



Dolores Longo

April 5, 2023

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of our beloved sister, Dolores. She was born on January 15, 1949 and passed away peacefully on April 5, 2023. She is survived by her brothers, Louis and Peter, and her sisters, Theresa, Susan and Yolanda. Dolores was dearly loved by her siblings and her many nieces and nephews.

We have many fond memories of Dolores.

“Our youngest sister Dolores was a sweet and lovely woman. She had such a love of animals that it seemed to me she always had an adopted stray waiting for something to eat at her back door. They were very important to her. I remember that she would not let us step on an ant or ear wig that had made it into the house. They always had to be deposited outside. This, even though I also remember that once, when we were sitting on the front steps and she was not much more than a baby, having quite an argument with her to stop her from eating a caterpillar. I guess it looked like a pretty candy to her.

I am the eldest and would quite often introduce her as our baby sister. She hated that, but I had a hard time stopping. You will forever be our little sister, Dolores, and we will always remember you with love.”

– Theresa

“When you lose a sister, you lose part of your heart. I have treasured memories of our younger days. Dolores always had a smile for me.

When we spoke recently on Face Time, she still had a smile for me, even though I knew she was suffering. I was so glad to see and talk to her.

If we always speak her name, she will never die.”

– Loving brother, Louie

“Dolores was very happy and very beautiful as a young woman. She always strived to look her best. She loved animals and had several pets over the years. She enjoyed reading and had a large collection of books. She had a delightful sense of humour and a clever wit.

She was sweet and introverted, but she smiled easily. She knew her family loved her and was grateful for our love and support.”

– Susie, Yolanda and Peter

We will miss Dolores dearly and forever hold her in our hearts.

We would like to thank the staff at the Hemodialysis Unit of St. Joseph’s Health Centre for their constant care and concern.

Anyone wishing to honour Dolores could make a donation to the St. Joseph’s Health Centre in Toronto, or the Kidney Care Foundation in her memory.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Dolores: It's now over a year you left us, there are no goodbyes; wherever you are, you will always be in our hearts. My thoughts are with you and your family.*

Martin oseni - April 15, 2024 at 05:27 PM

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“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



yolanda Russo - May 04, 2023 at 04:51 PM

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The picture on the left was taken at Nunny Alfano's. house on Clinton in 1951. Dolores was 2 years old. In. the picture on the right, she looks to be about 1 year old.

Yolanda Russo - May 05, 2023 at 04:11 PM

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Aftercare Administrator - May 02, 2023 at 10:37 AM

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Family Portrait .Easter 1981. Dolores was 32.

Yolanda Russo - May 02, 2023 at 12:05 PM

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“ *I met Dolores while we were taking a course together at the University of Toronto, where she completed her Bachelor degree program. Upon graduation, she worked for a Catholic Charity organization for some time and took various other jobs. She enjoyed helping friends and family members during housing upgrades, she was a perfectionist. Dolores was a humble, gentle soul, and ever-so-sweet, agreeable always, unless she believed she was been treated unfairly. She loved nature, and loved pet animals especially cats and rabbits. It was her interests and personality type that kept us friends for a long time. She was a good companion for over 50 years, for outings, shows, and some travel. We helped each other in several ways through our medical situations. Through all the issues, she was always in good spirits and optimistic of getting better. She lived her life as happy as she could, despite the challenges. She was very lucky to have the fantastic family support who were always eager to help and supported her to the end. God bless you all. Dolores may be gone in person, but for me she lives on. I will forever miss her.*

Martin, April 26, 2023

Martin Oseni - April 30, 2023 at 09:53 PM

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Yolanda Russo - April 28, 2023 at 04:05 PM

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Dolores at Dennis's wedding in April, 1980.

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Yolanda Russo - April 28, 2023 at 03:56 PM

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Dolores modelling clothes on St. Clair.

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Yolanda Russo - April 27, 2023 at 10:47 PM

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Dolores with her sister Theresa.

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Yolanda Russo - April 27, 2023 at 10:42 PM

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Dolores and Peter at the Westmoreland house.

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Susie, Dolores and Yolanda with Mom and Dad at the Westmoreland house on Dolores's birthday.

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Dolores on her birthday at the Westmoreland house.

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*Family portrait taken at Dennis's wedding in April, 1980.
She was 31 years old.*

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Yolanda Russo - April 27, 2023 at 06:37 PM

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School picture.

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Yolanda Russo - April 27, 2023 at 06:24 PM

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School picture from 1962. Age 13. Looks like she was the smallest one in the class.

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Yolanda Russo - April 27, 2023 at 06:14 PM

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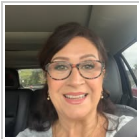
School picture. Maybe around 8 years old. She told us the boy in front of her was named Steve and he had a crush on her.

Yolanda Russo - May 01, 2023 at 04:51 PM

DI

“ We spent a good amount of time together growing up. Dolores was part of our annual cottage vacation at Wasaga Beach where Dolores, Yolanda and I would paint our nails, read teen magazines, and walk to the Main Drag each evening. She spent many Sundays with us at family picnics with my Mom’s family. We travelled to the cottage and those picnics in the back of my Dad’s pick-up truck. Lots of fun! One of my most cherished memories is that Dolores was with me the night I met John for the first time! Dolores was a gentle soul who will be forever in our hearts. Rest in peace Dolores.
- Dianne

Dianne - April 26, 2023 at 04:57 PM



“ Dolores was our family’s sweetest and gentlest soul. She was much loved and cherished by her family. May she be happy and at rest in Heaven until we meet again. ❤️

Tina Oswald - April 26, 2023 at 09:48 AM

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“ Dolores was a kind and loving person I will miss you very much I think of the good times we had when you lived with us on Landsdowne we had so much fun. One night I said to Dolores let’s go put Nail polish on Peter and Armand Armand toe nails well they are sleeping Dolores was laughing so hard but we finished in time because Peter woke up and said what are you doing I said Nothing and we ran into are room he didn’t realize until morning he wasn’t happy we use to yell on the balcony and hide people would be looking to see where the voices where coming from this was at night when we did this.. We love you and you will be miss so much love you Dolores lots f love grace

grace - April 26, 2023 at 08:47 AM

KB

“ *A sweet gentle soul, with a smile that would light up her face. She was well loved by her family, may your memories of Dolores warm your hearts. Sending Love. Kathryn*

Kathryn Blain - April 25, 2023 at 04:40 PM