



Elizabeth "Liz" Peña

May 30, 1959 - May 27, 2016

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Elizabeth "Liz" Peña, age 56, of Columbus, OH, passed away peacefully, surrounded by her family, on May 27, 2016 at the Mount Carmel West Hospice Unit. Liz was born on May 30, 1959 in East Chicago, IN. She is survived by her loving parents, Pedro and Armanda Peña from Columbus, OH; her brother Nelson Peña from Griffith, IN; her sisters Evelyn "Jodi" Peña, also a resident at Heinzerling Developmental Center; Miriam Peña Trzeciak of Port Orange, FL; Gloria (Roberto) Leyva of Delaware, OH; Nancy (Vinnie) Hac of Crown Point, IN; and dear friend Ron Struzik from Griffith, IN. She is also survived by her nieces and nephews (Stephanie, Christopher, Lauren, Jessica, Emily, Rebecca, Chris, and Dominic) along with many aunts, uncles, and cousins from Puerto Rico.

Liz was a resident at the Heinzerling Developmental Center where she was deeply loved and cared for. She will always be remembered for her sweet, carefree spirit, and her beautiful smile.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Wednesday, June 1, 2016 at 10am at St. Peter's Catholic Church, 6899 Smoky Row Rd., Columbus, OH, with Rev. Mark Summers as Celebrant. Family will receive friends on Tuesday, May 31, 2016 from 2:00 – 4:00 and 6:00 to 8:00 PM at the RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL 450 W. Olentangy Street Powell, Ohio 43065. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Heinzerling Foundation, 1800 Heinzerling Drive, Columbus, OH 43223 or www.heinzerling.org in Liz's

name. To send an online condolence, please visit www.rutherfordfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Resurrection Cemetery

9571 North High Street
Lewis Center, OH 43035

Previous Events

Calling Hours

MAY 31. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Funeral Home at Powell
450 West Olentangy Street
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Mass of Christian Burial

JUN 1. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter Roman Catholic Church
6899 Smoky Row Road
Columbus, OH 43235
<http://www.stpetercolumbus.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Rutherford Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Elizabeth "Liz" Peña*



Rutherford Funeral Homes - May 31, 2016 at 01:49 PM



“ *Elizabeth "Liz" Peña*

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM

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“ Liz,
My sweet and innocent sister. It's so hard to express how much I love you. I want to say I will miss your smile and all the kisses you gave so freely. Honestly, all the pictures I have of you have you either smiling, hugging, or giving kisses; they truly represent the type of person you were.... always so happy and loving. I know how much you loved to dance, sadly all I have is one video of you dancing.... but I will always cherish it. I wish I can hold you one more time and give you endless kisses. Gosh I miss you Liz. You truly are an angel. You were taken away from us way to soon and so unexpectedly; I still have difficulty understanding why, and I know it will take a while for me to accept. Perhaps I'm being greedy, but in my heart I know you are no longer in pain and that you have all the angels up in heaven doing your favorite chicken dance. Love you Sis! - Mir



Miriam Pena Trzeciak - June 02, 2016 at 03:28 PM

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“ So many memories with Liz, some of my favorite memories are when I would bring my kids in. Liz would get so excited shower them with hugs and kisses!! My 3yr old loved getting on her lap. She would hug him and play peek a boo with him. It was so great she would crack up so would my son. I remember going to work and being greeted by Liz. I love you so much Liz and I will miss you. Our memories will always be in my heart. You had my heart from day one.

Love Always Naomi

Naomi Snodgrass - May 31, 2016 at 06:29 PM

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“ *Pena Family I want to express my sincere condolences on your loss. At times like these the scriptures are a great source of comfort, 2 Cor 1:2-4. May God continue to be with your family.*

marsha - May 30, 2016 at 10:12 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Liz" Peña.*



May 29, 2016 at 09:23 PM



“ *Vivian Vanderlei lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth "Liz" Peña*



Vivian Vanderlei - May 29, 2016 at 08:27 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Liz" Peña.*



May 29, 2016 at 04:38 PM