



Lorrie Lou (Leutscher) Ornelas

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Mrs. Lorrie Lou (Leutscher) Ornelas, age 68, passed away Tuesday, February 28, 2012 at Harbor Hospice Poppen Residence. She was born July 10, 1943 in Watsonville, CA, to Louis and Josephine (Lieffers) Leutscher and lived in the area most of her life. She was married to Dominic M. Ornelas and he preceded her in death in 1992. Lorrie was the owner and operator of Lorrie's Leading Lady Clothing Apparel for 14 years and had also worked for Doo Drop Inn Restaurant. Lorrie was a former Big Red Band Parent for many years. SURVIVORS include her children, Dominique "Nickey" Ornelas, Anthony Ornelas of Grand Rapids, Annette Ornelas of Muskegon; her mother, Josephine Leutscher; her sister, Linna Durga of Whitehall; honorary grandchildren, the Denslow kids; several nieces and nephews; and close friends, Geri Denslow, Dennis Snider, Chris Adams, and Cheryl Hopkins. Along with her husband, she was also preceded in death by her father, Louis Leutscher, and her brother, Bradley Leutscher. A MEMORIAL SERVICE will be held 1:00 PM Wednesday, March 7, 2012 at The Lee Chapel, 6291 S. Harvey Street, (231) 798-1100. VISITATION will be held one hour prior to the service, 12-1 PM Wednesday. In lieu of flowers, please consider donations in Lorrie's memory to Living with Cancer Support Group through Mercy Health Partner's Hackley Campus or Muskegon Big Reds Band Association.



Events

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Visitation

 **Wednesday**, March 7, 2012

 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM ET

 **Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services - The Lee Chapel**

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Memorial Service

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Jeanette Umlor posted:

I didn't know Lorrie for very long but will always remember her a ray of sunshine where ever she went she will be sadly missed. Jeanette Umlor

March 7 at 7:20 AM



Meredith Bond posted:

Remembering a lady who was a great friend to my mother, Wilma Bond, my father, Bill and to our whole family. Especially appreciate all her assistance with my parents 50th wedding anniversary and with Wilma's 80th birthday celebration at Doo Drop. Her backyard parties and her trips to see Broadway shows brought a lot of joy into many, many people's lives. We love you, Lorrie. Rest in Peace.

March 6 at 7:45 AM



Dick Ross posted:

We had the pleasure of working with Lorrie at Doo Drop for many years, It was a joy and a honor to be around Her. Our condolences to Her children. She will be missed very much. Dick & Sandy Ross

March 6 at 5:19 AM



Harbor Hospice posted:

We send our sincere sympathy to your family. We are here to support you in your time of loss – today and for as long as you need us. – The Staff of Harbor Hospice.

March 6 at 4:39 AM



Don, Bill And Patti sent a Gracious Lavender Basket to the Ornelas family.



March 5 at 3:34 PM



Deborah Demyers March 8 at 8:08 PM

FROM THE ROSEWOOD STAFF SHE WILL BE MISS DEARLY WITH HER PRETTY. SMILE LOVE ALWAYS DEBORAH,(B.K.A.) BIG MAMA, SUSAN, MATT, JUDY THE NURSE. FROM ROSEWOOD MAY GOD BLESS AND LOVE THE FAMILY. BE BLESS.



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JL

Joyce (Rollins) Leroux posted:

I have fond memories of when our families lived across the street from each other on Kampenga St. in east Muskegon. Lorrie and my sister Pam were very good friends. Louis would be home on leave from the service at Christmas time and he would bring Lorrie across the street so she and Pam could exchange gifts. He was a very nice man. I also remember Jo, Linna and Brad. Lorrie was a very lovely person and was loved by many people. I will miss not seeing her occasionally around town and reminiscing. My sympathy to Lorrie's family. Joyce (Rollins) LeRoux

March 5 at 6:36 AM

JE

Joann Ensign posted:

Remembering a very sweet lady, excellent cook and an all-around great friend. I will never forget you or all of your wonderful courtyard parties. Give Brad a big hug from me. Until we meet again, your friend JoAnn Ensign

March 5 at 5:04 AM

BH

Barbi Hellman March 7 at 6:18 AM

So many memories but the one that stands out the most is the junior high bus trip to Chicago. She never let me forget it and I won't forget the good care and concern she gave me that day. She will always be remembered for the helpful wonderful woman that she was. Love to you Barbi Hellman

CL

Chris Lawrence posted:

I'll always remember going down to Chicago as a kid to watch the Cubs with my dad and "Lorrie O." Lorrie was such a special soul, who brought so much wonderful joy to this world. Rest in peace Lorrie.

March 5 at 3:14 AM

GE

Gina Marie Edlund posted:

We were saddened to hear about the passing of Lorrie (Mrs. Ornelas). We spent many good times with her, and enjoyed visiting and shopping in her dress shop. We enjoyed many trips to Chicago with her. She was a wonderful caterer and I enjoyed having her cater my graduation party years ago. We are thinking of Nikki, Tony and Annette during this difficult time and we are sending you our thoughts and prayers. Love, the Edlunds. Sally, Tony and Gina.

March 4 at 3:43 PM



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MB

Marie Britton posted:

Wow, it has been so many years since I have seen any of the Ornelas family but still feel compelled to create a post. I remember as a Big Red Band member how much time Mrs. Ornelas donated as a Big Red band parent. She was very involved. She was fun and had a beautiful smile but yet there was something about her that told you she also meant business. :) A great combination for dealing with a bunch of kids. After graduation she catered the food at my wedding and everyone was so complimentary of her services. She did so many things with class. My prayers to the family. Marie Britton, MHS c/o 1984

March 4 at 6:55 AM

DB

Diane Dault Burnett posted:

Dear Nickey and Tony, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your wonderful mother. I have some great memories of her. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Diane Dault Burnett

March 4 at 4:04 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Lorrie by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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