



Karen Darice Cizewski

January 30, 1960 - November 4, 2020

Karen Darice Cizewski, 60, of District Heights, MD died on November 4, 2020 at Washington Hospital Center.

Karen was born on January 30, 1960 on a Military Base in London, England to the late Sally Mozelle (Creech) and Archie Henry Jollie.

Karen worked as an Operations Officer for the Office of Naval Intelligence for 40 years, leading to her retirement in 2018. She enjoyed crafting, working around her home and flower gardening.

In addition to her parents she is preceded in death by her sister, Liane Jollie.

Karen is survived by her husband of 32 years, Edward "Ed" Cizewski, son, James "Jimmy" Smith, brother, Christopher Jollie and his wife Leah, nephews; Christopher Jollie, II, and Connor Jollie, nieces; Caitlyn Jollie, and Chloe Jollie, extended family in North Carolina and life long friend Joni Eckert and her husband Alan.

Due to current Covid restrictions all services for Karen will be private.

Memorial donations in Karen's name may be made to the American Heart/American Stroke Association, P.O. Box 5216, Glen Allen, VA 23058-

5216.

Tribute Wall



“ *Karen Darice Cizewski*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Karen Darice Cizewski*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *"KC" was the person in our office most likely to make me smile - even when I didn't want to! She was a close friend and coworker for close to thirty years. We usually teamed up to ensure the office was well fed with Gallo's Deli being one of her favorite go-to places. She gathered the orders, I made the run. Her untimely passing is a huge loss to her many friends and family! My thoughts and prayers to Eddie and family.*

John Stranigan

john stranigan - November 12, 2020 at 10:56 PM



“ *Karen was a pleasure to work with; she will certainly be missed. Prayers for the family during this difficult time.*

Joe Day
Co-worker at Naval Intelligence

Joseph L Day - November 12, 2020 at 05:35 PM

Jl

“ Joe Day, co-worker at Naval Intelligence purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Karen Darice Cizewski.



Joe Day, co-worker at Naval Intelligence - November 12, 2020
at 05:31 PM

DS

“ I had a close working relationship with Karen for over 30 years. She has always been so kind and helpful. I remember back when we were both in our 30s, she helped me get a second job as a Roulette dealer for the Crescent City JCs. It was a casino to raise money for charity. For about a year and a half we worked every Friday night and some Saturday nights. It was so much fun working with her in that capacity as well. We had a blast. Karen had such a kind heart and I know she touched many around her. She will be missed. May God take you Karen into his loving arms and Comfort you and your family as they grieve.- Debbie and Frank Sablan

Deborah Sablan - November 12, 2020 at 10:28 AM

DS

“ Debbie and Frank Sablan purchased the Beautiful I Heart Bouquet for the family of Karen Darice Cizewski.



Debbie and Frank Sablan - November 11, 2020 at 12:01 PM

AR

“ Truly at a loss right now. I first met Karen December 2010. It was an interview and she was sitting on the review panel. I had no idea that I would be the one replacing her as she was promoted to another position. We would spend the next 8 years working side-by-side. Through all the disagreements and laughs, I will always remember how kind, understanding and compassionate Karen remained. She made sure we celebrated everyone's birthdays. She was there for potlucks and other festivities in the office. She truly was the soul of our office. She tied us all together whether we wanted to or not LOL. I cannot express how sadden I am at this moment, but I am happy that heaven has received another angel that has impacted so many of our lives. I'll truly miss you Karen and the impression you have left with me.

Andrew Roby - November 11, 2020 at 11:45 AM

FC

“ Farragut Technical Analysis Center purchased the Rose Garden Heart for the family of Karen Darice Cizewski.



Farragut Technical Analysis Center - November 11, 2020 at 11:33 AM

BG

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Bob Greene - November 11, 2020 at 10:38 AM

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Bob Greene - November 11, 2020 at 10:36 AM

BC

“ Eddie and family. There are no words that We can say. We are heart broken! Bob and I have so many memories. Last Friday we went for a ride and here are our thoughts. So we did some wind therapy today! Before we left my husband and I bumped fist and dedicated our ride to our friend Karen Cizewski! As I rode I thought of Karen the whole time! I thought about a chilly rainy weekend in April 2003 when Karen, my daughter Abby Maxwell and I took the motorcycle safety class together to get our licenses. What would have been a miserable weekend was fun. We had some good laughs. I thought of one ride we did together that took us down a dirt rode that wasn't much more than a cow path! We had a good laugh about that when Karen in her squeaky voice asked my husband what he was thinking. And about 10 years of almost everyday having lunch together and laughing so hard we would cry. We did cry together, laugh together, and laughed so hard we cried together. I have this plastic/rubbery fish that you use to put goldfish snacks in, Karen gave it to me. When Bob was living in our retirement home in PA and I was still in MD working I would travel every other weekend up here for a year and a half. Karen would make me bring her that fish on the Thursday before my trek north and fill it with goldfish. She wanted to make sure I had something to eat in case I broke down. Someday Karen and I will ride matching bikes again along a golden path in Heaven! Love you KC!



Bob and Diane Cobourn - November 10, 2020 at 07:25 PM

GJ

“ Greta and Wayne Janschek purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Karen Darice Cizewski.



Greta and Wayne Janschek - November 10, 2020 at 01:32 PM

GJ

“Karen was a fun, funny, vivacious and lovely lady; always a pleasure to be around. I have many fond memories of times shared. I am so sad to hear of her untimely passing. Many thoughts and prayers to all of her family and friends. God bless and comfort you now and in the days to come. Karen is now rejoicing in the presence of our Lord Jesus with loved ones who have gone before. Our loss is Heaven’s gain.



Greta Janschek - November 10, 2020 at 01:26 PM

DK

“KC, what an amazing person. She most definitely was a bright light at ONI and could always make you laugh. Her presence on this earth will be greatly missed but Heaven has gained an Angel with a glowing personality. Eddie, my thoughts and prayers are with you and this most difficult time. May your heart be light and know Karen loved you dearly, I’m so glad she was able to retire and spend everyday with you. Rest in Peace my friend now joined with your sister, mom and dad. GOD Bless you and your family.



Deb Kraft - November 10, 2020 at 10:48 AM

CK

“*KC, as we called her, was beautiful inside and out! She lit up every room she entered with her sweet, bright smile and twinkling eyes. The picture here, of her in the elf costume, is a perfect match to her personality. She was always bright and bubbly. And we all loved her. She brought a happiness to a otherwise dull office. Her dad and my dad worked together at Naval Intelligence. We were second generation employees. God bless you KC. God bless your family. Thank you for all the years, the laughs and the friendship. You are another light in the heavens. Fair winds and following seas shipmate.*

Colleen Knightly Kirk - November 10, 2020 at 05:19 AM