



Carla Jane Jones

October 28, 1958 - March 7, 2014

Carla Jane Jones, 55, of Charlotte, passed away on March 7, 2014 following a lengthy battle with cancer. She was born on October 28, 1958 to her parents, Enos and R. Lorraine (Edwards) Starkweather in Charlotte, MI. She attended Charlotte High School, graduating in 1976. On June 19, 1976, she married Garry Jones and together they raised two beautiful daughters, Mikki and Misti. Carla worked at the Charlotte Chair Company, Jones Country Store and the Movie Market. Carla loved being busy at home with numerous craft and decorating projects. She created many stained glass pieces of varying designs for her family and friends. She could walk through a craft show and recreate nearly anything she saw when she got home. She was extremely proud of her family, especially her husband Garry and her daughters, Mikki and Misti. She loved family gatherings and reunions where she would bring her famous chocolate balls or gourmet macaroni and cheese. Carla is survived by her husband, Garry; daughters, Mikki (Timothy) Carter and Misti (Eric) Arquette; sisters, Carol (Scott) Pruden and Cathy Starkweather; brothers, Larry Starkweather and Dan (Patty) Starkweather; bugaboos, Austin, Tyler, Ali, Savie, Kayne, Madi, Owen and Liam Mo; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents. Visitation will be held Saturday, March 15, 2014 from 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm at Pray Funeral Home, Inc., Charlotte, Michigan. A Memorial Celebration will follow at 4:00 pm at the Pray Funeral Home, with Pastor Charles Jenson, officiating. Memorials are suggested to the family. Family and friends are encouraged to share

remembrances and condolences online in Carla's Book of Memories at www.prayfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Carla Jane Jones*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - March 07, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ *Oh mamma today was such a beautiful day, it's finally feeling like spring. We were outside doing alot of yard work, you would of loved it, you always loved being outside. I knew you were watching us and smiling, I could feel it. It still doesn't seem real to me, I miss you so much. â™¥U:)*

Mikki - March 30, 2014 at 06:35 PM

CP

“ Growing up as a twin, was not always easy...but sometimes fun! I remember Carla going to speech class for me in second grade....of course we got caught...She said her R's alot better than me...We had alot of great times when we were young, going to the roller rink most weekends, a few double dates .., and when we got older playing cards almost every weekend when our little ones were growing up... The one thing we never did was trick our boyfriends....I don't know why we didn't , but that would of been funny. :) We grew up in a loving family and never had too much, but always had enough...Dad made sure of it... I am so thankful to God for my twin sister and I know He is taking care of her right now...she will always be in my heart, and I will see her again someday...

Carol Pruden - March 29, 2014 at 07:35 PM

MI

“ Carla was not just my mom but also my hero/best friend. I would always tell her to smile and she would say, you make me smile. Oh momma I miss your smile so much.â™¥

Mikki - March 28, 2014 at 10:51 PM

SJ

“ Those we love don't go away, They walk beside us every day, unseen, unheard, but always near, still loved, still missed and very dear." Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, love leaves a memory no one can steal. You're forever in our thoughts and hearts Aunt Carla, we love and miss you.



Shannon, Jim, James, and Jon - March 14, 2014 at 12:24 PM

TC

“ I'll never forget the endless hours we used to hang out together in your backyard... competing as gymnasts:), cheerleaders, golfers and dancers, and all the fun we used to have. Your family was like my second family back then... and I thank you all for those treasured memories! May you rest in peace, knowing you were loved by so many.

Terri Cicorelli - March 12, 2014 at 12:01 PM

JH

“ Carla has been a member of our family for many years. My brother Garry brought her into our family and we are forever grateful. Through the years, we have witnessed her steadfastness, her committment, her strength, and her loving ways. We take comfort in knowing that she is with our Heavenly Father...free from pain....and watching over us from above. We will always feel your presence, Carla...and you will always remain a part of our family...never forgotten. Heaven has a very special angel...we love you...always and forever. Joyce Ann

Joyce Hotchkiss - March 11, 2014 at 07:27 PM

AT

“ Perhaps they are not Stars, but rather openings in Heaven where the Love of our lost ones pours through & Shines down upon us to let us know they are Happy... Our Thoughts & Prayers are for all of you.

Aunt Donna & Uncle Terry - March 11, 2014 at 02:41 PM

SM

“ I am so blessed to have a cousin like Carla. Loving wife, mother, grandmother . I hope one day that Carla will be waiting for us at the pearly gates of heaven. Miss you Carla

Sandra Mann - March 10, 2014 at 03:50 PM

BE

“ *Mikki, So sorry to learn of your Mom's passing. My condolence' s to all of your family. Thinking of you. B*

Becca - March 10, 2014 at 09:41 AM

BW

“ *RIP Carla. Condolences to the family and friends.*

Bill & Joyce Welch - March 09, 2014 at 09:25 PM