nancy Moore, and her brother Dennis NormaBarger Charron

Norma Barger Charron - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ We pray for you and your family. You will be missed by so many.

jeffrey kubiak - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DV

“ Gone Too Soon.. ❤️ R.I.P Michelle ❤️

Denise Villasurda - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ May God Bless You and Your Family... Love U Girl Nat

Natalie Bozin Sells - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HB

“ I hope memories of Michelle's beautiful smile at peace can guide you through this difficult time. She was a wonderful wife, mother, and friend. You will be forever missed Michelle. The Borders Family

Holly Huard Borders - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ My prayers go out to Michelle's children, family and friends. I knew her from high school and have great memories of her from cheerleading. Rest in peace Michelle!

Kelly Ferrell Genovich - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HB

“ I have so many fond memories of Michelle, and I will cherish them. My thoughts & prayers go out to her girls, husband, parents, family & friends. She will be missed. Love Ya Michelle

Holly Broski - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ I went to high school with Michelle. Her beautiful smile graced a room. God Bless You Michelle.

Kelly McCauley-Crook - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Michelle, you were a wonderful cousin and friend. We are all deeply saddened by this sudden loss. I will always hold our memories very dear. I will always be there for Jerry and the girls. We will miss your beautiful smile, your laugh and your fun loving spirit. I hope you are at peace. Matthew 6:21 "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." I love you all and God bless you.

Trisha Szalewicz - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ I was in school with Michelle since kindergarten. She was a pleasant part of everyone's life. Prayers to her husband and children.

Lisa Guiffre - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ To the DeGrace's, always remember your wife and mother for all the joy she brought to your lives. Those of us that were friends of her's through school will hold our memories of her sacred in our hearts.

Jeffery Droske - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MV

“ Dear Michelle - You were a wonderful person and cousin anyone could have ever known and you will be in my heart always! You always had that special thing that made people smile and want to have fun. I will miss you very much :’ Jerry - please take care of your girls as if Michelle is with you every day and every minute - I know it will be challenging but you can do it. It’s possible to make it thru - I know how it is as I have been there. My prayers go out to you - Love you all! Cousin Michelle Diotte Vargo - CA

Michelle Vargo - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Jerry, Our deepest sympathy to you and your family. Praying for God’s guidance thru this difficult time.

Duane and Tonya Sturgess - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ Gone too soon...

David Grevemeyer - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TK

“ Michelle.... You are a bright soul. Always had a smile. We will all miss you, until we meet again. :

Tom Kennedy - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ Jerry,....Our heart goes out to you and your girls. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Tim & Fran Biermann

Tim and Fran Biermann - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

EF

“ Dearest Michelle, I have known you my whole life. You are my sister Ann's best friend. I don't ever remember seeing you without that beautiful smile on your face. Thank you for the memories I hold dearly to me and thank you for always being such a terrific friend to Ann.

Eliazbeth Furby - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ My sincerest condolences to Michelle's loved ones and friends. Michelle and I grew up in the same neighborhood. We had Girl Scouts together and a few other things. I will always remember her. May God keep you in His hands and take care of you all.

Shawn Smith - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Aunt Michelle, She wasn't just my aunt or any ordinary person, she was my second mom. The person who was always there for me. Forever will you be in my heart. I love you Tiffany Ciavone

Tiffany Ciavone - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ My prayers are with Michelle's family, especially her children. God Bless

Sherry Fridley Trefelner - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AM

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Alberto Medina - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *Dear Tera and Leah: Your mom always spoke about you with the utmost love and affection. You meant the world to her. She was truly a splendid woman and will be deeply missed. Leslie, Jim and Zachery will be here for you girls and your dad. Love and Hugs to you!!*

Leslie Barriger - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WD

“ *I went to school with Michelle a long time ago. My deepest Sympathy to you and your family.*

Winnie Pointe Dion - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ *Very Sorry for your loss, you and the girls are in my thoughts always..You are my Brother, I love you guys with all my heart.*

T Bone. - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you and your family.*

Jeremy & Kristina Jankowsky - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

FR

“ Our sympathy to you and your family. Our prayers are with you all.

Frank & Mary Reinthaler - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Jerry, we are so sorry. We will keep you in our prayers at this difficult time.

Jack and Norma Craig - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ I went to high school with Michelle and Dennis. I always remember Michelle as a vibrant, beautiful girl. I know she is that and more now as a guardian angel for her children, family and friends. No words can ever be enough to express how sad I was to hear of Michelle's passing. Only time will help to soften the pain, leaving the good memories to cherish. My thought and prayers are with everyone who loved Michelle. She will truly be missed and remembered for the beautiful person she was.

Shelly Latshaw - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Jerry, No words can describe the pain we feel for you. If EVER there is ANYTHING we can do for you please don't hesitate. We are so sorry for your loss. Love, Kirk and Sharon

sharon masters - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ Our prayers are with all of you. The Rize's

Sherry Rize - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ *Our deepest condolences to you and your family. god bless*

sherry & mike Jacobs - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM