



Lerleine M. George

January 30, 2017

Lerleine M. George, known as "George" to family, friends & colleagues, 57, of Lancaster, PA, died unexpectedly on Sunday evening, January 30, 2017. Born and raised in Brooklyn, New York, she was the daughter of Eulalia "Maddy" George and the late Anselmo George.

Shortly after graduating from high school, Lerleine joined the U. S. Army, spent 15 years as an enlisted soldier serving her country, including tours in Germany and in Korea, and reached the status of Staff Sargent in the Armed Services. After an honorable discharge, Lerleine went on to work in the shipping and insurance industries, having attained the level of manager in each, until she found her true calling in the Department of Corrections in Lancaster County, PA. Lerleine worked as a Corrections Officer for 15 years in the Lancaster County Prison, working the night shift, until she died. She served as a union representative for a portion of that time and an "excellent" model employee during all of that time. It was her failure to show up for work that prompted an inquiry into her well being.

Lerleine enjoyed playing with her dog, listening to music, playing video games, bowling, and watching sports, especially football and basketball.

Lerleine had a big, big heart and was there for everyone. She was a generous, fun-loving person who enjoyed getting to know people.

Lerleine is survived by her Mother, "Maddy" brother, Lester; sister, Lisa; and niece, Amanda as well as best friends, Randy, Norma, and Marcie; aunt Gail; uncle Randy; cousins, Laverne, Noreen, Nerissa, Naquan, Kahleel,

Christopher, Ava and Sirai; and countless other family, friends and colleagues. Lerleine was preceded in death by her father, "Mikey", maternal and paternal grandparents, aunts Joan and Greta, and uncle Keith.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Lerleine's Celebration of Life Memorial Service on Tuesday, February 7, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. at The Groffs Family Funeral & Cremation Services Inc., 528 West Orange St. (corner of W. Orange & Pine Sts.), Lancaster, PA 17603. The family will receive friends at The Groffs on Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. until time of service. Interment will be held in Calverton National Cemetery in Wading River, New York. Please omit flowers. Memorial remembrances may be made in Lerleine's memory to vday.org, an organization committed to ending violence against women and girls, or inmemoryoflerleine@gmail.com.

Cemetery Details

Calverton National Cemetery

Wading River, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 7. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc
528 W Orange St.
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Lerleine M. George*



The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc - February 06, 2017 at 04:34 PM



Outstanding!

Deborah Ray-Barton - February 06, 2017 at 09:52 PM



“ *Lerleine M. George*

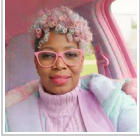
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“ *"Gee".... I see you in my thoughts everyday. I think it's because I still struggle with the reality of you going home. I didn't see it coming. We were just in CCII and DB laughing and gossiping. You would say "girl you crazy"and laugh yourself into a coughing frenzy. I'll NEVER forget our friendship. I'll NEVER forget "how them beautiful grandbabies doing" Just like with everyone else... You hold a special place in my thoughts and heart. Until we meet again my friend...I love you Gee.*



Irene Riley - February 07, 2017 at 12:38 PM



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Deborah Ray-Barton - February 06, 2017 at 11:08 PM

MC

“ *Lerleine, I will miss your love and friendship. I will never forget you.*

*Love and respect,
Michael D. Costello*

Michael D. Costello - February 06, 2017 at 08:40 PM

JC

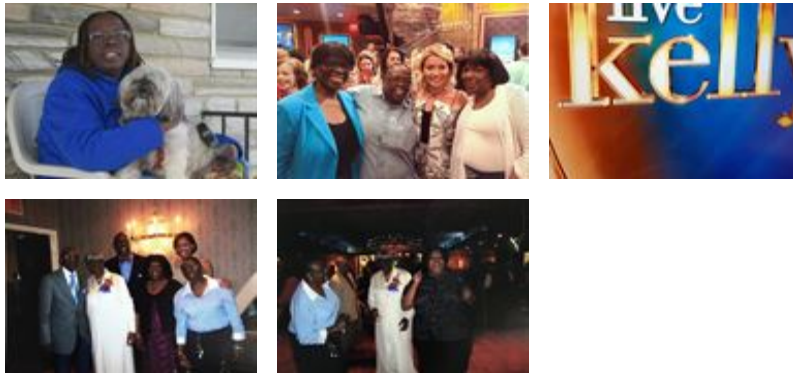
“ George, you will be missed by so many. I could be having the worst day and you had the ability to walk into my office and just light the room up! You had a talent for embracing the great and positive things in life and lifting our mood. You knew how to remind Shannon and I what was really important in life. You helped Shannon and I through a life tragedy and always checked in on us to see how our family was doing. I can't remember a time you were not upbeat and providing encouragement to everyone around you. Thank you for your true friendship and genuine concern for my family and I will never forget you and I will look at life from your prospective which is always having the opportunity to make another friend and helping your friends in need. You are one of a kind and we will greatly miss you and the talks we've had. Until we meet again, God Bless!!!

Jon and Shannon Collins

Jon Collins - February 06, 2017 at 04:39 PM



“ 26 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc - February 06, 2017 at 04:07 PM

EQ

“ *Esinam Quarcoo lit a candle in memory of Lerleine M. George*



Esinam Quarcoo - February 06, 2017 at 10:20 AM

DB

“ *I remember when I took that photo of you and Karma like it was yesterday. SIP my High School buddy. I am going to miss you so much!*



Deborah Barton - February 06, 2017 at 05:16 AM

KO

“ *We will remember Lerleine as a sensitive and kind-hearted neighbor. Katya and Oleksa*

Katya & Oleksa - February 05, 2017 at 08:14 PM



“ *May she rip...I will miss her but never forget her...she gave me so much encouragement And even lectured me but she was trying to tell me to do the right thing and to do better in life she was a wonderful lady that I will never forget...my heart goes out to her family and friends <3 fly high miss george*

Kayla Ashley - February 05, 2017 at 11:48 AM

MR

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m roberts - February 05, 2017 at 11:26 AM

EK

“ *Lerleine, you will be so missed by many. From the time I first met you, until my retirement, you always had kind words and a smile on your face.....no matter what was going on or how you were feeling. I remember the conversations we had, and your upbeat, positive, attitude. You have touched so many lives in so many ways, each and every day, and that my friend will be very much missed. Rest in Peace Lerleine, as your watch has now ended here on earth. Until we meet again my friend. Hugs.*

Ed Klinovski - February 04, 2017 at 06:02 PM

JW

“ *I'm gonna miss you so much! Your laugh your smile and especially your advice . I'm grateful to have met you and say you were a friend . Fly high my friend !*



jodi wendling - February 04, 2017 at 10:14 AM

BL

“ *You were a kind and compassionate woman who always thought of others. Your hugs and kisses will be greatly missed! Until we meet again...*

Brian Levitan - February 04, 2017 at 09:28 AM



“ George, L you have touched so many lives in your short time here on earth, for all of us that you have touched a small part of you shall live on.. Thank you for being YOU, someone that was REAL, someone that took a moment to make someone else feel special, for your caring ways, your smile, your hugs, your kisses will truly be missed. RIP Officer George, L for you have made a difference.....
Love Bren

Brenda Ambrose - February 03, 2017 at 09:19 PM