



Dianne S. Reber

August 31, 1941 - November 27, 2024

Dianne Reber, born August 31, 1941, passed away on November 27, 2024. An elegant, loving, and generous soul, she was known for her radiant smile and her unwavering devotion to her family and faith.

Now in heaven, she is reunited with several beloved family members, including her mother, brother, and grandson, Connor.

She is survived by her devoted husband of 63 years, Merlin Reber; her children, Scott (Karen) Reber, Heidi (Steve) Feenstra, and Sean (Brenda) Reber; and her grandchildren, Jacob (Laurie) Reber, Emily (Nick) Lazor, Luke (Brandon) Reber, Mitchell (Angela) Rende, Sam Rende, Spencer Feenstra, Emma Feenstra, and Karensa Reber; and her great-grandchildren, Lewin and Wells Reber, Taytum Lazor, and Arlo Nugent.

Dianne dedicated her life to the service of others, working as a nurse in various hospitals before becoming the well-loved school nurse at Chestnut Ridge Elementary School. Her warmth, compassion, and selflessness left an everlasting mark on everyone she cared for, both within her family and in the community.

She is so loved, and her memory will be forever cherished by those who had the privilege of knowing her. Dianne was an amazing wife, mother, and grandmother/great-grandmother, whose grace and beauty—inside and out—will continue to inspire her family for generations to come. She will be deeply missed, but her family takes heart in knowing they will be reunited again one day in heaven.

Family and friends are invited on January 11, 2025 from 12- 2 pm at Pearce Memorial Church for calling hours. A private service and burial will be held for the family at a different time.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Jude Children's Hospital in Dianne's memory.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JAN 11. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Pearce Church
4322 Buffalo Rd.
North Chili, NY 14514

Tribute Wall

BR

“ I was truly blessed to have taught at Chestnut Ridge during Dianne’s tenure as our school nurse. She brought a sense of comfort and love to all who knew her- both adults and children alike. For me personally, there were days when a reassuring hug from Dianne was exactly what I needed to carry on and turn a difficult day around. Her smile and sense of humor were 2 of my other most favorite things about her- and I will cherish the memories of laughing with her and seeing that knowing smile- forever. She was a beautiful person both inside and out.

Beth Regoni - January 10, 2025 at 03:33 PM

NS

“ Dianne was such a loving and generous lady, she was a loving sister-in -law to me and a loving and thoughtful aunt to Christina, Rachel and David. we will miss you.

Noel R Seeley - January 10, 2025 at 10:53 AM



“ Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Dianne S. Reber.



January 09, 2025 at 09:29 AM

HB

“ *Hobart Brown purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Dianne S. Reber.*



Hobart Brown - January 06, 2025 at 01:09 PM

LB

“ *Love, Debbi and Russ Brown purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dianne S. Reber.*



Love, Debbi and Russ Brown - January 06, 2025 at 12:21 PM

ML

“ *Aunt Dianne always made me feel loved and valued my whole life. Her French onion soup was divine, along with everything else she cooked because she cooked with love. I'll miss Aunt Dianne's, "just checking in with you" phone calls, her smile, her hugs, and her warm presence. Until we meet again, Aunt Dianne.*

Michele Landis - December 13, 2024 at 07:57 PM

KC

“ *Dianne was an amazing and caring neighbor. We always enjoyed talking to her. We are so blessed to have known her for 24 years. She will be missed.*

Kim Conley - December 12, 2024 at 05:24 PM

JS

“ *My heart hurts knowing Diane is not with us. Those of us that were honored to have been blessed with her friendship have her smile imprinted forever on our hearts. Like the children at Chestnut Ridge Elementary School, I ventured to the nurses office often because it was the place to find comfort and caring. It is here where Diane gave so much of herself. I will remember how much we laughed, I will cherish the memories of her kindness, her wisdom, and words of advice always.*

Johnnie Schulmerich - December 11, 2024 at 06:57 AM