



## Michelle Rose Molloy

December 1, 1962 - June 3, 2021

Michelle Rose Molloy, 58, passed away suddenly on the evening of June 3, 2021 at Alton Memorial Hospital.

Michelle was born on December 1, 1962 in Alton to Michael and Barbara (Redd) Molloy. She attended Alton public schools and graduated from Granite City High School in 1983. Although Michelle lived with cerebral palsy, she never allowed her disability to hold her back. She was a dedicated St. Louis Cardinal's fan. She rarely missed watching a game and enjoyed attending Spring Training in Jupiter, FL with her family.

She is survived by her sister, Jennifer Ridings (Stephen) of Alton; two nieces, Emily Freeman (Bobby Trnavsky) of St. Louis, MO and Abigail Freeman (Spencer Bosoluke) of Bozeman, MT; a cousin, Rosemary Richey; an aunt, Jan Molloy; uncles, Richard Renard and Tom Wilson; and many cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents; twin sister, Melissa; brother Michael James Jr.; grandparents Robert and Genevieve Redd; grandparents, Weston and Opal Molloy; uncle, Timothy Molloy Sr.; and aunts, Patricia Wilson and Kay Renard.

Michelle and her mother had an inseparable bond and were only able to be apart for seven short months. Barb's funeral mass was postponed due to the COVID pandemic. A joint Mass of Christian burial will be held on Friday, June 18, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Alton. Burial will be held at Scenic Hill Cemetery in Grafton, IL.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Shriners Hospital for Children in St. Louis. Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements. Online guestbook and information may be found at <http://www.gentfuneralhome.com>

# Cemetery

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**Scenic Hill Cemetery**

Grafton, IL,

# Events

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**JUN 18 Memorial Service 10:00AM**

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St. Mary's Catholic Church  
4th and Henry Street, Alton, IL, US, 62002

# Comments

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“ Jenny,  
I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother and your sister. I worked with your mother in Dr. Plummer's office, and became very good friends with her. I miss her so very much. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.  
With deepest sympathy,  
Janice Martin

Janice Martin - June 13 at 11:05 AM

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“ Jennifer, Emily, Abby, and Rosemary,  
I'm sending my condolences to all of you. I use to send Michelle Christmas cards every year and she would send me one back, we both had December birthdays and were 12 days apart and Barb would always remind me that we had that in common. your family holds and always will hold a special place in my heart. so sorry for the grief you've had to live thru. Sending thoughts, Prayers and Care!  
Carolyn Short

Carolyn Short - June 11 at 05:53 PM

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“ I loved Michelle's smile. It was contagious. She was such a sweetheart. I will miss her.



Jamie - June 10 at 09:16 AM

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“ I wish to extend my condolences to the Molly family. I knew Michelle's relatives but didn't know her. She was certainly a model to anyone with a disability.

Peggy Oungst - June 07 at 11:03 PM

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“ I grew up with Jenny, Mike and Michelle. We created a LOT of happy memories at that house, and my own 3 kids went on to stay with Barb when she was their after-school caregiver. Michelle and Grandma Redd listening to Cardinal games and giving their input will always remain in my memories. Michelle is finally in an amazing place with many of her loved ones. Big party in heaven, for sure. Jenny, Emily, Abby and the rest of the family will remain in my prayers. Sending love to you all!

Love, Mehlia

**Mehlia Simon** - June 07 at 09:12 PM

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“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Michelle Rose Molloy.



June 07 at 07:24 PM