



Gale Anne Daddona

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Gale Anne Daddona, age 45, of the Angola area of Lewes, DE, died suddenly on Tuesday, April 27, 2010 in Lewes as a result of an automobile accident. She was born December 11, 1964 in Suffolk, VA, daughter of Annie Ruth Britt of Currituck, NC and the late George Albert Britt.

Gale graduated from Currituck High School and from the College of Albermarle with a degree in Cosmetology. She had previously worked as a hairdresser, but currently was working in the cafeteria at Rehoboth Elementary School, Rehoboth Beach, and in the Volunteer Mentor Program of Cape Henlopen School District. She loved working for the school district because she had her summers off which allowed her plenty of time to go to the beach and spend time with family and friends. She also loved all wild life and never hesitated to nurse back to health ailing pets and critters that crossed her path.

Gale was a devoted wife, mother and friend who lived life with a passion. In turn, she was loved by all who knew her and inspired many. She had a very big heart and was always giving of herself to family and friends.

In addition to her mother, she is survived by her husband, Steven Robert Daddona whom she married on August 7, 1997; two sons, Ian Patrick Day and Zane M. Daddona, both at home; two sisters, Bonnie Lou Manasco of Danville, VA and Lynn C. Crabtree of Washington state. In addition to her father, she was preceded in death by her brother Robert D. Carlisle.

A Celebration of Gale's Life will be held on Wednesday, May 5, 2010, at 6:00 PM, at Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE. Family will greet friends at the funeral home beginning at 4:00 PM. Interment will be private. The family will then gather with friends at the Irish Eyes Restaurant, 213 Anglers Road, Lewes, DE.

Family suggests donations be made payable to: "Gale Daddona's Children's Education Fund", c/o Wilmington Trust Bank, 19511 Camelot Drive, Rehoboth Beach, DE 19971 or mailed or delivered



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to any Wilmington Trust Office.

Please sign the online guestbook at www.parsellfuneralhomes.com

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GF

G.Ford posted:

I would like to offer my deepest sympathies to you. All of us have experienced the loss of a loved one. I am so sorry for your loss. Please know that you are never alone. Turn to the Holy Scriptures for guidance and to help soothe your heart. Psalms 34;18 assures us that God is near to those broken at heart and crushed in spirit. And you can also visit jw.org for more comfort .Please accept my deepest sympathies.

June 16 at 8:00 PM

TF

Tammy Perry Fincham posted:

I know this is so very late, but I only just found out about this today. I was searching for Gale on Facebook and it brought me to this link.Gale and I were really good friends. She introduced my future husband to me. We are still married after 26 years. I babysat Ian when he was just a baby. We traded services - I would do her income taxes for hair cuts and color. I always enjoyed telling people about her ability to burp the alphabet. It just seemed so funny coming from such a cute and petite blonde.We lost touch with each other when she moved to Delaware, but I thought of her often and every time my husband and I reminisced about how we met Gale always came up in the conversation. We had hoped to get in touch with her again to thank her for bringing us together.Steve, Ian and Zane, I don't know if you will ever see this message, but I want you to know that Gale was a wonderful friend and she will be greatly missed. You will be in our thoughts and prayers and may the Lord give you peace and comfort.

September 25 at 8:00 PM

JL

Judy L posted:

Hey Gailfriend. thinking of you as I do always. think of you the most when i have something FUNNY to share, with you. can you hear me laughing! Miss you greatly.

November 16 at 8:00 PM

JU

Judy posted:

Ok.....So it Is September!You are still on my mind. What is heaven like?I got your msg when I found the little Turtle While I was running! only you , Only you Gale.Damn I miss you!Judy

September 4 at 8:00 PM



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JL

Judy Lodge posted:

Missing you today.Beach day, without my beach buddy!

June 22 at 8:00 PM

JL

Judy Lodge posted:

I walk down my road for a walk and people still ask me about you!! ask me about you!Why you?????
xo judy

June 8 at 8:00 PM

TO

Tracy Matlack Odlum posted:

We hadn't seen each other in years, but we were very close in high school. Life took us in different directions and we lost touch. But I have always thought about Gale and have special memories of her. She was a very good friend to me. God Bless her entire family. I pray that her husband, boys, and mother find the comfort and strength they need during this time. Love you Gale.

May 24 at 8:00 PM

JL

Judy L posted:

Awake, thinking of you Gale!! miss you soooo much!! heard your song the other day on the radio!
Thank you!xo Judy

May 17 at 8:00 PM

SP

"Stella" Irene Pope posted:

Steve, I am sorry that I was unable to attend the memorial service. My heart goes out to you and your children at this most difficult time. God Bless you all and Hold you in his eternal grace. Love Stella

May 4 at 8:00 PM



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BL

B. Lyons posted:

Steve,I am truly very sorry for your loss. My heart sunk when I found out. I hope that you and the boys are getting along okay and finding a way to move forward from this sadness.Always remember the good times and keep in mind the advice that you always gave me. "Stay out of your head".If I am unable to make it down I just want you to know that I am here thinking about you and feeling your sadness. If you need to reach out feel free to do so brlyons2@yahoo.com.All my love to you and the boys.Brenda M Lyons

May 4 at 8:00 PM

GD

Gary Todd Dozier posted:

Gale & I had many good times in High School. She was a great friend. So sad how life happens sometimes. My thoughts & prayers are with Gale & her family at this time. May she rest in peace....Love ya girl!!

May 4 at 8:00 PM

LD

Lyndee Demeo posted:

Gale was a sweet, lovely person - a good mom - full of love. She had a big heart and nursed many a helpless orphaned animal back to health. She will be missed.

May 4 at 8:00 PM

TF

The Prouse Family posted:

Brent Prouse, Ian's teammate and schoomate at Sussex Tech, and the Prouse family want to send our thoughts and prayers out to your family. We truly are sorry for this tragedy to have happened in your lives.

May 3 at 8:00 PM

RS

Ruth Steveson posted:

Dear Steve,Ian and Zane,I've known Gale since she was 19 years old and what a fun person to know. I can't imagine anyone knowing her and not feeling the same. Steve I hope to be here for you and the boys with TerryLoveRuthie and Neil Niles and Ariel

May 2 at 8:00 PM



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TG

Terry And Doug Gardner posted:

Dear Ian, Zane, and Steve, Doug and I had known Gale since about 1984, before Ian was born or even thought of. She was always a light with a smile and a laugh to cheer anyone. Once she became a mom, her focus turned to the kids and she worked tirelessly to see to it that they had a good life. We will never forget her beautiful smile and dedication to family. Gale will always be in our hearts along with her family. Love, Terry & Doug Gardner

May 1 at 8:00 PM

JE

Jeannie Elgin posted:

We will remember Gail for being a fun and loving person. Thank you for making our children smile on a daily basis. The Elgins

May 1 at 8:00 PM

RS

Robbie Smith posted:

She was a good friend. I loved her Friday dance. She was an awesome Lunch Lady. Always in our hearts. Will be sadly missed.

May 1 at 8:00 PM

SS

Shannon Schwartz posted:

I'LL MISS YOUR GREAT HUMOR AND ADVICE ABOUT RAISING KIDS AND BEING A MOM. WE SHARED BOTH GOOD AND BAD TIMES THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL AND OUR EARLY TWENTIES. YOU WILL ALWAYS BE IN MY HEART. MISS YOU! LOVE, SHANNON

April 30 at 8:00 PM

MA

Margie posted:

BE SURE WHEN YOU SEE A TEAR ON A CHEEK, A HEART IS TOUCHED. You have touched many heart girlfriend. Thank You for touching mine.

April 30 at 8:00 PM



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RA

Ronny Atkins posted:

Gale Anne you will truly be missed. I will miss your funny and devilish e-mails we sent each other. I know you and Albert are looking down together to make sure your Mom is OK. My prayers are with your children and husband as they cope with such a terrible blow to their lives.

April 30 at 8:00 PM

RA

Robert & Jean Atkins posted:

To our bubbly, full fo life neice whom will be missed and never forgotten.Love to Steve, Ian & Zane!

April 30 at 8:00 PM

CA

Catherine Frances Atkins posted:

Love you!Miss you!

April 30 at 8:00 PM

PE

Pete posted:

Gale was a great friend and will be really missed. I have alot of fond memories sitting in the kitchen listening to the latest stories she had of the boys and catching up on the music scene from Steve while Bella sat purring on my lap and the hair that I still had remaining on my head slowly migrated to the floor.

April 29 at 8:00 PM

KM

Karen Roberts Meyer posted:

I've known Gale 30 some years. Wonderful memories of being young kids together in high school. She is gone from earth much too early. Her family will always be in my prayers.

April 29 at 8:00 PM

JL

Judy Lodge posted:

Gale,My Galefriend.If flowers were friends I'd pick you!RIP and I will see you again.

April 29 at 8:00 PM



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Louise Foster posted:

My sincere sympathy to Zane and family. I am Zane's choir teacher and feel so bad for him. He is a dear.

April 29 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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