



Stephanie G. Wordelman

April 24, 1947 - February 18, 2020

Wordelman, Stephanie Glenee,

of Riverwood in Port Charlotte, FL, passed away on Feb. 18, 2020 at the Pillars Hospice Home in Oakdale, MN after a short stay. The hospice stay followed a courageous 9 month battle with Acute Myeloid Leukemia involving a stem cell transplant at the University of Minnesota BMT. She was born in Minneapolis on April 24, 1947 to Francis (Fritz) and Audrey Tyra. She grew up playing and working in her father's grocery stores and was known for her habit of eating the frosting off the frosted donuts without telling anyone. She lived on Lake Minnetonka during her high school years and graduated from Mound High School in 1965. After attending college for a year at the University of Minnesota she decided to go flying and spent 18 years as a flight attendant for North Central, Republic, and Northwest Airlines. After a brief retirement she spent another 16 years as a corporate flight attendant for IDS and American Express Financial Advisors.

Stephanie lived and loved life to the fullest. She was happiest when surrounded with her family and friends. She loved entertaining at their lake home on Upper Whitefish Lake and couldn't wait for summer and all the holidays to show up so she could begin her art projects with the grandchildren. Stephanie became a Florida resident in 2011 and began another social life by surrounding herself with a whole new group of friends.

Stephanie was also known for volunteering her time with cancer and other fund raising efforts. She loved shopping and decorating not only her home but helping others decorate theirs as well. Stephanie continued to spend summers at their lake and enjoy boating, golf and entertaining family. Christmas at the lake was an every other year special event and featured a new event each time whether it involved a day at the spa, sleigh rides, dog sled rides, or ice fishing. Always something new and fun. She and Todd loved to travel and were fortunate to visit a lot of interesting places, but being with family trumped everything else.

Stephanie was preceded in death by her parents, Fritz and Audrey Trya, her siblings, Rhonda Breitenbach and Franceen Tyra. She is survived by her husband of 36 years Todd, her two stepchildren, Erik Wordelman and Sarah (John) Roehrich, and grandchildren Erin Wordelman, Mason Wordelman, Laura Roehrich, and Jack Roehrich. She is also survived by her special nephews Zach Breitenbach, Troy (Beth) Breitenbach, and Lance (Holly) Breitenbach.

She will be greatly missed by all who met her and knew her and especially by her family. Private family services. Memorials preferred to The Pillars Hospice Home in Oakdale, MN or Be the Match. Memorials preferred to The Pillars Hospice Home in Oakdale, MN or Be the Match.

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Tribute Wall

NZ

“ It was almost 50 years ago when I first met Stephanie (Teffie) in Flight Attendant training and we ended up being roommates after graduation. She was always a very classy gal and loads of fun. She will be missed by so many. I am so sorry to hear this news. 🥺💔

Nancy Zirkel - February 23, 2020 at 01:17 PM

PC

“ Bigs smiles ,great stories and a beautiful woman inside and out! I will miss her very much .

Pamela Cruz - February 22, 2020 at 10:58 AM

BL

“ So sorry for family and friends. Had no idea. We loved flying together and laughing all day long. We had a Trio of Stewardesses that sang for some of our passengers! God bless you Steph, RIP.
Barb Logan

Barb Logan - February 21, 2020 at 12:03 PM

BD

“ Stephanie was a joy to work with great sense of humor so much fun.
She was very classy and had great style. She will be missed

Bunny D'Amico - February 20, 2020 at 06:47 PM

VB

“ So sorry for your loss. Stephanie always had a big beautiful smile.
We will all miss her at Riverwood.

Veronica Bouvier - February 20, 2020 at 05:34 PM

SE

“ So very sad to hear this sad news, She was a very wonderful lady.
Shari Erickson.

Shari Erickson - February 19, 2020 at 07:59 PM

SR

NO! NO! NO! I can't believe this! She was doing so well! This breaks my heart What a truly great woman she was to everyone who knew her.

Sharon Rankin - February 19, 2020 at 09:18 PM

BC

My heart is aching, loved Stephanie, so sad. Stephanie will always be remembered for her loving smile and caring personality and her love of family and life.

Betsy C. - February 19, 2020 at 09:39 PM



Our thoughts and Prayers are with are with you all. Stephanie was a true ray of Sunshine. She was such a great and loving woman. Eternally loved forever

Brandon Moen - February 19, 2020 at 11:33 PM

SF

My thoughts and prayers are with you at this very difficult time.

Sherry Favro - February 20, 2020 at 07:43 AM

AC

Stephanie was a wonderful warm and loving ☐ woman. She was full of life and excitement. Stephanie will be greatly missed.
Todd big HUGS and THANKS for all your love and care. ❤️

Ann Cea - February 20, 2020 at 08:24 AM

SA

When we moved from Riverwood we physically left a lot of friends and great people. Stephanie was indeed one of them. Our condolences to the whole community, as a beautiful ray of light just moved on. Hugs to you Todd...

Susan Agee - February 20, 2020 at 10:41 AM

SK

Stephani drew people to her like glue! If you knew her, you loved her. Her upbeat personality and her forever smile simply made you feel better, and happy to be around this lovely lady. Always coiffed and pretty in pink, she warmed up any room with her presence. She will be greatly missed in our neighborhood. I send my thoughts and prayers to Todd and all their family.

Sandy Koehler - February 20, 2020 at 02:07 PM

NE

Steph was one of the sweetest people I ever knew, always with a big warm smile on her face. She was a wonderful woman who will be missed by us all.

Nancy Ernst - February 20, 2020 at 06:38 PM

BB

Steph was easy to know with her warming smile. Her presence will be greatly missed in Riverwood. My sympathy and prayers are with you

Barbara Bouchard - February 21, 2020 at 01:27 PM

GY

I always loved flying with her. So fun! My thoughts and prayer for all who will miss her.

gypsy - February 22, 2020 at 02:53 PM

CD

I just learned that Steph left us way too early. I am in shock to hear this news.! She was a neighbor and we became friends quickly, I loved her laugh and just being around her. She was a fun lady that wore fun clothes that only she could wear. After she moved away I lost contact with her.

May you rest in peace dear friend.

Cathy Digatono - April 15, 2020 at 08:43 PM