



## Becky J. Colgan

November 16, 1947 - October 2, 2013

Becky J. Bower Colgan, 65, of Whippoorwill Lane, Leeper, died Wednesday, October 2, 2013, at her home after a courageous battle with cancer.

Born November 16, 1947 in Brookville; she was the daughter of Edwin O. Burns and Beulah Kerr Burns Bain.

Becky was first married in October 1981 to Raymond Bower, and he preceded her in death on November 21, 1999. She was later married on April 20, 2002 to David G. Colgan, and he survives.

She graduated from Clarion University of Pennsylvania with an associate degree in business.

Becky worked as a caseworker for Community Action and C.R.I.

She was a member of the Immaculate Conception Church in Clarion.

Surviving are five children, Edwin Ortiz and his wife, Kandy, of Summerville, Scott Ortiz and his wife, Lori, of Bela, Leza Sheakley and her husband, Dennis, of St. Petersburg, Beth Shumaker and her husband, Gary, of Clarion, and David Ortiz and his fiancé, Natalie, of Denver, CO; eight step-children, Andre Gentile of Canton, OH, Brett Colgan and his wife, Stacey, of Barberton, OH, Greg Bower of Clarion, Joan Bower of Washington D.C., Lisa Bower of Virginia, Becky Lewis of Punxsutawney, Valerie Himes and her husband, Craig, of Falls Creek, and Andy Bower and his wife, Becky, of Templeton; twenty-eight grandchildren; and ten great grandchildren.

Also surviving is a brother, Ray L. Burns and his wife, Mary, Harvest, AL.

She was preceded in death by her parents and first husband, Ray.

Family will receive friends from 1 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 7 p.m. on Sunday, October 6, 2013, in the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home, 638 Wood Street, Clarion.

Christian wake service will be held at 7 p.m. on Sunday, October 6, 2013, in the funeral home.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10 a.m. on Monday, October 7, 2013, in the Immaculate Conception Church, Clarion, with Rev. Monty Sayers, pastor of the Immaculate Conception Church, presiding.

Interment will be held in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall



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Robert V Burns Funeral Home - August 01, 2017 at 12:44 PM



“ I WILL MISS YOU MORE THAN YOU WILL EVER KNOW. YOU WERE A WONDERFUL WIFE. I WILL LOVE YOU ALWAYS.YOUR LOVING HUSBAND.DAVE!!

Dave Colgan - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ I will miss you.What a great wife you were.I will love you always. LOVE DAVE!!

Dave Colgan - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Dave, So sorry to hear of your loss, you are in my thoughts and Prayers, May GOD be with you. I will always remember her sweet smile and kindness. Beth, you went to school with my daughter Deb Brown Watterson. You have my condolences you and the rest of the children. May GOD give you peace and comfort for the loss of your love one. R.I.P Becky.

Jean Hartle - October 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

WV

“ Dave,  
We are sorry to hear of Becky passing she was such nice person.  
She always seemed to have a smile on her face. She will truly be  
missed by all including us.  
Love Ya Angelo & Wanda

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**Wanda & Angelo Viselli** - October 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LE

“ So very sorry...Becky was a wonderful caring friend and I will miss  
her.

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**Linda Elliott** - October 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ Becky was a wonderful person. She will be missed by so many. RIP  
Becky and my sincere sympathy to her family

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**Kathy Glosser** - October 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ Glad I came to Clarion to see you while you were able to converse  
with. Mary and I enjoyed the time we spent with you. You were the  
sister who was there for me when I needed help. I will miss you  
greatly and will love you forever.  
Your loving brother

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**Ray Burns** - October 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your courageous wife, Dave. You  
and your family are in my Prayers.

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**Mary Ann Lavery** - October 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM