



Donna J. Crosson

June 10, 1947 - December 20, 2014

Merrimac - Donna Jean (Greenough) Crosson, 67, a longtime resident of Merri Village in Merrimac, passed away at her home on Saturday, December 20, 2014 after battling cancer this past year. She was surrounded by her loving family.

She was born in Dorchester on June 10, 1947, one of six children of the late Robert A. and Mary Irene (Money penny) Greenough.

Donna received her G.Ed. from Bunker Hill Community College in the early 1980s. She was a dedicated member of the Church of the Nazarene in Melrose and later the Merrimac Pilgrim Congregational Church, serving as an active member of the choirs in both churches. In the 1990s, Donna also helped her brother Alan and sister Jackie establish Ruth's House, an organization dedicated to serving those in need in the Haverhill area.

She is survived by her partner, Shirley Poulin, of Merrimac; her sons, Walter Andrew Crosson, II and his wife, Jennifer Vuong of Bethesda, MD, Matthew Crosson of Manchester, NH and Chad Crosson, his wife Jennifer and their two children, Joseph Aaron and Jamie Day of Chelmsford; her brothers, Alan Greenough of Hampstead, NH and Michael Greenough and his wife Gayle of Atkinson, NH; her sister Jacqueline Silver, her brother-in-law Michael Silver of Amesbury, and her sisters-in-law Barbara Arnott of Stoneham and Mary

Greenough of Parsons, KS. She also leaves behind several generations of loving nieces and nephews, including her godson Rocco.

In addition to her parents and her late husband, Walter A. Crosson, I, Donna was predeceased by her baby daughter Jamie Lee Crosson, her twin brother Dean Greenough, her brother Robert Greenough and her sister-in-law Linda Greenough.

A memorial service will be held at 11 AM on Saturday, January 3, 2014 at the Pilgrim Congregational Church, 27 Church Street, Merrimac. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Donna's name to Ruth's House (http://www.ruthshouse.org/how_you_can_help).

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

Pilgrim Congregational Church
27 Church Street
Merrimac, MA 01860

Tribute Wall



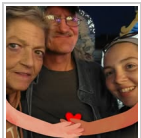
“ *Donna J. Crosson*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *Donna has been a true inspiration to people. She was never afraid to follow where God led her. She taught me not to be afraid to step out of our comfort zone to do his will. She will be greatly missed, but it is comforting to know that she is no longer in pain.*

Joyce Briggs - December 31, 2014 at 07:21 AM



“ *We will miss you Donna. Our hearts and prayers go out to the whole family. - The Knudsons*



Melony Knudson - December 30, 2014 at 05:55 PM



“ *Sending prayers of comfort to her family left here on earth. Donna we know you are singing with the heavenly choir of angels in heaven. You are at peace with Jesus our Lord.*
Lisa Gallinger



Lisa - December 29, 2014 at 06:38 PM

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“ *May you rest in eternal peace in the care of the Lord Dear Donna. Thank you for being my friend. God Bless. Linda Lenehan Denault.*

Linda Denault - December 25, 2014 at 02:25 PM

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“ *May God comfort you, Dear Jackie, and loved ones. I am so sorry to learn of Donna's passing. I was very blessed to know Donna through her dedication and humility, serving those in need at Ruth's House. Although it is our loss, we know that she*

Laura Castine - December 24, 2014 at 09:22 PM