



Virginia "Ginny" Ann Steele

August 8, 1954 - August 5, 2024

Virginia A. "Ginny" Steele, 69, of Breitung Township, passed away on Monday, August 5, 2024, at her home.

Ginny was born on August 8, 1954, in Iron River, daughter of the late Joseph and Dorothy (Grant) Gagne. She was a 1972 graduate of Kingsford High School. On May 14, 1974, Ginny married David LeRoy Steele in Iron Mountain; the two shared 37 years of marriage before Dave's passing in 2011.

Ginny was talented in so many ways, from running her own nail salon for many years, where she could be a friend, an artist, AND therapist all in one setting, to being an extraordinary cook, and even doing self-taught wood working. She also painted lovely pictures of cute animals that just came into her head in an instant! Additionally, Ginny had a green thumb that would rival any TV or internet influencer, and she loved red geraniums. She was the rock of her family, especially in recent years for her daughter, Char. She had a warm and wildly creative spirit and will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Left to cherish Ginny's memory are her devoted daughter, Charlotte (Scott) Bray of Kingsford; three grandsons; brother, Patrick; sister, Patricia; constant and faithful companion, her dog, Lucas; special grandcat, Nelson; as well as many other relatives and friends too numerous to mention all by name.

In addition to her parents and loving husband, Dave, Ginny was also preceded in death by her beloved son, Adam.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, August 13, at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain from 11:00 AM until 1:00 PM. A Memorial Service will follow at 1:00 PM. Msgr. Joseph Gouin will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to the family.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Virginia A. "Ginny" Steele online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

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

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 13. 11:00 AM.

Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home Of Iron Mountain

Memorial Service

AUG 13. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DM

“ I was a KHS '72 classmate. A number of years ago, I had a couple of apts. with Ginny when my regular nail technician was unable to work. That said, it was so nice to get caught up on the years gone by. Of course there was lots of laughter. My condolences to her family. RIP Ginny



Diane Schirk McKinnon - August 17, 2024 at 03:24 PM

JT

“ Dear Char, I'm so sorry to hear the sad news of Ginny. I know she's your best friend and you will miss her dearly. You're right about the "therapy" she offered at her salon, where u spent many years. She also included a comedy show. She's a wonderful woman and will be missed by many but no one more than you ❤️



Judy Trethewey - August 14, 2024 at 09:33 PM

MT

“ Char, I am heartbroken over the loss of your mom, my friend Ginny. We spent 18 plus wonderful years together. I'll never forget the good times and the sad times. Stay strong and keep the good memories alive in your heart. I believe she is with your dad and Adam and celebrating! May they all rest in peace.



Mary Jo Trepanier - August 14, 2024 at 08:12 AM

KC

“ Char, I am so very sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. I know how close you two are. I am sending prayers for strength for you. Please if ever there is anything I can do for you, you need only ask. Stay strong!!

Kathryn Marie Carlson - August 13, 2024 at 12:47 PM

MH

“ Char , I'm so sorry to hear of your mom's passing ...she was such a fun loving person.prayers to you . Marian Hiatt

marian Hiatt - August 11, 2024 at 09:44 PM

AR

“ Charlotte, I am so sorry for your loss. Your mother was a beautiful person and caring mother.

Alice (Ouimette) Reed - August 09, 2024 at 09:09 PM

KC

“ Charlotte, I was so sad to hear about Ginny. As you know we were good friends in high school and she was the craziest friend a girl could have. We had so much fun in "her" apartment above her mom's house. She would make a room come alive when she walked in! I'll always remember her great personality, beautiful face, and being such a wonderful person. She will be missed, but remembered by so many.💕

Kathie Goettler Campos - August 09, 2024 at 04:23 PM

MB

“ Michael B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Virginia "Ginny" Ann Steele.

Michael B. - August 09, 2024 at 02:37 PM