



## Bernadette Anderson

April 3, 1958 - June 3, 2013

BERNADETTE ANDERSON HAMILTON LAKES- Bernadette Anderson age 55 of Hamilton Lakes woke up with our Lord in Heaven on Monday, June 3, 2013. She was welcomed by her parents, family and friends. She was born on April 3, 1958 in Iron Mountain, the daughter of the late Harry and Marion (Oberthaler) Anderson. Bernadette was an active member of St. Mary's Church in Norway. She graduated from Special Education in 1984 with David Kampinen, her dear friend. Bernie worked at TRICO Opportunities for 20 years, retiring in 2004, celebrating with a trip to Punta Cana. She enjoyed swimming, snorkeling, jet-skiing, kayaking, paddle boating, taking friends and family for long trips around the lake. Bernie loved to travel the U.S. and abroad with family and friends, Paris being her favorite city, enjoying the food from foreign countries, especially her favorite pomme frites with mayo. Bernadette enjoyed latch hooking, which she won many ribbons for at the county fair, playing cards, talking on the phone, taking sunset pictures and partying. She was gifted in social skills, talking to everyone, remembering names, birthdates and phone numbers. She was witty and had a great sense of humor. Bernadette is survived by her sisters Kathy Morgan (Larry Suino) and Dorothy Anderson (Angelo Chiocchi); brother Royce (Pam) Anderson; nieces and nephews Kristine (Mike) Jones, Todd (Tonia) Pierce, Kaite Anderson and Andrei Anderson and step-nephew Nick Bronzyk; great nieces and nephews Brittany, Jacob, Zachary and Caleb Jones, Brandon (Charlot) and Derrick Pierce; step-mother Linnea Anderson; step-sister Marsha (Bruce)

Torretti and two daughters; step-brothers Tom (Cindy) Porta and their nine children, Chuck (Kitty) Porta and their four children. Family will greet friends on Friday, June 7 from 9:30-12 p.m. at St. Mary's Church in Norway. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Friday at 12 p.m. at St. Mary's Church with Fr. Timothy Ekaitis, presiding. Her family request that in lieu of flowers a memorial will be established in Bernie's name.

# Tribute Wall

RM

“ *My deepest sympathies Dorothy and family. Bernie taught me so much about life. It's unreal when I think about it. Prayers for her and your entire family...*

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**Rich Mrozinski** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ *We were so sad to hear the passing of Brennie . She was such a wonderful person we enjoyed spending time with her. She was always the life of the party always made us smile and laugh. We were blessed to have known her and her love of life. Bernnie was so blessed to have you Dorothy and Kathy you were wonderful to her. My God comfort you in your time of loss. Know we are thinking of you.*

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**Traci Kevin Nathan Mariah Johnson** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ *We are so sorry about bernie. Our deepest sympathy. Our thoughts are with you and your family.*

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**larry, maria, lisa garcia** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *God sent us a special gift. Now we know why.  
Thank You Bernadette for teaching us what life is all about.  
See ya later.....  
Love You Much, Debbie, David,Brianna, and Joey XOXO*

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**Debra Singer (Oberthaler)** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ To Dorothy and Family - My sincere sympathy to all of you. I always admired the great care you took of Bernie, taking her on trips overseas and in our country! Her life was absolutely full of all of the best--Dorothy, I truly enjoyed seeing you at mass in Norway all of the time--Bernie always giving you hugs!! May she now rest in peace and blessings to all of you for loving your Bernie so fully!  
Carol Socha

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**Carol Socha** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ To Dorothy and family, So sorry to hear of the loss of Bernie, I have such great memories of her going out to lunch, going to great america, or just seeing her around, she always knew who i was it made me feel special. Love You and thinking of you

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**Stacey Senger Long** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Dear Kathy and Dorothy and family,  
I was so sad to hear of Bernie's passing. I remember when she was born, and how she was loved. I loved seeing her when I visited Norway, and felt like she was my special friend  
My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Love, Carol

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**Carol Brown** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BO

“ My heart is sad with the thought of not seeing my dear cousin Bern for a while ,but happy with the thought that she is at her Heavenly home with my Uncle and Aunt surrounded in The Lord's love.

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**Brett Oberthaler** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ Please except my most heartfelt sympathies for the loss of Bernie..My thoughts are with you and your family. May you take comfort in knowing an Angel is watching over you. God Bless.

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**Patti Flaminio Dunlap** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Rest in peace our special "Angel" you are free. We love you forever.  
Mike , Kris, Brittany, Jacob,  
Zachary, & Caleb  
XOXOXO

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**The Jones Family** - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM