



Marirose Hiestand

November 10, 1964 - August 9, 2010

On August 9th, our beloved Rose lost her short, but courageous battle, with cancer Marirose "Rose" (nee Isla) Hiestand, age 45, of Valparaiso, passed away in St. Mary Medical Center, Hobart, IN, on Monday, August 9, 2010.

Rose graduated from Andean High School in 1982 and IUN with an Associates Degree in Allied Health , she was a registered mammographer and current clinical instructor for IUN, member of Church of Four Seasons United Methodist Church, Boone Grove Middle School Dance Coach and Dance Mom Extraordinaire.

She was preceded in death by her grandmother Filipina Dulay and grandfather, Irineo Dulay, grandma, Rosenda Isla , grandpa Francisco Isla, and nephew Joseph O'Grady.

Rose is survived by her beloved daughters, Summer Hiestand, Jessica Hiestand and spouse, Joseph O. Hiestand, parents, Tito & Chita Isla, sister, Maria T."Tess" (Tom) O'Grady , brother Roy J. (Lorna) Isla, father-in-law & mother-in-law, David (Penny) Hiestand, brother-in-law David (Kate McDonald) Hiestand, sister-in-law Martha (Pat) Doyle, 11 cherished nieces & nephews and many loved uncles, aunties, cousins and treasured friends.

Rose had an infectious sparkling smile and was a friend to all she met. Rose's passion in life was her daughters and family. Rose was actively involved with her girls activities, especially anything dance or arts related.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, August 11, 2010 6:00 pm at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. with Rev. Chris Nunley, officiating. Friends may visit with the family on Wednesday from 2 to 6 pm (time of service). In lieu of flowers, Rose requested donations be made for her daughters continued education and dance studies.www.burnsfuneral.com

Tribute Wall



“ I am an RN at U of C and I found myself privledged to take care of such a wonderful person. She was kind and fun. And she talked about her girls non-stop. It was an honor to take care of Rose. Many prayers and thoughts to her family.##imported-begin##Roxanne Boyle##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathy for your loss.##imported-begin##MANNY AND ZENY LUYON##imported-end##

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“ Thank you for blessing our lives with the opportunity to meet you. We will never forget your friendly face and welcoming smile. You are dearly missed and heaven is a better place with you in it. Until we meet again.##imported-begin##Les and Anna Corkill##imported-end##

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