



## Lorraine Post

June 17, 1949 - April 30, 2019

Lorraine Post, 69 of Bradenton, Fla. Passed away on April 30th, 2019 after a valiant battle with cancer in the comfort of her home surrounded by love.

Lorraine is survived by her life partner Tammy Hogan of 40 years, brother Charley Post, sister Tereza (Al) DePaola, niece Nicole DePaola, sister in law Shari (Aaron) Pettit, Nephew Tyler (Taylor)Pettit and Niece Andrea Pettit. Preceded in death by Parents Santo and Palma Post, brother Robert Post and Jimmy Post.

Lorraine was born in Brooklyn, NY. After graduating high school, Lorraine joined the Army and served for 4 years and stationed in Germany. Settling in Tulsa, Ok after returning to the states, this is where she met Tammy. Lorraine and Tammy relocated to Florida in the late 80's and resided until passing. Lorraine retired this year after working at the Sanctuary for 23 years. Lorraine has often referred to the team and home owners as her 2nd family with special mention of dear friend and colleague Pat Shea.

Lorraine was a true Italian, wonderful cook, strong willed and a kind heart. She enjoyed gardening, drawing and very creative with building projects in the home. Lorraine and Tammy spent many seasons at their property overlooking the Blue Ridge Mountains. Lorraine was a very private person that found her greatest joy in spending time at home with Tammy and their dog Casey. There

is great peace knowing that Lorraine will be reunited (as she believed) with her mother, whom she adored, and family.

Lorraine was fiercely loyal to her family and colleagues and will be greatly missed by all who loved her and never forgotten. In fulfilling Lorraine's wishes, there will be a private celebration of her life with only immediate family members and friends. In honor of Lorraine's life, donations can be made to The American Cancer Society and or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

# Tribute Wall



“ To my Cousin & the best friend i can ever remember, You are always in my heart. Life has a funny way of separating us. Through all the hard times we have both been through, I can say through our memories of times we spent together laughing and crying, you have still been there to help me through. I would like to share a memory with you... Lorraine & i decided to travel up the mountain about a mile from the house.. we laughed so much when we finally reached the top we got all turned around & didnt know which way was down where we came from!!.. My Father shot the rifle in the air 3 times as a signal!! Well obviously we made it down Laughing even harder & never admitted that we were lost traveling in a straight line.. I know you will be missed by many, Hoping one day we will meet again.

Doreen Hafele - January 29, 2020 at 11:00 AM



“ Doreen Hafele lit a candle in memory of Lorraine Post



Doreen Hafele - January 29, 2020 at 10:48 AM

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“ Much gratitude to Lorraine for showing me what true love looks like, throughout the years The fierce love and devotion that she dedicated to my sister for 40 years is truly remarkable. Love and peace always...



Shari Pettit - May 11, 2019 at 08:40 AM

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“ *To my beloved sister, who will always have a piece of my heart.* ”



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**Tereza DePaola** - May 06, 2019 at 12:00 PM