



## Mrs. Colleen P. Dye

January 9, 1958 - April 12, 2020

Colleen P. Dye of Cortland passed away on Easter Sunday, April 12, 2020 at the age of 62. Colleen was born on January 9, 1958 in Passaic, N.J., a daughter of the late George and Margaret Cooke.

Colleen worked part time receptionist jobs until 2003 when she opened Dye Lot Quilting, until 2011 when the business closed. Colleen adored her grandchildren and had a passion for quilting. Over the years she had been active in Pumpkinfest, S.P.C.A. Relay for Life and Loaves & Fishes as well as activities with Randall and Virgil Schools.

Colleen leaves behind her husband of 38 years, Kenneth Dye; her daughters; Kristen (Thomas) Gregory, Kelly (Daniel Wood) Dye and Kacey (Rusty) Weeks; her brother; George Cooke of Seaside Heights, N.J. , sisters; Sandra Maglio of Beach Haven West, N.J., and Nancy (William) Leonard of Willseyville; her grandchildren; Kollin Rae, Rhett, Isaiah, Khia, Julia and Ziggy; four nephews and one niece. In addition she leaves behind 2 cats and 2 dogs.

The family would like to thank Dr. Malakar, the nurses and staff on 2 South and ICU, Lori Wilson, Mary Wright and Toni Murdough at Guthrie Cortland Medical Center.

At this time services are being postponed and a Memorial Service will be held

at a later date. Arrangements are under the direction of Riccardi Funeral Home, Cortland, N.Y. Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting [www.riccardifuneralhome.com](http://www.riccardifuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

JH

“ So sorry for your loss.  
Jill Haines.



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**Jill Haines** - April 19, 2020 at 07:11 PM

JM

“ So sorry for your loss. Our prayers go out to you and all your family.  
God Bless you all.

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**JoAnne and Jack Manley.** - April 19, 2020 at 05:46 PM

SD

“ Colleen was a part of my life since I was 10 years old and my step mom since I was 12 and she was one of the few good step parents out there. She was kind, sweet, selfless, caring, and loving, the world will be a lot less crafty without her in it. She can sleep in peace now without all of her pain. 🙏💙😭



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**Shanna Dye** - April 19, 2020 at 08:41 AM

RR

“ Kenneth, Kristen, Kelly & Kacey,

*We grieve for you and with you. May your happiest memories get you through these most difficult times.*

*Roy & Celeste Rounseville*

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**Roy Rounseville** - April 17, 2020 at 12:46 PM

MD

“ Michelle Doe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Colleen P. Dye



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**Michelle Doe** - April 16, 2020 at 08:46 PM

MD

*To Ken and family - As you know, my when my mom was a student at TC3 she met Colleen working at the reception desk.. I'm so lucky they became friends because after that we spent many years making crafts and making memories in Home Bureau. Lots of laughs, wonderful, fun memories. I'm so sorry about your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Michelle Doe** - April 16, 2020 at 08:55 PM

 Lynn  
New

“ Please accept my sincerest sympathies at the profound loss of Colleen. I have only good memories of all of you and your contributions to our Virgil School Community. She was so supportive and positive of all we tried to accomplish. I cannot imagine how you are all dealing with this. Know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers. Lynn New

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**Lynn New** - April 16, 2020 at 04:51 PM

SO

*So sorry about Colleen. I am in shock. I will remember all the mornings at the quilt shop and all those quilt trips. Such a loss.*

**Shelby O'Colleen** - May 22, 2020 at 09:19 PM

PS

*“condolences, thoughts and prayers at your time of grief. so sorry. be strong and console each other. paul & diane slowey*

**paul Slowey** - April 16, 2020 at 04:12 PM

AB

*My condolences to Kelly and all the family*

**Annette Bonacci** - April 17, 2020 at 07:39 AM



*“ I have so many cherished memories of Colleen and the family. Quilt retreats, dinners at the house, just visiting at times... She will be missed at all of these events as we move forward. Colleen is now at peace with our Lord, no more pain or illness. I loved her like my own mother and I will miss her as equally.*

**Kelly Stahl** - April 16, 2020 at 12:14 PM



*“ Kelly Stahl lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Colleen P. Dye*



**Kelly Stahl** - April 16, 2020 at 12:11 PM