



Delores Vacek Rutter

May 8, 1949 - September 29, 2008

Delores "Dolly" Vacek Rutter, 59, of Richmond, ended her long, brave battle against cancer to be with our Savior on September 29, 2008, in Richmond. She was born May 8, 1949, in Richmond, Texas to George and Lillian Vacek.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 A. M., Wednesday, October 1, 2008 at Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Chapel in Rosenberg. Interment will follow in Greenlawn Memorial Park in Rosenberg.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 P. M. until 8:00 P. M., with a rosary being recited at 7:00 P. M., Tuesday, September 30, 2008 at Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Chapel in Rosenberg.

Dolly was one of the most special flowers in God's garden. She was kind, patient, loving and beautiful in spirit. We who are left behind are left knowing that heaven is now a little brighter. Dolly worked at Texas Instruments and Gerber.

Dolly is preceded in death by her parents, George and Lillian Vacek and her three brothers, Charles, Michael and James.

She is survived by her husband of 24 years, Donald Rutter, Jr.; brother: George Vacek and wife, Debbie; sisters: Patricia Singleton, Rita McGee and

husband, Willie; mother-in-law: Kathleen Rutter; sisters-in-law: Nancy Vacek, Jona Vacek, Kay Martinez, Chris Williams and husband, Eddie, Susie Zaccaria;

brother-in-law: Robert Rutter and wife, Patti; aunts: Helen Short, Martha Vacek, Annie Vacek, Wilma Vacek; along with many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends who will miss and cherish her.

Pallbearers will include Nicholas Zaccaria, Andy Martinez, Aaron Martinez, Trenton McGee, James Vacek, Jr., and Arric Vacek.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in memory of Dolly to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, 2425 Fountainview, Suite 210, Houston, Texas, 77057.

Tribute Wall

LS

“ Aunt Dolly,

I dedicate the song by Kenny Rogers, "You Decorated My Life" to you.

Little Karen Sharp

Uncle Peppy,

I will pray for you to have strength. You and Aunt Dolly's love to each other was where one ended the other began. A perfect example of what a real marriage should be. I'll always think of you both that way. I commend you and want to thank you for sharing such a wonderful woman to me and all of us. I have total gratitude to you, Uncle Peppy for giving Aunt Dolly the love that most people in life search for their whole lives. The love you gave her and she returned brings tears to my eyes, because it taught me that there is no limit to loving your partner and showing them the beautiful things in life. I cry for your loss and hopefully one day I will have the same love given to me, but I seriously doubt it.

You were like two peas in a pod and I love you both equally. This family gave me guidance, forgiveness, structure, day to day normal life, how to have fun in life, acceptance, and most of all, unconditional love. I'll be looking at the moon, but I will be seeing you, Aunt Dolly.

Little Karen Sharp - October 07, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ To the family of Dolly Rutter: We had the pleasure of camping with Dolly and Don in Sommerville. We saw her briefly after that. She was a warm, lovely and very brave person. We never heard her complain about anything. Our hearts go out to all of you in this difficult period. God Bless you all.

Janell & Leonard Kucera - October 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ Rita and family,
I am so sorry to hear about your sister. It sounds like she was a great lady. I will be praying for your family.
Love, Becky Kohleffel

Rebecca Kohleffel - October 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ To the Family of Dolly Rutter. I got to know Dolly and some of you during the time she was in Cambridge Health and Rehab and came to know a lovely person and a family that loved her dearly. My prayers are with you as you learn to live life without Dolly. Sandy Coughran Family Council member

Sandy Coughran - October 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BZ

“ I knew Dolly from when I lived on the other end of Fairchilds Creek and would walk down the creek length to swim in the Vacek's pond. Sometimes Diane Shabrasula Ernest now Patty and Dolly would be there together. Surely she will be missed.

Bobby Zwahr - October 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ Dolly - always sweet, always generous, always smiling. She will be missed.

Pep, you are in our thoughts and prayers. Peace be with you and the family.

We love you,

Missy and Brett

Missy Thomas - September 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Thanks to the Rutter and Martinez family for including me as a part of the family since I was 9 years old. I appreciated and still appreciate the times that I spent with the family and have known them for over 25 years.

Aunt Dolly was a constant, never changing, and loving person to me as a child growing up. She always made time to listen to my constant jabbering because she knew how sad I was inside.

Each person in this family is like a ship at sea to me that keeps it afloat, and that is why it is so important to me when we loose each family member. I will forever be grateful to Aunt Dolly and every single person in this family.

I am not afraid of death anymore. Now that I know I have so many people that love me that are already in Heaven waiting for me.

I send love and strength to the whole family and all of Aunt Dolly's friends. She will be missed dearly.

Sincerely,

"Little" Karen Sharp-Moore

John & Karen Sharp-Moore - September 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MV

“ I will always remember Dolly. She was always very sweet to me especially when i started riding the school bus in first grade.... to a strong person who fought a battle that most people could not... Her family has to be very proud of her courage... God Bless

Mark and Reid Vacek

Mark Vacek - September 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM