



Miss Martha A. Gibbons

March 4, 1969 - August 30, 2015

Martha A. Gibbons, 46, formerly of Cortland passed away Sunday August 30, 2015 in Port Charlotte, Florida. Born, March 4, 1969 in Cortland, Martha was a daughter of Hazel Hamill Gibbons and John E. Gibbons.

Martha was a graduate of St. Mary's Parochial School, and was also a graduate of Cortland High School. She then went on to receive her Bachelor's degree from

S.U.N.Y. Plattsburgh and her Masters in education from S.U.N.Y. Cortland.

Martha possessed a beautiful smile and a loving and caring heart. She was a compassionate person and a respected and devoted educator who made a tremendous impact on those whose lives she touched.

Survivors include, her mother Hazel Gibbons of Cortland, a daughter. Kara Collins of Oswego, four brothers; John Daniel (Joan) Gibbons of Chittenango, Michael A. Gibbons of Cortland, Joseph B. (Dee Dee) Gibbons of Trinity, Florida and Anthony E. (Carrie) Gibbons of St. Petersburg, Florida., three sisters; Mary

K. (Steven) Canale of Oswego, Michele A. (Christopher) Maher of Islip, N.Y., Margaret J. Gibbons of Cortland., and a sister in law; Anne Gibbons of Gainesville, Florida and several loving nieces, nephews, and great nieces and nephews as well as many dear and loving friends. Martha was preceded in death by her father, John E. Gibbons in 2009 and by a brother, Patrick G.

Gibbons in 2007. A Celebration of her life was held Wednesday September 9, 2015 in Port Charlotte, Florida with her many loving family and friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Tuesday at 11 a.m. in St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Cortland with Rev. Joseph Zareski serving as celebrant. Prayers of committal will follow in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Cortland, N.Y. The family will be present to receive friends on Monday from 4-7 p.m. in the Chapel of Riccardi Funeral Home 69 N. Main St. Cortland, N.Y. Contributions in Martha's memory may be made to either the S.P.C.A. 879 McLean Rd., Cortland, N.Y. 13045 or St. Mary's Parochial School 61 N. Main St., Cortland, N.Y. 13045 Condolences may also be sent to the family by visiting www.riccardifuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall

SP

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Martha was a great person and friend. I have many wonderful memories. She will be missed. So sorry!

Sherrie Pribula - May 18, 2018 at 11:03 AM

TJ

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My condolences to the entire Gibbons family.

Tina Armstrong Johnson and family

Tina Armstrong Johnson - May 18, 2018 at 11:03 AM

PV

“ My deepest sympathies to the Gibbons family. I am very sorry for your loss.

Pete VanDemark - May 18, 2018 at 11:03 AM

DB

“ So very sorry for the the loss of your beautiful daughter, mother, sister, niece, aunt, and friend.... My thoughts are with you all.

Debbie Barckley - May 18, 2018 at 11:03 AM

MK

“ So sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers are with you.

Michelle Kuhn - May 18, 2018 at 11:03 AM

SJ

“ I am so very sorry for your loss. When I heard of Martha's passing it hit me hard. Martha and I grew up together, our brothers were best friends, we went to St. Mary's school and then Cortland High School. Our families lived just a few blocks from each other. Sadly, I moved away from Cortland years ago and we had lost touch but she always remained in my thoughts. She was such a sweet and beautiful person inside and out and a natural leader. I will always remember her infectious giggle and 'smiling' eyes. She was so kind to everyone, had such love for her family and was so loved by all who knew her. My thoughts and prayers are with you and I wish you peace.

Susan San Jule-Robinson - May 18, 2018 at 11:03 AM

MP

“ Dear Gibbons Family, You have our heartfelt sympathy. We are holding all of you in prayer. I met Martha when she was just a little girl. Patty Allen and I drove up to Courtland to visit her relatives; the Gibbons and Grandma Hamill. Martha was such a sweet little girl, always giggling and smiling. The Gibbons are a family of much love and looking out for each other. Hang onto all your wonderful memories of dear Martha. You WILL see her again. May God bless you all. Maryann, Ed and Lynn Pavlovic

Maryann Pavlovic - May 18, 2018 at 11:03 AM

TJ

“ My thoughts & prayers are with the family & friends during this difficult time. Cherish your memories!

Theresa Brooks Jones - May 18, 2018 at 11:03 AM



“ So sorry for your loss Gibbons family.

September 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry for your loss..my thoughts are with all of the Gibbons family

March 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM