



# Luanne Varndell

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## **Luanne Varndell**

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**L**uanne "Lulu" Varndell (nee Gill), age 59, of Elyria, passed away Sunday morning January 15, 2012 at her home with her loving husband at her side following a two year illness.

Born November 30, 1952, in Elyria to Eloise Gill (nee Burtnett) and the late Gilbert Gill. She had resided in Elyria her whole life.

Lulu Graduated from Elyria High School in 1970, a member of the National Honor Society. She received her bachelor's in education from Bowling Green State University before receiving her masters in education from Kent State University.

Mrs. Varndell retired in 2006 from Learwood Middle School, in Avon Lake after 32 years, where she was a librarian. She was a loving wife, caring stepmother and madly in love with her dogs. Her passions included swimming, jogging, antiquing with her husband, reading, going on many cruises, and keeping close contact with her many friends.

Survivors include her husband of 26 years, Chris Varndell; her mother-in-law, MaryLou (Dale) Yost of Elyria, stepsons, Matt (Laurie) Varndell of Vermilion and Ryan (Betsy) Varndell of Wellington; grandchildren, Mason Rogozinski, Garrett, Gavin, Liam, Cole, and Zachery Varndell; brother, Charles (Debra) Gill of Myrtle Beach N.C.; sister, Cheryl Gill (John) Jeter of Russellville, KY and many nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be Tuesday from 1-3 and 5-8 PM at Bogner Family Funeral Home 36625 Center Ridge Rd, N. Ridgeville, where services will be held 10 AM Wednesday. Reverend Roger Loomis will officiate. Burial to follow at Ridge Hill Memorial Park, Amherst Township.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Friendship Animal Protective League, 8303 Murray Ridge Road, Elyria, OH 44035.





# Events

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## Visitation

 **Tuesday**, January 17, 2012


 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM ET


 **Bogner Family Funeral Home**  
36625 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville OH  
44039

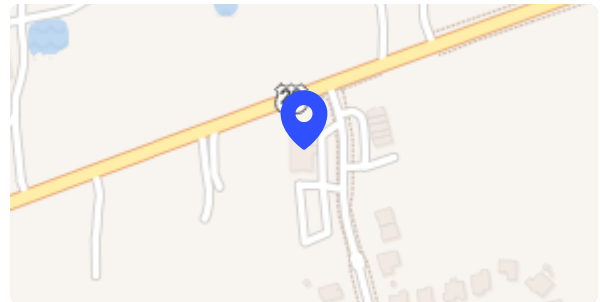


## Funeral Service

 **Wednesday**, January 18, 2012

 10:00 AM ET

 **Bogner Family Funeral Home**  
36625 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville OH  
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## Tribute Wall

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MF

**Mike And Kathy Reposky - Medina, Oh - Friend** posted:

Chris, We are so very sorry about your beloved Luanne. She was such a fun-loving person and a joy to be in her company. Her sense of humor and witty remarks always put a smile on our faces. She will be sorely missed. I pray God helps you through this trying time in your life. Her spirit will always be with you. You are in our prayers.

January 16 at 8:00 PM

BF

**Bob And Alvira Colbert - Mvhenry, Il - Uncle , Aunt And Friends** posted:

It is rare to find a woman like you Luanne, who is beautiful outwardly but also in her heart and soul. It is also rare to know a couple who are so much in love and enjoy each other so much as you and Chris do Luanne. We are so grateful that we were able to spend time with you both at the family reunion in 2010 and during your visit with us last year, when we were able to take the boat ride on Lake Geneva, Wisc. We believe you and Chris personally know our Lord Jesus Christ and we look forward to many more times of fellowship and sharing when we get together again in Heaven. LOVE YOU BOTH Bob and Alvira

January 16 at 8:00 PM

GF

**George & Diane Shupp - North Ridgeville, Oh - Friend** posted:

Chris: We were deeply grieved to learn of Luanne's death. She was a sweet and smart woman, well loved and admired, she will be missed very much, we know especially by you. It is easy to find a woman, but to find that one special woman to make your wife is another thing altogether. Your sorrow is shared by everyone who knew her. We send our love and heartfelt sympathy to you and all the family.

January 16 at 8:00 PM

J1

**Judy Adam - Lorain, Oh - Classmate (Ehs 1970)** posted:

Dear Chris, I am so sorry for the loss of your loving wife. I will keep you & your family in my prayers during this most difficult time in your life. I just spoke w/ Lonnie, your cousin, and she'd told me of LuLu's illness. I know how difficult and emotionally painful this is because I lost my father the day before my birthday this past May (5/19/2011). LuLu is no longer suffering and she's now in heaven with a new body, a perfect body with our Savior. God will be with you along with your loving family and friends as you now begin to heal your hurting heart. Your friend, Judy Adam

January 16 at 8:00 PM



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TC

**Tom Wissinger - Amherst, Oh - Friend Of Chris** posted:

Sorry for your loss. Your family is in our prayers

January 16 at 8:00 PM

MO

**Matt And Laurie - Amherst, Oh - Dad** posted:

Dear Dad, We are so very sorry that you have lost the love of your life, your partner, and your best friend but now she is in heaven looking down upon us. Remember that we are here for you day and night and love you very much.

January 16 at 8:00 PM

DC

**Deanna (Dee) Mariol - Massillon, Oh - Friend Of Luanne's Sister Cheryl** posted:

My dear Cheryl and Amy~Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers as you rely on the assurance that Luanne is in Heaven with no more pain or suffering. With love and sympathy~

January 15 at 8:00 PM

ML

**Mary Springowski - Lorain, Oh** posted:

Dear Laurie and Matt, My deepest condolences on the loss of your mother. Please know that you're in my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time. UeU

January 15 at 8:00 PM

DI

**Denny And Debbie Middleton - Vermilion, Oh - Friend Of Son & Daughter In Law** posted:

We are so sorry for the loss of your mother... We will keep you and your family in our prayers...

January 15 at 8:00 PM

SF

**Susan Folino - Huron, Oh - Friend** posted:

Luanne you were such a good friend. Glad we connected from time to time through our friendship of 35 years. You were a special lady and friend and seeing the many friends you had showed you were a friend to keep. I know we will meet again and I know you will make all of us welcomed as we come to heaven.

January 14 at 8:00 PM



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**Tom And Kim Rollbuhler, Colton And Lexie - Woodstock, Ga - Sister-In-Law And Aunt** posted:

Luanne was a blessing to our lives with her soft soken and giving nature. She always had a smile on her face and was hard to beat at trivia pursuit. I am thankful for the joy she brought to my brother's life. They were inseperable. She will be truely missed, but I know she is wrapped in the arms of Jesus as the angels celebrate her arrival.

January 14 at 8:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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