

Catherine L. Ward

June 22, 2019

Catherine L. Ward, 60, of Stafford Springs, CT, passed away on Saturday, June 22, 2019. She was born in Rockville, CT, daughter of the late Charles and Catherine (McDonald) Sutherland. Family was #1 for Catherine, she was the matriarch of both her family growing up and her own family of three children. She was the caretaker of her family, and she had incredible strength that was a force to be reckoned with. Catherine is survived by her loving husband of 40 years, Lee N. Ward; three children, Jenell Ward, Amelia Ward and Elyse Ward; eight grandchildren, Saydra, Izaiah, Chantel, Xavier, Felix, Jonas, Chloe and Carmine (and two more on the way, Zyon and Trayce); and several brothers, sisters, nieces and nephews. There will be no funeral services. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 22478, Oklahoma City, OK 73123. Introvigne Funeral Home, Inc., Stafford Springs, CT has care of the arrangements. For online condolences, please visit: http://www.introvignefuneralhome.com

## **Comments**



I was always a smart as as a kid. So for my 10th bday aunt Cathy got me a beautiful red fuzzy bra and panty set and a barbie cake. She was my second mother I wouldn't be the same without her. I don't think any of us would. She touched more than just our lives but also our futures. R.I.P. auntie we all love you very much Always & Forever

Charles Levesque - June 27, 2019 at 01:31 PM



My favorite memory of Cathy was at one of the many cook outs that I attended thrown by the Ward/Sutherland families. We were sitting around BSing and I was telling her a story about how my bf accidentally wore my jeans to work and I complimented him on how good he looked. We were laughing so hard there were definitely some buck snorts and tears were pouring down our cheeks. I will miss her and her laugh. Don't worry Cathy, I'll keep the promise I made to you when we found out you were sick. I'll make sure your girl will be ok, she's strong like you, she can make it through anything. May you RIP and continue to guide your girls. I love you.

Nicole Hessner - June 26, 2019 at 06:49 AM



66 Our prayers are with you. Bill and Janice Gowdy

Bill and Janice Gowdy - June 25, 2019 at 07:47 PM



Sending much love to you all through this difficult time. Hugs and prayers for peace.

Lisa Ouellette - June 25, 2019 at 11:39 AM



Lee and family so sorry for your loss. We will be praying for God's peace for you all family as you go through this difficult time.

Jackie (Clark) St Pierre

Jackie st Pierre - June 25, 2019 at 09:25 AM



To the Ward family I am so sorry for you loss. Your mom was your rock. My prayers go out to you all.

Sharon Marushan - June 25, 2019 at 06:13 AM



Cathy was a wonderful woman. A Pleasure to to talk to an hang out with. She had a heart of gold an made you feel welcomed. She will be Greatly missed. R.I.P Cathy



Cathy Kennedy - June 25, 2019 at 05:56 AM



66 Sharon(Rowe) / John Marushan lit a candle in memory of Catherine L. Ward



Sharon(Rowe) / John Marushan - June 25, 2019 at 05:46 AM



66 Michelle Chase lit a candle in memory of Catherine L. Ward



Michelle Chase - June 24, 2019 at 06:24 PM



Sweet Dear Aunt Catherine I will always remember the unconditional love you have for your family. Sleep in Peace and know the love your girls have for one another will keep your memory alive in our hearts and thoughts. My condolences to all of those who are grieving her love and presence May God be your comfort.

Michelle Chase - June 24, 2019 at 06:29 PM



66 Cathy was an amazing woman who not only raised 3 strong women but helped to raise many more. She took myself and many more in without a second thought. Her and Lee always treated us like we belonged there. The home I have now is that same open door mentality with the kids that I learned from their household. Nothing but love. My heart truly hurts at the loss of such a great person.



Gina Mitchell - June 24, 2019 at 05:58 PM



66 I don't think I could have said it better <3 danielle - June 24, 2019 at 08:16 PM



66 Agree. She welcomed us all with open arms. **Chrissy** - June 24, 2019 at 09:58 PM



Cathy was a force to be reckoned with when it came to her girls and her family! She will be missed dearly! Deb

Deborah LeBlanc - June 24, 2019 at 05:12 PM



All my love to my girls & all of Cathy's extended family. She was a very special lady & always took care of us all.

xoxo Lindsay Wasilewski

Lindsay Waslilweski - June 24, 2019 at 04:37 PM



My Condolences To Lee, Jenell, Amelia & Elyse And All Of Her Grandchildren! She Was A Amazing Woman And Will Be Greatly Missed By All!! I Have Alot Of Great Memories Of Knowing Cathy Close To My Heart! No More Pain! No More Suffering Your Journey Is Now Done On Earth! Go Be With Your Dad & Mom Brother & Sisters In Heaven!!! May You Fly With Your Angels Up Above! Amen R.I.P My Friend Love You Always!

Ann Marie carter - June 24, 2019 at 02:53 PM



66 Colleen Heuitson lit a candle in memory of Catherine L. Ward



Colleen Heuitson - June 24, 2019 at 01:52 PM