



Rhonda Rochon

February 20, 1965 - February 20, 2013

Rhonda B. Rochon, 48, of Aurora, passed away on Wednesday, February 20, 2013 at Dickinson County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain.

She was born February 4, 1965 in Waukegan, IL, daughter of the late Henry and Shirley (Balthazore) Rochon. Rhonda graduated from Kingsford High School in 1983 and was a lifelong resident of the area. She was employed at the Stephenson Marketing Co-op for the past 17 years as a clerk and sales associate. Rhonda also tended bar at the Who's Next in Aurora for many years. Rhonda enjoyed spending time with family and friends and her grandson, Brayden, was the joy of her life. She had a love for animals and had several special dogs and cats over the years.

She is survived by her daughter, Dana Rochon (Mike) of Iron Mountain; her grandson, Brayden; a sister, Sharon (David) Conrad of Racine, WI; a sister-in-law, Judith Rochon; two nieces, Lori Szuslik nee Chapman (fiance, Jeff) and Ashley (Jon) Maenpaa; a nephew, Gary Chapman and many loving pets.

Rhonda was preceded in death by two brothers, Keith and Duane Rochon and two infant sisters.

Visitation will be on Saturday from 11:00am to 2:00pm at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain. Funeral services will follow at 2:00pm

at the funeral home. Fr. Daniel Zaloga will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial will be established in her memory.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Rhonda Rochon online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the funeral arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **23**. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home
901 Carpenter Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Funeral Service

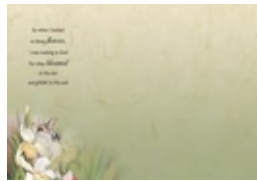
FEB **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home
901 Carpenter Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Tribute Wall

MN

“ 1 file added to the album *Tribute Video*



Matt Nash - October 17, 2013 at 02:11 PM

LF

“ *I just wanted to say that I was shocked and am sorry to hear of Rhonda's passing. She was a very nice gal and always smiling and was a pleasure to have as a neighbor when I lived up on the hill on the Northside. I pray God hold's her family in His loving , comforting arms and I will remember you all in my prayers and I will miss you Rhonda wish i wouldve got to know u better...*

Lucille Quick - Kingsford, MI - friend - March 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ *Dear Dana,
I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your Mom. My thoughts and prayers are with you as you go through this difficult time. Hugs, Kay*

Kay LaCount - Port Charlotte, Fla, FL - Friend - March 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ I met Rhonda thru the Feed Store & we would have many conversations when I was there over the years she worked there. I will greatly miss her pleasant voice & the wonderful conversations we had over the grain & items I always was needing. She was such a wonderful help. She is now with our Lord and all the Angels that have gone before her. May she have eternal rest & may the Lord's perpetual light shine upon her.
God's Blessings be with you all.
Peace, Teena Maki

teena maki - crystal falls, MI - friend - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Rhonda, you may not be here physically, but you are in spirit. Going to miss you. Thoughts and prayers to the family.

Michelle - Aurora, WI - February 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Dear Dana and Brayden Your Mom/Grandma was a wonderful person she always waited on me at the Coop and was extremely helpful. With a smile on her face she was a great person. I will truly miss her as we talked about many things seed, feed, taxes and just trying to brighten each others day. I was shocked to her of her quick passing because I had just seen her the week before to get my feed for my animals. Cherish the memories. She was really a terrific gal and I know I will miss yer a lot and now hopefully she will be looking out for all of us. Enjoy your son I know she did and you botgh were very special to her.

Dottie Sydor - Wilson, MI - Customer at the Coop - February 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ WHAT A LOSS WE HAVE WITH HER NOW GONE. I COULN'DT BELIEVE IT WHEN I HEARD OF HER PASSING AWAY. SHE WAS SO YOUNG AND VIBRANT ALWAYS HAPPY TO SEE ME WHEN I'D COME IN FOR RESULTS BROADCASTSING RADIO. YOUR MOM WAS ALWAYS WILLING TO HELP OTHERS AND ALWAYS ACKNOWLEDGED ME WHEREVER I WAS. I WILL MISS HER DEEPLY. MAY SHE WATCH OVER ALL OF US WITH HER HEAVENLY SMILE. LOVE YOU RHONDA!!!

GLORIA BURLO - IRON MOUNTAIN, MI - FRIEND - February 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

FC

“ *I just had quite a talk with Rhonda in the last 2 weeks! Would always stop in to buy eggs. She never let on that her was so serious! We'll all miss her.*

Fred Newcombe - Florence, WI - Customer at the Co-op - February 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ *Rhonda will be missed by all. She was very beautiful inside and out. We knew Rhonda for all her years working at the Co-op and just loved hearing her talk about her handsome grandson and beautiful daughter. She will be missed very much. It just hurts so much just thinking about not seeing and talking with this beautiful lady anymore. My prayers go out to her whole family. God Bless.*

Dennis and Sandee Cummings

Sandee Cummings - February 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ My deepest sympathy. Rhonda will be missed by so many. Along with her sweet smiling face that greeted every one she met! So sorry for your loss.

Venisa Leslie - Aurora, WI - Friend - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ The world lost an amazing, beautiful woman! You were a great mother and an awesome grandmother. Your passing is way to soon. Your beautiful smile, heart of gold and wonderful laughter will forever be missed. God Bless Dana and your family. My heart goes out to them. May God wrap you in his arms and let you smile upon the rest of us left behind. Good Bye my friend..til we meet again.

Kelly Ryan - Kingsford, MI - friend - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ I had come to know Rhonda in my visits to the Co-op. Such a kind and friendly girl. We always talked about animals. She was a advocate for all the ones that were in need of care. The world will have one less angel and heaven has gained a very special one. Prayers to her family and friends.

Marci Picucci - Iron mountain, MI - friend - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Rhonda's family and friends. Rhonda was one of those rare and special people. She was beautiful from the inside out. She had a heart of gold and it just glowed. Her love for her daughter and grandson just made her glow. Her love and kind words and smile would light up a room. That smile will shine down upon her loved ones and be in their hearts forever.

geri gardiepy (smurf) - quinnesecc, MI - friend - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ so shocked and sad to hear of Rhonda's passing. She was one of the "good" ones and always enjoyed going to the co-op because of her. Our thoughts and prayers go out to her family and friends. She will be missed by so many.

Dave and Sandy Anderson and family - Aurora, WI - fellow Aurora-ite - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ We are so sorry to hear about the passing of Rhonda. She was a great person. Always a smile on her face. She use to babysit for gerry mattson children.

violet bongi, gerry mattson - phoenix, iron mountian, AZ - friend - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ I am so sorry to hear of Rhonda's passing. She was my Aunt Bunny's neighbor for years, and the most fun bartender out there. My thoughts and prayers go out to all the knew and loved her. You will be sadly missed!!

Lynn Johnson - Iron Mountain, MI - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ She was a wonderful lady & will be sadly missed by all who knew her at Who's.....God Bess her family...

Morski & Arlene - Niagara, WI - friends - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Rhonda & I go way back to junior high school. She was a dear friend to me & I will miss her terribly. My heart goes out to her family.

Andrea Giliberto - Nashville, TN - friend - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

IC

“ From Renee Behrend

I would like to express our sincere expression of sympathy to al - menominee, MI - cousin - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ *I am sorry to say I didn't know Rhonda very well, but whenever I saw her she was always so pleasant to talk to. She was a very beautiful girl and seemed to be so caring and thoughtful.*

I would love to see the rest of the family, I haven't seen them in years and years. Regretfully I don't think I will make it to the funeral today. We have a granddaughter with Cystic Fibrosis and she is in Children's Hospital in Milwaukee , getting better thankfully , her mom is with her, so I have been staying at their house taking care of the brother so our son can work. So things are pretty hectic around here, I will try to make it, but, in case I don't, I wanted you to know we are thinking of all of you and our heart goes out to you.

*Our Deepest Sympathy,
Bob and Sharon Charles*

Sharon(Paquin) Charles - Hermansville, MI - Cousin - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ *I would like to express our sincere sympathy for Rhonda's family' Sorry we are unable to attend the service today. Both Bill and I have this respiratory thing going around... You are in our thoughts and prayers...Love Renee and Bill*

Renee ROCHON BEHREND - menominee, MI - cousin - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ *My deepest sympathy. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Lori Sparapani - Green Bay , WI - Friend - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *I am so sorry for your loss God must have needed another angel you will be missed . co-op will not be the same God Bless*

Tom And Laurie St.Cyr - Aurora, WI - Friend - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *We will miss Rhonda's smiling face at the feed store. She always took the time to go above and beyond when you needed something or had questions. Just a week or so ago she carried out some feed for me and was loving up our dog Romeo. (I think it was a reason to see him because he is usually with us when we go to the feed store.) Rest in peace Rhonda. You will be greatly missed. Till we meet again.....*

Scott and Vicki Schuelke - Aurora, WI - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ *You will truly be missed my dear. Dana and Brayden sure do have a special angel looking down on them...until we meet again! :)*

Sherry "DeeDee" & Joey Rochon - Niagara, WI - cousin - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *I wish you were still here with us. I am so sad for your daughter and grandson. I know how much they meant to you! I know everybody is going to miss you very much. We will see you in heaven one day.*

jane - raleigh, NC - friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Rhonda, I'm sorry you had to leave us, old neighbor. I was looking forward to seeing you at our 30 year class reunion this summer. I'm sorry for all of those who loved you so much that are left behind. I hope they will be comforted in knowing that they have an angel looking over them.

God Speed,

John Ross

John Ross - Perry, MI - Classmate - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ So sorry about the loss of Rhonda. she was a very sweet and caring person always had a smile on her face. she will be missed by many.

Angie Annear - Iron Mountain , MI - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ We were all truly blessed to have you in our lives.....thank you for the good memories. No words can adequately express how deeply you will be missed. God bless you, Dana, Brayden and the rest of your family.

Until we meet up again my friend not a day will pass that I won't think of you. Janet

Janet Welty - Kamke - Pound, WI - Friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ We are going to miss your smiling face and helpful personality when buying seeds this spring and at other times as well. May God Bless & Keep You.

Joe and Linda Tripp - Pembine, WI - Friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Rhonda had a smile that could light up any room and that laugh just melted your heart. In the time I knew her I had realized that she was a friend to all and would do anything for anyone. I will miss seeing that smile again! Rest in Peace my friend! I am sure you will be looking over all of your friends and family from above just as you did here on earth!

Tania Zanoni - Aurora, WI - Friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ So sorry and shocked to hear of Rhonda's passing. She was always so friendly and helpful when we went to the co-op in Aurora. We will miss your smiling face Rhonda. She always mentioned her daughter and grandson, we compared notes about our grandkids. Rest in peace Rhonda. We will miss you!

Dave & Julie Tuck - Aurora, WI - friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ Rhonda..just like a breath of fresh air..here and gone.. treasure our times together for when the last breath is taken ..heart ache follows. So young, So sad, So missed.

Sara Thoune - Vulcan, MI - friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ You'll never be forgotten...you're forever instilled in my heart. you were a beautiful person inside and out and will forever be remembered by so many that loved you. I will always cherish our friendship for you will never be replaced. You are now forever pain free and in the loving arms of your mom and dad again....I love you dear friend and I will miss you more than you will ever know. As we always said "If I get there first.. I'll be sure to give all your loved ones a big hug from you". Thank You my dearest friend.

sherry okler piepenburg - WI - best friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ Rhonda you will be missed. You were a kind person and Ken and I loved you for who you were. We are going to miss you so much. Prayers to your family.

Alicia and Ken Baiel - Florence , WI - friends - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ To the family of Rhonda
So sorry to hear of your loss, This was a shock. I know she will be missed
at SMC. She now has happy tears.
Mark and Deb Kapke

MARK & DEB KAPKE - Wallace, MI - co worker - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ To Rhonda's Family and Friends, we all here at the Stephenson Marketing Coop are so sorry for your loss. Rhonda will be greatly missed by us all. May God bless you in this time of sorrow in her memory.

Laurie Tebo - Stephenson , MI - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ We are sorry to here about Rhonda. She was a wonderful and caring person. I always enjoyed going to the Co-op seeing her smiling face. She was friendly and helpful and always had something nice to say. Our prayers go out to her family and friends. I know anyone who knew her will have fond memories.

Cynthia - Crystal Falls, MI - friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ You are all in our thoughts and prayers. May God's strength carry you thru these difficult times. Our Love, Tim and Gail McKenna

Gail McKenna - New Berlin, WI - Family friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ Rest in peace Rhonda. Thoughts and prayers to her family.

Kristen Marshall - Appleton, WI - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Rhonda was a very kind person I had the pleasure to meet her a very long time ago and was just recently reunited to her through social networking she will be Missed by all.

Robert Gregg - Peshtigo, WI - Freind - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ I've known Rhonda from the first day she started at the co-op. She was always helpful and had a smile for everyone.. Over the years, she became my friend and we shared many stories about our lives. I will miss her.

With deepest sympathy to Rhonda's family and friends. May you find peace and comfort that you are not alone during this time.

Debbie - Fence, WI - friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ I will miss Rhonda so much. I got to be friends with her in my once a week visits to the Market/Co-op and wanted to be closer to her. She was a dear soul and I will never forget her.

Mary Beth Weber - Iron Mountain, MI - friend - February 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM