



Cheryl Denise Stevens Fontanille

August 15, 1969 - November 18, 2024

It is with profound sadness that we announce the passing of our beloved Cheryl Denise Stevens Fontanille, who departed this world at the young age of 55. She was a beacon of light in our lives, radiating warmth, kindness, and joy to all who had the privilege of knowing her. Her untimely departure has left a void in our hearts that can never be filled.

Cheryl will be remembered most for her kind heart and selfless nature. She had a genuine compassion for others and would go out of her way to help anyone in need. Her generosity knew no bounds, and she would always put the needs of others before her own. Her acts of kindness and love touched the lives of many, leaving a lasting impact that will never be forgotten. Cheryl's greatest joys in life were her family, fur babies, and company of her friends. She is survived by her husband, Mark Dallas Fontanille. Her son, Addison Lee Davis. Her daughter, Serenity Victoria Davis and her puppy son Dallas and puppy daughter Patches. She is also survived by a multitude of family members, loved ones, and friends.. too many names to list and include everyone she cares deeply for, but all who knows her, knows she never knew a stranger . She is also met in heaven by her parents: William "Billy" Stevens and Sylvia Kassel Caruso, recently predeceased niece Brittany Rose Barranyai, along with many relatives and friends.

Cheryl's smile was like a ray of sunshine, lighting up the room and bringing joy

to all who beheld it. Her infectious laughter and positive outlook on life were a source of comfort and inspiration to those around her. She had a way of making even the darkest days seem brighter, and her presence was a gift to all who knew her. As we mourn the loss of Cheryl, we take heart in the memories we shared and the love she bestowed upon us. Her spirit will live on in the hearts of her family and friends, a reminder of the beauty and goodness that she brought into the world. Though she may no longer be with us in body, her love and light will continue to guide us through the darkest of times. She will be missed dearly & memory will live on forever.

“The Lord Gives And The Lord Takes Away.

At The End Of The Day, It Is His Say. She Belongs To God First Anyways.”

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the Funeral Service on Thursday, November 21, 2024 at the St. Louis Cathedral in New Orleans. Visitation will be held in church from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., words of remembrance from 3:00 p.m to 3:15 p.m. and the Funeral Service to immediately follow at 3:15 p.m. A private burial will be held at a later date.

To share memories or condolences, please visit www.muhleisen.com

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 21. 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

St. Louis Cathedral
615 Pere Antoine Alley
New Orleans, LA 70116

Words of Remembrance

NOV 21. 3:00 PM - 3:15 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Cheryl Denise Stevens Fontanille



L.A. Muhleisen & Son Funeral Home - November 21, 2024 at 11:31 AM

DP

Cheryl was such a beautiful soul. She will shine on as the brightest star

Diane Porretto - November 21, 2024 at 04:16 PM

JT

I am much better for having known you and having you in my life! Until we meet again, you are loved and will be greatly missed.

Janet Tant - November 21, 2024 at 09:37 PM

LS

Mrs.Cheryl I thank God every single day for having brought you into my life. You became my 2nd mom/my best friend/my fellow coworker for a 1 1/2 years. YOU WERE MY PERSON. You were helping me get through my horrific grief over losing my son and with the holidays coming up again. Then we talk and message all day Sunday so excited that you were gonna work the next day(Monday an the following Monday bc you never worked Mondays anymore). I went to work the next morning so excited to be working with you that day only to be stopped by our boss and told you passed away in your sleep. I lost it. Now I'd lost you and had to figure out how I was gonna not only make it through the holidays grieving my son but now also grieving you. I am devastated. You were such a beautiful, positive, caring, thoughtful, loving, giving, happy go lucky person and God knew I needed you so He put you in my life even if only briefly. Oh how I wish I'd have had so many more years with you. You will forever be in my heart and thoughts and I will never not mention yours or Mannys names. Yall existed, you were and are still loved so very much, all mattered and still do unbelievably. My heart is so devastated at the loss of you but also so grateful to have had you in my life even if only briefly. I love what someone said to me one day(I think it may have been Serenity)that You are probably kissing Mannys cheek and forehead for me and hugging him to death letting him know how very very much his mom loves and misses him and how much I talked about you and what a wonderful son you are and how blessed I was to be your Mom. I love that picture.....2 people I love and miss and that were immeasurably important to me having such a moment. I love you and miss you so much Mrs.Cheryl. I hate work without you there. And in my eyes.....NOONE COULD EVER EVER REPLACE YOU!!!!!!

Layle Schmidt - December 27, 2024 at 08:55 PM

LS

“ Mark, I'm deeply sorry to hear about your recent loss and I extend my deepest condolences to both you and the families that you & Cheryl shared.

As I learn more about her, I regret that I didn't meet and come know her well. I'm learning so many wonderful qualities of hers, especially that she just exuded joy through her neverending smile, even through adversity.

I'm learning about the great love between the two of you, that will always remain fresh in your heart and mind.

My own heart breaks for you....goes out to you. I understand. I'm so sorry you are hurting. I pray that you find comfort, love, & peace from the One who brought you both together and from all those who are loving & surrounding you as you mourn your loss of Cheryl.

Laurie L. Steiwinder - November 23, 2024 at 11:07 PM

LR

“ Leslie Roth lit a candle in memory of Cheryl Denise Stevens Fontanille



Leslie Roth - November 21, 2024 at 08:52 AM

SF

“ Steinwinder Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Cheryl Denise Stevens Fontanille.



Steiwinder Family - November 20, 2024 at 01:28 PM

SF

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JA

“ Joseph Stephanie Justin and Ashley purchased the *Your Light Shines* for the family of Cheryl Denise Stevens Fontanille.



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TF

“ Cheryl I know lit up Heaven on her arrival with her big beautiful smile. I know she went on the wings of angels. You couldn't have a bad day around Cheryl. She was such an uplifting spirit that we will all miss. RIP sweet girl.

Tess Fontanille - November 20, 2024 at 11:19 AM