



Irene Deitrick

March 22, 1951 - February 14, 2012

Irene Lovato Deitrick, age 60 of Ft. Collins, Colorado passed away peacefully after an 8 month battle with pancreatic cancer at home on Feb. 14, 2012 surrounded by her loved ones. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 am Monday, February 20th in the South Auditorium of Timberline Church, 2908 Timberline Road, Ft. Collins. Irene Lovato was born March 22, 1951 in Scottsbluff, Nebraska to Lloyd and Ruby Apodaca Lovato. She grew up in Lyman, NE and attended Laramie County Community College and lived formerly in Wyoming and Arizona prior to settling in Loveland in 1979. Her first marriage was to Danny Stillwell with whom she had three children. In August of 2000, she married Bob Deitrick and has lived in Fort Collins ever since. Irene had an iron will and unmatched drive when it came to her children; nothing was ever more important to her than them; but, that was until her grandchildren came along. Her love for her grandchildren was awe inspiring and a true life lesson for all that knew her. Her legacy is how she always put others first in her life. Irene worked formerly at McKee Medical Center in Loveland and has worked the past 22 years or so in Central Supply at Poudre Valley Hospital in Ft. Collins. She was an active member of Timberline Church in Ft. Collins where she participated with the Prime Timers and in some small Bible Study groups. Irene enjoyed softball and fishing and quilting and had a huge heart for, and helped many foster children. She had a strong faith, and an incredible love for the Lord and her family. She is survived by her husband, Bob; three children, Michelle (and Kenny) Bean of Ft. Collins, Jeff Stillwell of

New York, NY and Eddie (and Annika) Stillwell of Mount Dora, FL; five grandchildren, Scott, Brody, McKhenna and Sawyer Bean and Syllas Stillwell; 11 brothers and sisters; and three step-children, Dawn (and Ty) Powell of Windsor, CO, Zachary (and Paulina) Deitrick of Ft. Collins and Rusty (and Athena) Deitrick of Seattle, WA. Irene's family requests that any memorial donations please be made to The Pancreatic Cancer Action Network at www.pancan.org or in care of Goes Funeral Care, 3665 Canal Drive, Suite E, Ft. Collins, CO 80524.

Tribute Wall



“ *Irene Deitrick*

October 25, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *Irene was a great teacher who trained me with the new computer system for ordering items from Central Supply.
So patient with me.
I will miss her dearly.
Sincerely,
Marlene*

Marlene Sheehan - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Irene was supportive of me when my husband, Brad Wojciechowski passed away in September, 2003. She signed his memory book with:
"Brad, Your life will be always remembered because of your freedom to share the spirit that lives within. Your walk with the Lord gave many a strength & hope you may never have been aware of. The Lord rejoices upon your arrival in His kingdom, the angles sing praises. Your at peace, enternal peace."
Thanks Irene and will you please tell Brad "hi" from me.
You will be missed! Bea*

Bea Bryant - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ It was an honor to know Irene and have her as a Sister in the Lord. She was such a caring, loving Christian lady and will be sorely missed by her family and friends. They/we can be assured that she is safe and healthy, happy and strong, living in Heaven now with God and Jesus and looking down on those she loved and continuing to love them. May God bless and comfort all her loved ones and give them peace.

Jan Schlotzhauer - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

ZA

“ Irene was a very loving, caring woman and I am extremely happy to have know and loved her. I know I am not the only one that is wondering why the lord took her at such a young age. The only comfort from this is to know that a were all lucky to have known Irene and to have had her as long as we did. I am deeply saddened to have lost her from life and will not forget her. We love you Irene and will miss you sorely

Zach - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ TO MICHELLE AND FAMILY,

YOUR MOTHER'S LIFE WAS SO ENRICHED BY HER FAMILY AND FRIENDS. OUR PASTOR RECENTLY PREACHED ABOUT HOW AS BELIEVERS IN CHRIST DEATH HAS NO STING. ETERNALLY WITH OUR HEAVENLY FATHER IS SOMETHING WE CAN HOLD ONTO AND CHERISH. HE NOW, HAS ONE OF HIS PRECIOUS LAMBS IN HIS ARMS.

MATTHEW 28:20 JESUS' LAST WORDS BEFORE HE WENT TO SIT BESIDE HIS FATHER WAS:

"AND SURELY I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS, TO THE VERY END OF THE AGE." MAY THIS PROMISE COMFORT YOU, KNOWING HE IS HOLDING YOU AS WELL.

BARB HERMSEN - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ *We met at a Timberline Primetimers August Christmas 2009. Irene's joy and love for God and others was so very impacting to me as I was living in Peru at the time. She gave me a most beautiful leather book entitled Prayers that avail much by Germaine Copeland. This prayer book has been an inspiration as it encouraged and blessed me from the highlands of Peru (over 12,500 ft) to the jungles of Peru. And, now this memory of such a brave, beautiful woman is still a part of my life. Dear family, may Our Lord give you comfort at this time. May He grant you peace and encouragement. Our prayers are for you.*

Phyllis & Gwen Kovac - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ Wonderful service for Irene, I am so glad that we could make it up from Arizona to share. Thank you all for the wonderful caregiving for Irene. Now Bob needs all of our support. Rest in Peace, Irene. Thank you Caring Bridge.org for keeping us in touch.

Linda Torgerson Gonzales - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CP

“ Irene was a remarkable lady and I felt privileged to know her and her awesome family. I will miss her but look forward to some day on the other side of eternity to be able to see her again.

Welcome home, sister. Your ship has arrived.

Ciesielski, Paul - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

FM

“ I was so sorry to learn of Irene's passing, she was a very close friend to my sister years ago. Her loving and caring friendship meant a lot to my sister and to me. I thank God for the time we had with her years ago while attending Elementary and High School. I am also thankful to have seen her again during the last class reunion. My prayers go out to all her friends and family. Irene, you will be sorely missed.

Frances Ojeda Molina - February 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM