



Theresa "Terri" Elliott

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Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took his hand when I heard his call,
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work, to play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way,
I've found that peace at the close of the day.

If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My Life's been full, I savoured much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch,

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your heart and share with me,
God wanted me now, He set me free.




Events


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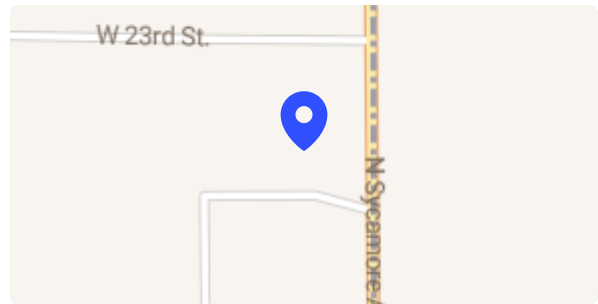
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Celebration of Life

 **Friday**, March 9, 2018

 1:30 PM MT

 **Christ Church**
2200 North Sycamore Ave, Roswell NM 88201





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Mary Wiggins posted:

Frenchie and family, While Gerald and I did not have the honor of knowing Terri,, please know how sad we are to hear of her passing. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Mary and Gerald Wiggins

March 13 at 5:21 AM



Nicole Vargas lit a candle in honor of Theresa .

My Angel You taught me so many things,, long talks Walks Drives Artesia Peppers!!
MARGARITAS WHEN WE HIT OUR NUMBERS!! OH TERRI, BABY YOU FOUGHT THE
FIGHT,, fly hi baby girl fly high. I'll forever luv u



March 11 at 9:19 AM



Cheri Coffelt lit a candle in honor of Theresa .



March 10 at 5:48 PM



Janein Chavez posted:

Terri was a heaven send! Since first meeting her many years ago on her first trip to CA when my Uncle Frenchie brought her to meet the family, her gorgeous and infectious smile and her beautiful spirit were captivating. She was always funny, always cracking jokes, and poking fun. Smiling, showing joy, love, and showing her own light even through a lot difficult moments in these last few years. I truly loved her, felt a closeness to her, and appreciated her living life on her own terms. My heart was broken when I heard the news of her leaving her Earthly body and into the heavens...I will miss my friend, texting with her, messaging her, swapping pictures and laughing about dumb stuff. I truly appreciated my relationship with her and will cherish the love I had for her. She was a light that will always be shining in my life...I send so much love and warmth to my Uncle and Terri's family for all the days to come...May your love for her continue to transform your life..May she rest in peace..With love and compassion, Janein Chavez

March 4 at 8:33 PM



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DE

Delores posted:

Although I knew Terri for a short time, it felt as if I've known her for a lifetime. We met in person last year, but we were friends on FB for quite some time. Her husband Julian is my husband's first cousin. I had a great first impression of Terri. She was an awesome & beautiful person inside and out. She was funny, warm hearted and very friendly. Terri was very inspirational and I admired her bravery and grace. May she rest in eternal glory. My deepest and most sincerest condolences to Julian and her family. May God give you strength and comfort. With much love Manuel and Delores Espinoza †

March 1 at 5:13 PM

RH

Richard Hoover posted:

Terri was always so nice & kind to me as an insurance customer! She went above & beyond to take care of me! I was probably her most difficult customer ~ BUT she did everything in the world to keep me happy! (She had 5 houses 4 cars and 2 motorcycles insured and her company did several weird things to me! We became good friends! She will truly be missed ~ I had been praying for her for a long time & she surely set a HIGH Standard to being sick and suffering BUT STILL Letting -"THE SON" shine! TERRI ~ Rest In Peace! ~ May GOD truly comfort & bless Frenchie & all of her FAMILY! ** Cherish & CLING to all those GOOD MEMORIES! ~ Richard & Pat HOOVER

February 27 at 7:30 AM

RC

Rebecca Chavez posted:

I'll never forget the honor I had to take Terri to Israel for the first time along with her daughter Mary. It was as a sweet time and Terri added so much life and joy for all of us in the trip. We immediately became fast friends with a common love for the scriptures, our Savior and the land of the Bible. She was an inspiration to me and her memory and good deeds live on in the people of the Book as she donated on many occasions for their care. Full of life and love of others is how I will always remember Terri. Love you Terri! ❤️ Rebecca Chavez

February 26 at 7:27 PM

JF

Julie Ferguson posted:

Terri was a beautiful soul! I treasure our time together and all our talks! She was there when I got to see the ocean for the very first time. She knew how special that was! I will never forget my friend. We use to call ourselves "freaks" lol, so I will continue to be a freak just for her!!! Until I see you in Heaven my sweet friend!!!

February 26 at 1:09 PM



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FC

Frenchie Carlos posted:

Dearest friends and family of Terri, How saddened my wife and I are because of this painful loss of such a good, caring, honest person. Over the years we have both come to love and appreciate Terri's sense of humor, determined spirit, and devotion as a wife for my father, Frenchie. Yes, she will be truly missed by us all. The comfort we receive from the scriptures is the main consolation we have at this time - knowing that our Creator's promises will be fulfilled as recorded at Isaiah 26:19, "Your dead will live. My corpses will rise up. Awake and shout joyfully". Equally encouraging is the Biblical guarantee from Revelation 21:4 which states, "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away." We truly look forward for that joyous occasion when we will be able to welcome our dear friend Terri back to life on a Paradise Earth. We are desirous of spending many enjoyable moments with her at that time. Until then, it our prayer that the "peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and your mental powers by means of Christ Jesus". May this prove true for all who suffer this loss with us. Frenchie (Jr.) & Doris Carlos

February 22 at 5:54 AM

VG

Veronica Garibay posted:

Terri, thank you. Thank you for giving the world beautiful you and for just being you. Thank you for being a friend, a family member, and an inspiration. Thank you for loving us and letting us love you. Our time together seemed too short lived, but the memories of us will be cherished and held in my heart forever. Austin, Emaly, and I will always love you and miss you.

February 19 at 6:15 PM

NI

Nitasturges posted:

My precious friend, Terri I wish that we could have spent more time together!!! The moments that we spent swinging outside are memories that I will never forget! One word in particular, SURRENDER. You said it was what you did to deal with cancer!!!! Thank you for helping to surrender to God's will in my life!!!! Love you to the Moon and Back and longer than forever! Nita

February 19 at 2:55 PM

LC

Lisa Burton-Clark posted:

My husband and I would like to extend our deepest condolences to the Family. May God's promise to us all found at Revelation 21:4 give us comfort, because it is a sure hope that will soon be realized :heart:

February 19 at 2:43 AM



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Dina Jenks posted:

Terri, you may be gone physically but you still live on in our hearts. You were always so full of life...always. I will never forget your loving, giving and powerful spirit. I loved the way you would call Bella "Bella Luna". You always made me feel good about myself when you called me reliable and responsible . And you would always tell us how proud you were of our little family. I love the way you always found the goodness in everyone you met. Thanks for being part of our lives. You will be dearly missed. Love you doll. Dina, James and Bella Luna Jenks

February 18 at 7:21 PM



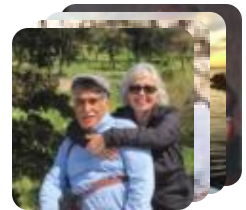
Ana Maria Perez posted:

She was an unselfish person. Always with a smile and a saying " You go girl". Heart of gold and will never be forgotten. Love Ana

February 17 at 6:46 PM



Mansfield Funeral Home & Cremations shared 7 photos to the **Memories Album** album.



February 16 at 10:27 AM



Carole Von Seifert February 23 at 8:18 AM

TERRY WAS MY BEST FRIEND HERE IN ROSWELL. WE HAD A LOT IN COMMON. WE EVEN HAD THE SAME BIRTHDAY DATE OF JUNE THE 26TH. I MISS HER SO MUCH, JUST CAN'T STOP CRYING. COULDN'T SLEEP AFTER BEING TOLD SHE PASSED, GOT UP AND WROTE AND WROTE THIS POEM TO HER. IT GOES LIKE THIS. IN THIS CRAZY WORLD, A LOT OF PEOPLE COME AND A LOT OF PEOPLE GO. MOST FOLKS ARE JUST KIND OF SO AND SO, BUT GOD MADE ONE LADY, SHE STOOD OUT FROM ALLTHE REST. SHE WAS REAL SWEET AND REAL PRETTY, SHE WAS THE BEST OF THE BEST. THE LORD SAID - WHEN SHE ARRIVES HERE, TIS SAINT SHE WILL BE, AND I CALL HER LOVE, BECAUSE SHE WAS THE BREATEST FRIEND TO ME. I LOVE YOU TERRY. I'LL BE SEEING YOU. CAROLE



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Memories only last if you share them

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



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