



Colleen VanSloten

June 6, 1961 - June 13, 2017

Colleen Marie VanSloten, age 56, of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan passed away early Tuesday morning, June 13, 2017 at McLaren Northern Michigan Hospital.

Colleen was born on June 6, 1961, the daughter of the late June McComick-stable. For many years Colleen was the co-owner of Steve's Corner Store and Hotel, which includes a gas station and an ice cream parlor. Colleen took particular interest in the hotel, running most of it by herself. Colleen's favorite holiday was always Halloween, spending weeks preparing her house for everyone to enjoy. Colleen's love for reading helped her create beautiful poetry and captivating short stories. Her talent for writing was also coupled an artistic ability, making beautiful paintings and even beginning to illustrate her own children's book. Along with Colleen's amazing artist abilities and creative mind was her personality. Colleen was wacky and unpredictable as a child, and brought those same qualities into adulthood.

Colleen is survived by her children: Jennifer (Robert) Payment currently residing in California, Crystal Marie Dalglish, Allesia VanSloten, and Raven Rodriguez all of Sault Ste. Marie, MI; and grandchildren: Danielle Marie Dalglish, Donald Troy Dalglish, Malloreigh Rodriguez, and Santiago Rivera. She is also survived by her sisters: Lorna Freshney, Gloria Prock, Mary weeks, Steven Bobruk, Nadine Guigar, Kristine McCormick, and Valarie

McCormick.

Colleen was preceded in death by her parents: a brother: Stanley Bobruk; and two sisters: Linda Boggs and Brenda Beckman.

A memorial service will be held by Cadet Aaron Johnson at the American Legion Hall at 3:00 PM on Saturday June 24th, with a meal immediately following the service. Family and Friends may gather from 2:00 PM-3:00 PM until the time of services. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be left to help with funeral expenses.

Tribute Wall

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“ *The loss of a cherished loved one is the most devastating experiences a family can face. At times, the loss may seem unbearable. Please know that there are people who care and more importantly Psalm 34:18 tells us that "God is near to those that are broken at heart. He is the God of all comfort. Our prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time of grief.*

Williams Family - June 25, 2017 at 12:00 AM