



# Teri Lynn Rangel

SEP 30, 2016



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## **Teri Lynn Rangel**

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**T**eri Lynn Rangel, 55, passed away Friday, September 30, 2016 after complications from a long, courageous battle with dementia. She is preceded in death by her parents, James and Molly Van Cleave. She is survived by her loving husband of 33 years, Robert Rangel; daughter, Teresa Rangel Simmons and husband, Charles; son, Harley Rangel daughter-in-law Candice Rangel; adopted brother and longtime friend, Mike Denham; sisters, Melinda Preddy and husband, Mike, Karen McDonough and husband, Rick; grandchildren, Jillian and Carter Simmons, Evan and Reese Rangel; caretaker and adopted family member that went above and beyond, LaTasha St. Julien; and a host of other family and friends.

Teri worked for the Southern Pacific Railroad from 1979 to 1994. After leaving the railroad, she worked at International Specialty Products in Texas City from 1994 until 2010 as a Raw Materials Clerk. She loved the outdoors, especially camping and fishing. Teri loved her Texas heritage and enjoyed traveling all of over the great state of Texas. She was fiercely protective of her kids and grandkids and was affectionately known as "MeMe". She was a true shopping warrior and loved her purses and perfumes. Teri had a strong disposition and her determination helped her win her battle against breast cancer in 2004. She will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

A visitation for Teri will be held Tuesday, October 4, 2016 from 5:00 until 8:00 pm at Clayton Funeral Home, 5530 W. Broadway, Pearland, Texas 77581. The graveside service will take place Wednesday, October 5, 2016 at 1:00 pm at Alvin Confederate Cemetery in Alvin, Texas.



## Tribute Wall

Teri Lynn Rangel

RW

**Rhonda Abshire-Wiatrek** posted:

Missing my childhood friend in a serious way today. Thinking about going skating and picking blackberries with Teri. I know that I will see her again on that fine, fine day when I get called home to be with my Father, my Maker in Heaven. I sure do love you even though you can't see this and I can no longer see you, but I'm pretty sure you knew that. Resting in peace my friend, my heart. Rhonda Kay Abshire-Wiatrek

January 12 at 7:00 PM

KP

**Katrina Purcell** posted:

Teresa, I am so very sorry to hear this. I will be in prayer for healing and peace in your heart and the ones of your family. Much love to you my sweet friend.

October 23 at 7:00 PM

RS

**Reba Smith** posted:

Melinda, my heart is so heavy for you and your family. So young and so vibrant to be taken away by such a devastating disease. Know that I have been thinking of you and praying for a miracle for Teri. God had His own plans for her and when He saw there was to be no cure and the struggle was too hard He gently took her hand and led her to a place of peace and calm where she will be forever free of pain and disease. I know it's hard. Just remember you haven't really lost her because you know exactly where she is. Safe in the arms of Jesus and forever in your heart. Peace be with you and your family. With love,

October 10 at 7:00 PM

DA

**Danny Abbott** posted:

My deepest condolence to the Rangel family. Robert I worked with Teri at SPRR in Beaumont. I remember her smile and her kind disposition toward people in general. I know that she will be missed by family and friends. Find strength in GOD's word.

October 6 at 7:00 PM

JE

**Joe Elliff** posted:

Teri was a pleasure to work with and always smiling. She will be missed by her work community. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

October 4 at 7:00 PM



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TH

**Teresa Hall** posted:

The world is a little less bright now that Teri isn't in it. She was such a sweet and bubbly person. I got the pleasure of working with her at ISP for a while and she was so much fun to be around. She renamed me T-Hall and renamed Teresa Goodwin T-Renee. I will truly miss her. Robert I pray for you and your family and I know God has you all safely in his arms. May he give you the peace that only he can at this time.

October 3 at 7:00 PM

JF

**James Auberry Sprr Conductor & Friend** posted:

I have known Teri for over 30 years . She was warm and friendly, and people from all walks of life were drawn to her. She could be funny and entertaining without even trying . Once she was sharing a trip she and Robert had taken to a lake . They had loaded up their dog and made a road trip . She was describing arriving at the lake, getting out of the car; and that he immediately ran to the water, and started rolling around on a dead rabbit. It was so vivid, but she made it sound like Robert was the one rolling with the dead rabbit. I had to stop her, and ask ...Robert ? . we both fell into laughter and the whole office followed . We will miss you Teri . You and Robert will always be in our hearts . Love you both .....JAMES AUBERRY

October 3 at 7:00 PM

JC

**Joellen Carelli** posted:

Our deepest sympathy to you and your family during this difficult time. She will be remembered dearly. Hold on to the memories and the times you shared. We pray that God grants you the peace to cope with your loss. Just know that you are not alone and that Families are for Eternity. Our Love and Condolences ~~ Rudy & JoJo

October 3 at 7:00 PM

JG

**Johnny Goodson** posted:

Condolences to entire family. I worked with Terri at southern pacific railroad. Location on Franklin St. She was a joy to everyone. Gone too soon and will be missed.

October 3 at 7:00 PM



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**Teri Lynn Rangel**

BK

**Brad And Judy Kendall** posted:

We only knew Teri a short time before her illness started to take over. She was always a welcome smile at Legend's on league nights. Everyone loved her. Judy remembers how she and Teri would go to Chili's for dinner and how her favorite meal was the Southwest Egg Rolls. Terri was a wonderful person and we wish we had known her sooner. God bless you Robert for your unending devotion to her.

October 3 at 7:00 PM

TG

**Teresa Goodwin** posted:

Teri and I worked together for years at ISP Technologies. Teri was always smiling and happy. We would go shopping together and even went camping with her and Robert. Robert and family, so sorry for your loss. She will be missed and thought of daily! Love you Teri

October 2 at 7:00 PM

TG

**Teresa Goodwin** posted:

Robert, very sorry for your loss. She was loved in so many ways. Worked with Teri for many years and she was always smiling and happy. Teri, T-Hall and I went shopping a few times, I even went deer hunting - camping with her and Robert. Love you Teri, you will be missed and thought of daily

October 2 at 7:00 PM

JW

**Jaime Wilkins** posted:

I enjoyed the time I worked with Terri. She was a great person and coworker. She will be missed. My prayers are with you.

October 2 at 7:00 PM

ED

**Elouise Delao** posted:

So sorry for your loss. She was a great person and I enjoyed working with her. Prayers for you and your family.

October 2 at 7:00 PM



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BC

**Bryan & Johanna Collins** posted:

We are heart broken to hear this news. She was such a special lady. You're in our prayers Robert and family.

October 2 at 7:00 PM

LA

**Linda Anzaldua** posted:

My Deepest Condolences to Teri' s Family and Friends. I worked with her for some time at SIP. Teri was always sweet and caring Lady. My prayers for all.

October 2 at 7:00 PM

TJ

**Tammy Petry Johnson** posted:

Gone too young my sweet friend! Will always cherish the good times we had in our late teens & early twenties. We had lots of laughs together. Rest in peace "Red" your family will be in my prayers. Love you

October 2 at 7:00 PM

KJ

**Kathy Jennings** posted:

My deepest sympathy for Teri's family. I worked with her for 12 years at ISP. She was always such a sweet and friendly person. I know she will be greatly missed by her family and friends. She is in GOD's loving hands.

October 2 at 7:00 PM

GL

**Gloria** posted:

Though you were taken all too soon..... I take comfort in knowing that I will not only see you again when I cross over but that we shall share eternity together. I love you Teri Lynn. Until we meet again.

October 1 at 7:00 PM

GM

**Glenn McClammy** posted:

Prayers and good thoughts with you Robert and your family during this this time no more suffering and pain.

October 1 at 7:00 PM



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AK

**Angie Kirk** posted:

I'm so sorry for your loss of beautiful Teri. Praying for all

October 1 at 7:00 PM

JT

**John Tilley** posted:

Our heartfelt condolences for Robert and family. May Terri rest in peace.

October 1 at 7:00 PM

SM

**Shirleen Melancon** posted:

I didn't know Teri or her family, but as the wife of Railroad Employee Wayne Melancon, who I lost in February, I wanted to say how deeply sorry I am for your loss. I hope that you find comfort in precious memories of her. You all will be in my prayers and may your sweet Teri rest in peace in the arms of the Angels.

October 1 at 7:00 PM

MS

**Merle Brady Sehon** posted:

Robert, although we haven't seen each other since high school, I remember our friendship and am so sorry to hear about your wife. She sounds like she was a wonderful person you were blessed to love. May these coming days pass with peace and no stress. Grief takes its own time. Let no one hurry you on that journey. God bless you and keep you and your family.

October 1 at 7:00 PM

RT

**Rhonda Babin Treaster** posted:

I'm so sorry to hear about Teri. I remember her as such a beautiful, fun, and positive lady. I know she will be missed. Many prayers. Rhonda Treaster (Steve's wife)

October 1 at 7:00 PM

WB

**Walter Bynum** posted:

I loved working with Teri at Franklin Street for Southern Pacific. She will be missed.

October 1 at 7:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Teri by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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