



Mrs. Selma Ann Fouracre

March 20, 1938 - March 17, 2016

Selma "Deb" Fouracre, 77, passed away on March 17, 2016 after a valiant battle with cancer. She was born on March 20, 1938 in Worcester, MA to Dina and Samuel Brunell. She spent her first 12 years on a farm in Boylston before moving to Worcester in 1950. After attending Commerce High and Worcester Junior College, she trained at Memorial Hospital in Worcester as a hematology technician. There began her love of working in healthcare. Selma's career ran the gamut of working on a neonatal unit, with primates at a Harvard research center, and most recently in a women's healthcare clinic. However, her friends brought her the greatest joy. She acquired life long friendships wherever she lived or worked. Despite working full time until her diagnosis a year ago, she always maintained an active social life even in illness. Debbie, as many of her friends called her, was a no nonsense woman who drew people in with her lively sense of humor and captivating storytelling. She liked nothing better than to make people laugh. Known for telling it like she saw it, Selma was always ready for adventure and good times. She will be dearly missed. She was predeceased by her husband, Richard Fouracre. She is survived by her daughter Denise Burleigh (Roger) of Sandwich, MA, brother Victor "Bill" Brunell of Los Angeles, CA, and grandson, Samuel Burleigh of Mexico City, Mexico, as well as many, many loving friends.

A memorial service will be held at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors on Wednesday March 23, at 11:00 AM. Online condolences may be expressed at

www.Northsidechapel.com. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make contributions to Weinstein Hospice, Atlanta

Cemetery Details

Northside Chapel Crematory

12050 Crabapple Rd
Roswell, GA 30075

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors & Crematory
12050 Crabapple Road
Roswell, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Selma Ann Fouracre*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Arlene Solomon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Selma Ann Fouracre*



Arlene Solomon - April 05, 2016 at 09:47 AM



Keep Phyllis company, Sel.

Arlene Solomon - April 05, 2016 at 09:48 AM



“ *I am so very sad to hear of Debbie's passing. She and Dick lived next door to my parents (Jack and Sharon Gilbert) in North Farm, and she and my Mom were very close. I have so many happy memories of sitting with Debbie at the pool, and going to the movies, etc. Debbie could always make us laugh and was so much fun to be with. Her energy was amazing. My condolences to her family..I will miss her.*

Love from Stephanie and Rebecca Neifeld

Stephanie Neifeld - March 31, 2016 at 06:39 AM



“ *My condolences to Denise and her Family. Debbie was my Sister's best friend and I always admired her ability to enjoy life.*

Faye Christenson - March 27, 2016 at 10:16 AM

MM

“ It was my privilege to work with Debbie for 18 years. She was honest, dependable, dedicated, and had a great sense of humor. She also had a "larger than life" personality, and a warm and generous spirit. I can still feel her presence and hear her laughter! My sincere condolences to Denise, Sammy, and the rest of her family. Please know that she loved you and spoke of you often. She will be missed by all of us!

Merriam McLendon

merriam mclendon - March 23, 2016 at 07:28 AM

RJ

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Rose Merry Justice - March 22, 2016 at 09:38 PM

RJ

Rosie Bags and Debbie Doodle...BFF's

Rose Merry Justice - March 22, 2016 at 09:47 PM

LM

“ *Debbie was like part of our family. I could always count on her telling it like it was and always hearing the truth. She was one of the bravest women I have ever met. I believe our lives were better for having her in it. Rest in peace you will forever be loved and missed. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family.*

Lori & Jay Meccariello

Lori Meccariello - March 22, 2016 at 09:03 PM

RJ

Debbie and I became friends over twenty years ago. I could always count on her for advice and to be a good listener. She was so funny and we would laugh for hours. She called me Rosie Bags and I called her Debbie Doodle. I'm going to miss my friend. My love and prayers for the family.

Rose Merry Justice

Rose Merry Justice - March 22, 2016 at 09:23 PM

PS

“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



Patti Serafin - March 22, 2016 at 11:52 AM

PS

Front Row: (L to R) Liz Fouracre Anderson, Bob Fouracre Sr, Patti Fouracre Serafin, Debbie Fouracre: Second Row; (L to R) Donald Fouracre, Adam Serafin, Jessica Serafin Ortiz, Denise Fouracre Burleigh

Patti Serafin - March 22, 2016 at 11:56 AM

PS

My sister in law Debbie was one of a kind! She was loved by our family dearly and most importantly, she made our Brother Dick a better man! Cool Breeze, as she called him, certainly was full of shenanigans and she managed to keep him in line the best she could. You all said it, she was no nonsense, tell it like it is kind of gal and we loved and admired her for it. She will be missed dearly! Love and prayers and hugs to Denise and family!

Patti Serafin - March 22, 2016 at 05:55 PM

MB

“ *My condolences to the family.
Debbie was my mother's best friend for over 50 years and now they are together again.
Remembering her laughter and zest for life will warm your heart.*

Marva Bayrouy - March 21, 2016 at 05:35 PM

LH

“ *love, Amy, Howard and Julie (Goldberg) Hammond purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Selma Ann Fouracre.*



love, Amy, Howard and Julie (Goldberg) Hammond - March 20, 2016 at 09:48 PM

 Pat
DiGeorge

“ *Debbie has been a member of the Brookfield Country Club "Movies n' More" group for several years. I always looked forward to seeing her and will miss her fun company each month. My condolences to the family.*

Pat DiGeorge - March 20, 2016 at 03:00 PM

SB

“ We have know Debbie for about 30 years and she was the best friend a person could ever ask for. Her no-nonsense and tell it like it is attitude is one of the things we loved about her. She spent most of the holidays with us and it won't be the same without her. Her courageous battle with cancer without ever complaining should be an inspiration to us all. She truly will be missed.

Susan and Sam Blair

Sam and Susan Blair - March 20, 2016 at 12:37 PM

CY

“ My deepest and sincere condolences to the family, May you find comfort in 2 Thessalonians 2:16,17 “Moreover, may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and gave everlasting comfort and good hope by means of undeserved kindness, 17 comfort your hearts and make you firm in every good deed and word.”

cynthia - March 20, 2016 at 12:30 PM

LA

“ I met Cousin Selma at a family reunion in 2014. Her warmth, humor, and memories of growing up will always be remembered. It was an honor to have met her.

Lynn Adler, Cherry Hill, NJ

Lynn Adler - March 19, 2016 at 11:25 PM

PH

“ Worked with debbie the last 8 years. We made her part of our family for the last 5 or 6 years for all the Jewish holidays. I will miss her terribly. Condolences to Denise and Uncle. Phyllis hoffman

phyllis - March 18, 2016 at 01:23 PM

FB

“ *Debbie was our neighbor for almost 20 years. She was honest, blunt and you could always count on her to "tell it like it is". She was also kind, thoughtful and caring-a real person. During her battle with cancer she never complained, always had a cheerful out look and stayed strong. She will be missed.*

Frieda Brown - March 18, 2016 at 11:34 AM