



DeLaine (Wichman) Rein

September 8, 2005

Rein DeLaine D. Rein (nee Wichman), age 61, of Brooklyn Park, passed to her Lord on Sept. 6, 2005 after a courageous battle with cancer. Preceded in death by parents, Roy & Velma and sister, Dorene Radel. Survived by husband, Gil & his children, Ann (Peter) Bulson, Thomas (Patricia) Rein; 6 grandchildren; brothers, Dean (Marlene), Dennis (Sandra) and Darold; and by many loving nieces, nephews and special friends. Memorial service Saturday, Sept. 10 at 10:45 AM at Spirit of Hope United Methodist Church, 7600 Harold Ave., Golden Valley, with visitation 9:30 AM until time of service at the church. Private interment Fort Snelling. Memorials preferred to the church or to the Hubert H. Humphrey Cancer Center. A special thanks to North Memorial Hospice for their care and kindness. Washburn-McReavy Robbinsdale Chapel 763-537-2333

Tribute Wall

AN

“ Remembering you on your birthday precious Dee. I look forward to the day we can worship our Lord and King Jesus together!

~

Angie,

from the Mountains, Wyoming

Angie - January 30, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Happy 68th birthday Monday the 30th. Life is not the same without you here, but I'm thankful you are with our Savior without pain or suffering. I look to see you again and laugh and play for always. I love you. -Jan

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - January 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ Hi Dee, I think about you often and I know one day I will see you againLove, Esther

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Esther Natt - September 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Hi Dee, Thinking of you and missing you,we went to see you Monday although we knew you weren't there.One day soon the Lord will come and we will all be together again..Love you much...Rosie

~

Rosemary Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosemary Fosseen - September 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ *Dee, Remembering and missing you dearly. I rejoice you are worshipping Our King, Jesus! Love always, Angie*

~

Angie,

from the Mountains, Wyoming

Angie - September 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Hi, Dee. Six years ago you took your journey to Jesus and it seems like yesterday and forever, all at the same time. Yellow roses are coming your way on Monday, a gesture to let others know how much you are loved and missed. Til I see you again, I will miss you always...Love, Jan.*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Mpls, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - September 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Hi Dee, Went to see you Sunday. I know you aren't there but are enjoying the presence of God. I miss you and love you always...Love, Rosie*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - September 07, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AN

“ Hi Dee!Thinking of you and missing you so much. I long to see your beautiful smile and how your eyes would light up! As time keeps passing, your friendship means more and more. You will never be forgottenAll my love,Angie

~

Angie,

from the Mountains, Wyoming

Angie - September 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hi sweet Dee. I can't believe it's been 5 years since you went to heaven. Seems like yesterday and forever. I know you're doing great and enjoying the Lord's presence....I miss you and will always....I love you... Jan

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - September 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AN

“Happy birthday Dee. I praise the Lord you are experiencing THE most wonderful gift, walking with Jesus in Heaven! Your life was such a beautiful and wonderful testimony of HIS love, HIS Mercy, and HIS Grace. What a precious light you will always be. Shalom

~

Angie,

Wyoming

Angie - January 30, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Hi Dee,Happy Birthday in heaven with Jesus.I know you are having a wonderful time.I miss you and will love you always.Rosie*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - January 30, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hi Dee and happy 66th birthday tomorrow in heaven. I miss you for always and can't wait to see you again.....Love eternally, Jan.

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - January 29, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Dee, I know you are in heaven and having a blast but I miss you here. I look forward to seeing you again soon. Love always, Rosie*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - September 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee: It's 4 years ago in 4 1/2 hrs that you went to be with the Lord. It's hard to believe you've been gone from us that long, but I'm sure it feels like just yesterday in heaven. I miss you every day. It's not the same without you. Enjoy heaven...I know you're saving a place for me. Love always....Jan*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Mpls, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hey Dee: Happy 65th birthday next Tuesday, the 30th....I know you're enjoying heaven with Jesus but I will always miss you....-Jan

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - January 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Dee, I think of you and miss you everyday. You are in my heart always..Rosie*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - September 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ *Deel think about you all the time. I miss you. I will never forget you or our friendship Love, Esther*

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Contact Me

Esther Natt - September 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - three years ago our hearts were broken, but your heart became complete. Love, Rev. Jean Halvorson*

~

Jean Halvorson,

Columbia Heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - September 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dearest Dee: It's been three years since you went to be with Jesus in heaven....I know you're doing well and enjoying His presence....I miss yours here... You're never forgotten...Much love eternally...Jan.*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Mpls, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - September 05, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *My dearest Dee: Happy 64th birthday today...It's your 3rd birthday in heaven and I'll bet you're enjoying it with "all flags flying".....I miss you all the time....Much love always....Jan.*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - January 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MF

“Dee, I miss you so much at work. I still talk to you now and then - of course when no one is listening. I'm still doing some of the reports that we set up years ago. You were so wise and so on top of things at work. I have no idea how many months it's been - I just know that there is a hole at work - I can't fill. Clara moved away, Tina isn't working here anymore - I have to go on. I never thought I'd be writing to you more than two years later. Oh well. I talk to my Mom and Dad and Arvid too. I know you are singing and dancing and having a good time. Someday I will too. Love, Martha

~

Martha Fairley,

Champlin, Minnesota

Contact Me

Martha Fairley - December 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Dee, We just celebrated Thanksgiving and I am thankful for the blessing of having you for a friend. My love always...Rosie*

~

Rosemary Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosemary Fosseen - November 27, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *It's Thanksgiving week now and I miss you more than ever....I'm thankful to having had you as a dear friend for so long...What a gift you are....Love you always, Jan.*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - November 19, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ September 6th will be 2 years gone from 2 who miss you. 2 know Christis 2 know you are safe and in His view. You're never forgotten - your absence we feel, but for 2 years now, you've been totally healed. Love, Jan and Jean Halvorson

~

Jean Halvorson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - September 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Hi Dee, Here it is two years since seeing you. I miss you always and look forward to seeing you again.Love you always...Rosie

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - August 31, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hi Dee.... Next week is two years since you went to heaven and I miss you more than ever. As Deb and I will be in NYC having fun (like you said to), I thought I'd say "hi" now to say you're always in my heart....Much love...See you again to laugh and play.....Jan

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - August 30, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - Since tomorrow is Valentine's Day, on behalf of Jan and I, Dee was a valentine to so many people and her fragrance lingers here. Love, Jean*

~

jean halverson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

jean halverson - February 13, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Ground Hog's Day is tomorrow and Dee no longer has to check for shadows. She lives in full light. Dee - enjoy your eternal day in the Son. Love, Jean*

~

Jean Halvorson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - January 31, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Happy Birthday, Dee. One day we will be able to celebrate together. Until then, I celebrate my memories of you and our friendship. With much love...Rosie*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - January 31, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Happy 63rd birthday, Dee. I know you're celebrating in heaven with Jesus and I'm sure it's a blast. I'm wearing your clown pins today to mark the day. I miss you always!!!! Love lives forever.

~

Jan Halvorson,

Mpls, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - January 30, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Hi Dee, Thinking about you and missing you as usual. I know you are loving it in heaven but I miss you and will love you always. Rosie

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - January 11, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Howdy Dee: Another year without you here. Picture a sad me..... I know you're doing good in heaven and I'm so glad for that. Nothing seems the same without you. Just wanted to say "hi". Love forever,*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Mpls, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - January 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Hi,Dee.Here it is 15 months and I miss you as much as ever. Love you forever.

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - December 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ *Hi Dee, It is almost Thanksgiving and I am so thankful to have been your friend. I miss you*

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Esther Natt - November 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Hi Dee, Here it is another month without you. I miss you but am thankful that you are now well. Miss you and love you always.

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - November 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - November is the month of Thanksgiving and there is not a day goes by that I am not thankful for knowing you. I miss you. Love, Jean*

~

Jean Halvorson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - November 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hey Dee. Here it is 14 months after you left for heaven. I was trying to think what it's like for you in heaven. I know you're doing great and enjoying the presence of the Lord. I'm glad you're doing good but I miss you and always will.

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - November 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Dee, Each day as I go through pictures and see things you gave me I miss you so much. You were a real friend I will never forget. Love you forever.*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - October 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ 13 months - 13 is a baker's dozen. When I think of Dee, I think of coffee, so naturally I think of doughnuts. Then I think of the twinkle in her eyes. She made the coffee and doughnuts meaningful and she'll never be forgotten. I'm glad she's safe at home with Jesus. He gave her the twinkle in the first place. Love, Jean

~

Jean Halvorson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - October 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hey, Dee. It's been 13 months now...you fought for 13 months and now you've been gone for 13 months. I miss you but I know you're doing great... Love, Jan.

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - October 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hi Dee: Though you've been safe in heaven now for a year, it's been hard adjusting to life without you here. I can't imagine ever adjusting. You're always in my heart..... some day we will again laugh and play.....I miss you terribly....Love forever.....Jan.

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - September 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - One year ago you were lost to sight, but not to heart. You'll live forever there. Love, Jean*

~

Jean Halvorson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - September 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ Hi Dee,

It is almost a year. I miss you but I know we will see each other again. Love, Esther

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Contact Me

Esther Natt - September 03, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Hi Dee, Here it is almost a year since I've seen you. I miss you every day and will never forget you.*

Love, Rosie

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - September 02, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee- Eleven in heaven brings music to my ears. Knowing God has you, helps wipe away tears. Eleven in heaven, an eternal sound. Eleven months cannot convey what peace and joy you've found. Miss you. Love, Jean*

~

Jean Halvorson,

Columbia Heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - August 11, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ Hi Dee,

Its been 11 months since you walked into the arms of Jesus. I miss the way you always made me laugh, Esther

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Contact Me

Esther Natt - August 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Well, Dee, here it is 11 months now that you've be with Jesus. It's gone so fast yet it seems like forever as well. I know you're in the Best hands ever now.....I'll miss you forever..... Love, Jan.

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - August 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee: It's hard to believe it's 10 months since I could say "hi" or give you a hug.... I'm sure you're basking in God's love....I miss you always.....Love, Jan.*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - July 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - It is 10 months you've been gone. I think of the 10 commandments and how "love" is in the definition of the greatest commandment, but when it comes to you, it is a privilege to love you
and to know you are being loved in eternity. Love, Jean*

~

Jean Halvorson,

Columbia Heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - July 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - 9 months reminds me of birth - what has been borne of losing you? Eternity will tell, but I'm sure lives are looking to Christ, since you're looking at Him now. Love you always, Jean*

~

Jean Halvorson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - June 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ Hi Dee,

I miss that great sense of humor and laugh. Its baseball season and I miss our talks. I love you and I know we will meet again

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Contact Me

Esther Natt - June 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Hi Dee: Tomorrow's nine months since you've been in heaven. It's hard to believe I can't talk to you til I get there. Until I see you again....much love.....Jan*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - June 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - In the eight months since you've been gone, you've grown even more precious. We knew we had a gem; now you are part of Christ's crown. Love, Jean*

~

Jean Halvorson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - May 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *My dear Dee: It's 8 months tomorrow since you left for heaven.... There isn't a day that I don't think of you and wish you were here. I'll love you forever.....Jan*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - May 05, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ *Dee,*

It has been seven months since you walked into the hands of our Lord. I miss you but I know one day we will see each other again.

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Contact Me

Esther Natt - April 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - Today is 7 months since you slipped into the hands of Jesus. 7 is God's number and I think of the completeness of His love for you and through you. May your testimony continue to shine here, so all will remember the Christ you adored. Love, Jean*

~

jean halverson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

jean halverson - April 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hi Dee...It's me....it's 7 months today that you went to Jesus. I'm sure it seems like a second to you. It seems like a lifetime to me. I miss you.....Love

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - April 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Dee: it is six whole months since you went to heaven and I miss you so much. I can't wait to see you again. All my love, Rosie.*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - March 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“Gee, Dee, six months ago today you left here...I suppose time goes much different in heaven. It still doesn't seem possible that you're not coming back here...missing you every day....Love....Jan

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - March 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - It's been six months today.
Six is the number of man, but you
have transcended our numbers and times and have entered forever.
We will love you forever.
Love, Jean*

~

jean halverson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

jean halverson - March 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Hi Dee,

I have been thinking about you a lot. I've meant to drop in and say hi, so now is the time. I am so happy for you. Your pain is gone. Another friend of ours has lost her battle to colon cancer. Her name is Darleen. She lived in the same building as we did in uptown. We kept in contact with her. Her nephew called us and we will attend her funeral on Sunday. Well Dee, I am glad you are receiving the blessings of the Lord. We think of you often.

Karen

~

Karen Steinhaus,

Brooklyn Center, Minnesota

Karen Steinhaus - February 10, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ *Dear Dee: I had an 86 with Orv today down in Orlando. I know you were watching me. I follow your instructions. Love You: Gil*

~

Gil Rein,

Brooklyn Park, Minnesota

Gil Rein - February 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - Five months yesterday our precious gem was placed into the crown of God's eternity. I know you just shine His love there, too. I miss you and I'm trying to comfort that other gem here - my sister Jan. Love, Jean*

~

jean halverson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

jean halverson - February 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ *Dee, I have been thinking about you alot and miss your smile. I will never forget you.*

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Esther Natt - February 07, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Well, Dee, it's five months since you went to heaven already....or maybe it seems like forever. Missing you every day and always.....Jan

~

Jan Halvorson,

Mpls, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - February 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - On what would have been your 62nd birthday, I'm thinking of the party you're at:
Jesus is the Sweet Savor Offering - no cake could be better;
Jesus is the Light of the World, no
one holds a candle to Him;
Jesus is ageless - you celebrate true life, not years.
Happy Birthday party with the One who gave you life here and more importantly, life eternal. I miss you at our table. Love, Jean*

~

jean halverson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

jean halverson - January 30, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Howdy Dee: It's your 62nd birthday today and you would have retired. Though it didn't go the way we wanted, I'm glad you're pain free and safe in heaven with Jesus. Know that you are loved more than you ever realized in your lifetime.....and I realize you are more alive now than you were here. I'll always miss you and never will I adjust to your not being here. Eternal love.....Jan.

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - January 30, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *My dear friend, Dee: today's four months you've be in the presence of the Saviour and I'm sure you're having a great time. I know you'd say to be my best, do my best and help others, and so I will continue. Christmas Eve wasn't the same, neither was the new year or your upcoming birthday, but that's what love does;it changes you forever...just like you changed me. Oceans of love....Jan.*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - January 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - Today is 4 months since you've been gone from us. I look
4ward to the One who received you and am glad that eternal love
came
4 you. I miss you. Love, Jean*

~

jean halverson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

jean halverson - January 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Dear Dee: It was so sad during the Xmas holiday not to have a present for you under my tree. I miss you, my friend. Even though I just write this note once a month, I think of you every single day and wish I could share my thoughts with you, as we had done for over 25 years. 2005 was a tough year. On August 29th Katrina destroyed our State and on Sept 6th you left us for a better place, which I am grateful. I didn't want you to suffer any longer. Keep your eyes on me, my friend, from up above. Love you. Lou

~

Lou Brierley,

Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Lou Brierley - January 06, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ *Dear Dee: Almost four months has pasted since you left us. You greatly enhanced my life. It is extremely difficult without you here. I will always love my skydiver and golfer. Your Husband-Gil*

~

Gilmore Rein,

Brooklyn Park, Minnesota

Gilmore Rein - January 04, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee - At this Christmastime, I'm going to think about what you left, not what we lost. Your eternal peace exceeds the piece we are missing from you, but you are always loved and missed. Love, Jean*

~

jean halverson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

jean halverson - December 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Hi Dee: Here it is our first Christmas without you. I know this is your best one ever, but there is a big hole in mine. All my love. -Rosie*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ Gil I am sorry to hear of your lose. I never got to know or meet ya all but wish I had. I remember talking to her on the phone and remember how friendly she was. I stumbled across the news today and want to send my condolences.

~

Jeff Jahn,

Enterprise, Kansas

Contact Me

Jeff Jahn - December 16, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Hey Dee: Today's three months since you went to heaven and I wonder what you're up to? I'm down here missing you every day and can't wait to see you again. Love for always.....Jan

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - December 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Dear Dee: Today marks the 3rd month of your passing. I miss you, my friend. This Thanksgiving you were on my mind and I was thankful for have had the chance of having you as my friend for over 25 years, I was thankful for had had the chance of knowing you were always there when I needed you but I was not thankful for not having you around any more. I still think about calling you when something happens to share it with you. I cannot call you anymore, sweet Dee, but I can talk to you every single day of my life and I always will. I am so greatful that you were my friend. Keep watching over me, as you always did. Love you

~

Lou Brierley,

Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Lou Brierley - December 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Tuesday is three months without you, Dee. Your smile will never fade, and the Christ that smiled through you will light the way.
You are missed very much. Love, Jean

~

Jean Halvorson,

Columbia Heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - December 05, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *Dear Sweet Dee:*

Two months have passed since you have been gone. I miss you, my dearest friend. I think of you everyday and I wish I could talk to you and hear your smile coming through the phone lines. Love you.

~

Lou Brierley,

Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Lou Brierley - November 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Gil - yesterday was two months since Dee was tucked in the arms of Christ and ushered home. It is still strange that she's not here, but what a legacy she left behind. She's forever found. Love, Jean

~

Jean Halvorson,

Columbia Heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - November 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PP

“ I had the honor and privilege of having a very special woman as my friend for 48 years. We shared our hopes & fears, joys & sorrows, mistakes and successes. Dee was always an inspiration. She was closer to me than my own sister, and considered by my parents as their third daughter. Every day there is something I want to tell her, or ask her about. So many memories - we did make memories. When I look around my home, I see items she chose for me for a special occasion, or just for fun. I see her pictures, alone and with Gil. Even when I work on a calculator I remember that it was Dee who taught me the best finger placement on the keys so that I could be more efficient, a seemingly small touch perhaps, but one that had a positive effect on my entire working life. Dee touched so many lives in a positive way and lived her life in a way we can all use as a model. There was so much love in her heart for her Lord, her family and her friends. Gil, she asked me to make sure to tell you that she loved you so much!! She was truly one of a kind and cannot be replaced!!

~

Polly Peterson,

Milford, Connecticut

Polly Peterson - October 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Gil - It's been one month today that Dee went to her reward. Since the Bible says "one day is as a thousand years and a thousand years is as a day", on heaven's side it is 30,000 years since she's been there, but here it is a moment. How we all miss her already, but I am glad to have known and loved her. She was a Dee-light to know.
Love, Jean

~

Jean Halvorson,

columbia heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - October 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Dee: It's been a month now since you went to heaven. I know you're happy and well but I miss you so much. Heaven will be sweeter when I see you again. Love always, Jan.*

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - October 06, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ Gil,

I am sorry to hear about Dee's passing. I know Dee from Church and AV, we met a few years back. She is a loving person, Very strong in her faith. It was a blessing that you came into her life! My thoughts and prayers are with you. I feel blessed to have shared this journey with her, and I know I will see her again someday.

~

Gwen LaCroix,

Mpls., Minnesota

Contact Me

Gwen LaCroix - September 14, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Gil - I am thinking of you and hoping you are doing okay.

Susan

~

Susan Woods,

Shoreview, Minnesota

Susan Woods - September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ I will miss you Dee. See you when I get home.

~

Darold Wichman,

Billings, Montana

Contact Me

Darold Wichman - September 09, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ *Dee was very special in our lives and our children's. She took a great interest in what was happening with each one. She will be missed very much. Our prayers are with Gil during this difficult time.*

Dee, we love ya dearly.

Marlene and Dean

~

Marlene and Dean Wichman,

Monticello, Minnesota

Contact Me

Marlene and Dean Wichman - September 09, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *Dear Gil and Dee's beloved family,
I will continue to hold you up in prayer. I know Dee took much
comfort from her faith, and I know our Lord is with each one of you
in this time of sorrow. May God bless you!*
Laura (McKesson Golden Valley)

~

Laura Dahl Popkes,

Grand Marais, Minnesota

Contact Me

Laura Dahl Popkes - September 09, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ Gil, Joanne and I were happy to have met Dee as she was a special person. Take care of yourself. Dean and Joanne Dallum.

~

Dean Dallum,

sun city, Arizona

Dean Dallum - September 09, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ I had a friend, Julie, who used to jump out of airplanes with her aunt. I could never imagine jumping out of an airplane with any of my aunts. I pictured her to be this wildly adventurous Amelia Earhart type. Years later I started working at Redline Health Care. There was a woman working there by the name of Dee Wichman. Sure enough she was Julie's aunt. However, she was nothing like I imagined. She was a petite, conservatively-dressed, professional woman with not a hair out of place. It was hard to imagine her jumping out of an airplane. I always enjoyed the updates she used to give me on her family. My sympathies to Julie and the rest of the family.

~

Lori Dick,

New Hope, Minnesota

Lori Dick - September 09, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *Gil-My prayers are with you as you go through this journey. Dee was a wonderful person and a joy to be with. I am very thankful to have known her. In Christ's love-Jeanne*

~

Jeanne minder chatterton,

shoreview, Minnesota

Jeanne minder chatterton - September 09, 2005 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *My dear sweet friend, Dee:*

The sister I never had. The person that was able to bring people together. The generous and courageous woman that had strong beliefs and convictions but that was the most non-judgemental person I ever met. That offered love and understanding to all. That always gave without expecting anything in return. The true friend. I will miss you so much, my friend.

~

Lou Brierley,

Hattiesburg, Mississippi

Contact Me

Lou Brierley - September 09, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ *Gil, it is with deep sadness and sorrow that we learned about Dee's passing. We know that you and Dee loved each other very much. Please know that you and your family are in our prayers daily during this most difficult time. May God bless Dee and you.*

~

Tom & Pam Jorgensen,

Omaha, Nebraska

Tom & Pam Jorgensen - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ No words can truly capture the great loss of Dee's Love, Kindness, Vitality, and Spirituality. She is the essence of goodness. She was a wonderful boss, who inspired loyalty and team spirit by her example. She was a good and dear friend to all. A friend who gave everyone a helping hand and fair chance.

May God bless her husband, family and friends and comfort you in this time of deep sadness.

~

Sandy Bennett,

Savage, Minnesota

Sandy Bennett - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CE

“ *Dee and I shared an unusual bond as we both were fighting cancer at the same time. She had a great outlook, even when chemo wasn't working. I sent her an angel named Clara months ago. She was given to me when I needed her. Dee said Clara was a great listener and took advantage of that many times. I'll miss out conversations. Dee was a special lady.*

~

Cheryl Perry Enos,

St. Michael, Minnesota

Cheryl Perry Enos - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ I am so sorry to hear of Dee's passing. I worked with Dee in Reimbursement Services at McKesson for 3 years. She was always in a joyful mood and loved talking about the grandkids with me when I would stop by to say hi. Dee, I'll always be your "curly haired girl running through a field." Gil and family: My prayers are with you during this time.

~

Tricia Carter,

Coon Rapids, Minnesota

Contact Me

Tricia Carter - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ I am so sorry to hear about Dee's passing. I worked with Dee at McKesson and I will always remember how patient she was with me when I'd ask for her help understanding the foreign language of Part B billing. But more than that, I'll remember what a kind person she was, and how amazed I was that she gave so much of her time to others through her volunteer activities. What a special person! My thoughts and prayers are with all of you right now.

~

Amy Kleinschmidt,

Eden Prairie, Minnesota

Amy Kleinschmidt - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Dee,

*I will always remember your love of life and your love for your family.
It was so special to see the joy you received from your
grandchildren. You will be remembered always.*

~

Tracy Whately,

Lino Lakes, Minnesota

Contact Me

Tracy Whately - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ *Dee was a wonderful person who thought the world of her grandchildren. She would bring in pictures to share and I would scan and print them for her so she could have them both at work and at home. She will be greatly missed!*

~

SuEllen Kennedy,

St. Paul, Minnesota

SuEllen Kennedy - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JV

“*Dee,
I'm going to miss all of our chats. The one that sticks with me the most was the loss of my little girl Robyn. I find it ironic, that it has been 7 years today that we laid her to rest and that I writing this. I'll never forget her or You!*

*Love,
John*

~

John Vanyo,

Lino Lakes, Minnesota

John Vanyo - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MR

“Dee was an extraordinary and wholly unique woman. I thoroughly enjoyed the time I worked with her as she taught and gave me so much. I will miss her professionalism but most of all I will miss her laughter and sense of optimism. My wife, Susan, perhaps paid her the best (and simpliest) compliment after learning of her passing - "She was always so nice and so kind to me."

~

Mike Raymond,

Bethel, Minnesota

Mike Raymond - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ *Dee was a special person who everytime you would walk by her office would flash a big smile and always have a kind word or words of encouragement. I will miss her stories of adventures,her marathons and how she would listen when things in our lives weren't goin well and give us hope. We are blessed to have known her.*

~

Sally Luskey,

Brooklyn Park, Minnesota

Contact Me

Sally Luskey - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *Gil and Family,*

Dee was an inspiration to me. Always was the one to say give it your best. I will miss her very much. I was blessed to have had her touch my life.

Marty Swan/McKesson

~

Marty Swan,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Marty Swan - September 08, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ *Dee, I love you so much and you will be in my heart forever. You were a wonderful friend to me. I will never forget you. Gil, You will continue to be in my prayers. Love, Rosie*

~

Rosie Fosseen,

Edina, Minnesota

Rosie Fosseen - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Gil: *That flaming red hair, big smile and tender heart, I'm glad she felt safe and loved by you. Her prayers for you will live on forever.*

~

Jean Halvorson,

Columbia Heights, Minnesota

Jean Halvorson - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Dee was a great example to me through the years and a wise council in times of trouble. Her beautiful smile and sparkle I will dearly miss.*

I am praying for you Gil. Debbie

~

Debbie Carroll,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Debbie Carroll - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ *Dee's talents and work ethic at McKesson were only outdone by her style and grace. Dee taught us all so much about accountability and follow-thru. Personally, Dee held me to a high standard and I'm a better person because of her mentorship and friendship.*

~

Thomas Heinrich,

Brooklyn Park

Thomas Heinrich - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Dear family and friends of Dee,

I am so sorry for your loss. Dee was a wonderful support to me in the days following my brother's accident in 1995. She, as you all know, wouldn't let a person off the hook, but she would always be there to help you out. We will miss her greatly.

Gil, my heart goes out to you especially. You have been in my prayers as much as Dee was. I will continue to hold you up.

God Bless,

~

Karen Steinhaus,

Brooklyn Center, Minnesota

Karen Steinhaus - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ My husband and I met Dee in the 1960's when she was happily, bravely jumping out of an airplane. She was adventuresome, & sincerely cared about others' feelings. A kind person, now a kind soul with her Lord. We'll always love her.

~

Monta Becker,

St. Paul, Minnesota

Monta Becker - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Gil: Thank you for all the wonderful years you gave Dee. She loved you so and I'm so thankful you came along. There'll never be another like her. Love, Jan.

~

Jan Halvorson,

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Jan Halvorson - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

EN

“ *Dee was a wonderful friend and mentor. I will miss her smile and
and her friendship*

~

Esther Natt,

Richfield, Minnesota

Esther Natt - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *To my Aunt Dee:*

You will be deeply missed!! You have taught all of us so much!!

I love you dearly!

~

Deborah Wichman,

Coon Rapids, Minnesota

Contact Me

Deborah Wichman - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ *Gil and family,
God Bless you in this time of sorrow. Dee was such a good friend; I
will miss our monthly lunches at Red Lobster. She was a very
special person.*

Love, Tina

~

Tina Hong,

Plymouth, Minnesota

Contact Me

Tina Hong - September 07, 2005 at 12:00 AM