



# Tina Marie Kratz

JUN 5, 1961 - JUN 1, 2022



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## **Tina Marie Kratz**

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**T**ina Marie Kratz, age 60 of Seaford, DE passed away on Wednesday, June 1, 2022. She was born on June 5, 1961, in Wichita, KS, daughter of the late Lynn and Joan (MacMichael) Chilcott.

Tina held multiple advanced degrees, including an MBA. During her career, she worked for the State of Delaware and Nanticoke Hospital. Tina also established job centers in Delaware libraries. She had many and varied interests and hobbies. Tina enjoyed gardening, volunteering for diverse causes, boating with her husband, and relaxing on the beach. A kindhearted spirit with a charitable nature, she would lend a helping hand to anyone in need. Her passion was volunteerism, donating time and giving her all in everything she did, especially when it came to helping people or the community.

Tina was awarded Volunteer of the Year in 2015 and the Governor's Outstanding Volunteer Award in 2010. Her devotion to her family, took precedence above all. The time she spent with those she held most dear was what Tina cherished most. She was a loving and dedicated wife, mother, grandmother, and friend. Loved by many, Tina will be deeply and genuinely missed by all who had the good fortune to know her.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her brothers, Robert and John Chilcott. Tina is survived by her beloved husband of 41 years, Michael Kratz; her sons: Michael Kratz II of Pen Argyl, PA, and Andrew Kratz of Lake Hopatcong, NJ; her daughter, Adrienne Gorzelic of Nazareth, PA; her grandchildren: Joseph Pysher, Nicholas Kratz, Michael Kratz, Amelia Kratz, all of Pen Argyl, PA; Bryce Gorzelic of Nazareth, PA; Paulina and Valentina Kratz, from Lake Hopatcong, NJ; her brothers: Jim Chilcott, Chris McCurdy, Tim Chilcott; and her sisters: Laurie Morris, Linda Galligan, Dawn McCurdy, Joanie Tomar, Debbie Connors, and Le Anna Chilcott.

Funeral Services will be held on Monday, June 13, 2022, at 11:00 AM at Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium Hardesty Chapel, 202 Laws Street, Bridgeville, DE, where friends may visit beginning at 10:00 AM.



## Obituary

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All who cannot attend in person are invited to join the services via live streaming by visiting the following link:

<http://www.parsellfuneralhomes.com/obituaries/permalink/10535137/LTWebcast>.

Due to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic, Parsell Funeral Homes requires that masks be worn at all times while inside the facility.

In lieu of flowers the family suggest donations in Tina's memory to Good Ole Boys Foundation, GOBF-LN 36111 Pear Tree Rd., Millsboro, DE 19966.

Please sign Tina's virtual guestbook located on the tribute page.

FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE DELIVER ALL ARRANGEMENTS BY 5:00 PM ON SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 2022 TO OUR BRIDGEVILLE LOCATION.



# Events

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## Visitation

- Monday**, June 13, 2022
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium Hardesty Chapel**  
202 Laws Street, Bridgeville DE 19933



## Funeral Service

- Monday**, June 13, 2022
- 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET
- Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium Hardesty Chapel**  
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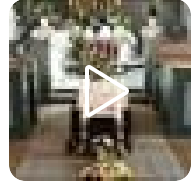


# Tribute Wall

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**Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium** shared a **Webcast Video**.



June 7 at 12:18 PM



**Barbara Woolard** posted:

What a wonderful human being this lady was. She was my supervisor when I was a Foster Grandparent a few years back. Always a champion for the elderly, she made sure all of were taken care of. We loved and missed her when she left the program, but no one ever forgot her and her kindnessBarbara Woolard, Bridgeville DE

June 28 at 4:08 AM



**Jill** posted:

To the family of Tina - I am genuinely sorry for your loss. Tina was a wonderful woman with a light that was so bright. She was always smiling, always ok with tons of kids running in and out of her house in the 80s/90s. My childhood was brighter because I grew up a street away from her. I'm sending the biggest hugs and love ever to y'all."We grieve because we love. How lucky are we to have experienced that love."Love, Jill Rossnagle & Mike Martin

June 13 at 7:43 AM



**Dennis, Marleen & Kevin Dubbs** sent a Sweet Tranquility Basket to the Kratz family.



June 10 at 2:33 PM



**Marianne S.** sent a Basket Full of Wishes to the Kratz family.



June 10 at 11:33 AM



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**Sue Gorzelic** lit a candle in honor of Tina.

Such a beautiful woman with a heart of gold. I am blessed to know you and share such a handsome grandson with you. Our time together was cut short but you will live in our hearts forever. Much love to Mike, Adrienne, Michael, and Andrew. Our deepest sympathies, Frank Ceraul and Sue Gorzelic



June 10 at 10:35 AM



**Roberta Bass** posted:

I met Tina probably in 2007 or eight working together on grants for volunteerism benefiting many in need. We became dear friends and spent many hours at my home completing application forms requesting grants. She was a caring passionate loving person. Giving her all to those in need and never thinking about herself. I cannot fathom this world being without this wonderful woman who gave so much and requested nothing for herself. I love you Tina may you rest in peace and I'm sure one day we will see each other again in another house. 🙏❤️

June 10 at 8:51 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Kratz family.



June 10 at 5:50 AM



**Angela** posted:

You will be missed by so many people. Thank you for always being such a positive role model for all of us.

June 10 at 5:37 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Kratz family.



June 10 at 4:50 AM



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**Your 2021 South Region Family.** sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Kratz family.

June 10 at 3:55 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Love's Journey to the Kratz family.

June 9 at 7:04 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Fiery Lily and Rose to the Kratz family.

June 8 at 1:28 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Kratz family.

June 8 at 1:15 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Kratz family.

June 8 at 10:42 AM



**Shirley Kratz** lit a candle in honor of Tina.

I am at a loss for words & my heart hurts for the family. Sending up prayers asking for comfort for Mike, Adrienne, Michael, Andrew & all the grandkids 🙏

June 8 at 5:59 AM





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**Carol Miller** posted:

Deepest condolences to a beautiful woman!

June 7 at 2:27 PM



**Eileen Gorzelic** June 12 at 6:30 AM

Our deepest condolences to Mike, Adrienne, Michael, Andrew and their families. The world has lost a beautiful kind soul. You will be in our thoughts and prayers. John and Eileen Gorzelic



**Linda Walls** June 12 at 5:30 AM

Our deepest sympathy, thoughts and prayers are lifted for Mike and the family! Linda and Irving



# Media

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# Memories only last if you share them

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



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