



Nancy C. Distelrath

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Nancy C. Distelrath, age 61, of St. Clair, died May 9, 2016. She was born December 29, 1954 in St. Clair to the late Louis and Joan “Jeanette” Oles. On June 22, 1979 Nancy married Dennis Distelrath in St. Clair. Nancy was employed for 39 years at Diamond Crystal, AKZO and Cargill Salt Companies. Nancy will be remembered by her family and friends for organizing and volunteering for many family and community activities. She also was an avid bowler, golfer and gardener and especially enjoyed her time together with her grandsons.

She is survived by her husband 36 years, Dennis Distelrath, children, David (Autumn) Distelrath and Kathleen (Eric) Moulton, cherished grandsons, Matthew, A.J., Nathan and hunter, siblings, Ted (Melva) Oles, Larry Oles, Tom (Cheri) Oles, Bob (Ann) Oles and Ken (Marilyn) Oles, father in law and mother in law, Harold and Kathleen Distelrath, sisters in law and brothers in law, Mary Beth Oles, Mike and Cindy Distelrath, Kaye Ellen Distelrath and Karen and Larry Campbell, and many nieces, nephews and very close friends.

Nancy was preceded in death by a sister, LouAnn Oles and brother, John Oles. Funeral mass will be Friday May 13th at 11 a.m. at St. Mary’s Catholic Church, St. Clair. Visiting hours are Thursday 6 to 9 p.m. at Young Funeral Home, China Twp. and family will receive visitors at the church Friday prior to mass from 10 to 11 am. Memorials are suggested to March of Dimes. To leave a message of comfort please visit www.youngcolonial.com



Events

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Visitation


 **Thursday**, May 12, 2016


 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM ET

 **Young Colonial Chapel Funeral Home**
4061 Saint Clair Hwy, East China MI



Funeral Mass

 **Friday**, May 13, 2016

 11:00 AM ET

 **St. Mary's Catholic Church**
415 N Sixth, St.Clair MI





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JD

John & Michelene Distelrath posted:

We are so sorry on the loss of Nancy. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Heaven has another angel!! God Bless....John & Michelene Distelrath

May 13 at 7:16 AM

LA

Leon Armstrong posted:

So sorry to hear of Nancy's passing ,she was a well liked person . She will be in our prayers . Leon and Linda Armstrong

May 13 at 6:53 AM

CM

Connie Mccartney lit a candle in honor of Nancy.

This was such a shock! I am so sorry for Dennis, the kids and grandkids. We were in the Special Police Auxiliary together and, with Steve at Diamond Crystal, Akzo, and Cargill with her, of course I knew her from the picnics, Christmas parties, etc. Nancy was always willing to volunteer and usually ran the show. She was warm, engaging and a lot of fun. She will surely be missed by so many people beyond her family! May she rest in peace, I can still hear her laugh in my head. Prayers.Connie McCartney



May 13 at 5:15 AM

SM

Sandy Mccrary posted:

We are sorry we cannot be there in person due to the death of Richard's Mother. Know that we are thinking of you, and are so sad to hear of Nancy passing. We love the Oles family so much, and our prayers are with you all. Sandy (Cieslinski) and Richard McCrary, Blairsville GA

May 13 at 3:50 AM

TG

Toni Guillotte posted:

My sincere sympathy to Nancy's family and friends. I have had the pleasure of working with Nancy at Cargill and have truly admired her spirit. You always knew when she was here, so willing to help others and her laughter would light up a room. Her dedication to her fellow colleagues and work was truly a tribute to the person she was. RIP my friend, you will be missed. Toni Guillotte; Cargill Salt; Breaux Bridge, LA

May 13 at 3:15 AM



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GB

Gerald Black posted:

I'am so sorry for your loss.May you take comfort in the Lord at this time. God Bless.Gerald and Nancy Black

May 12 at 4:10 PM

GS

Glenn & Lisa Sanger posted:

So sorry for you loss. Nancy will be missed.

May 12 at 1:46 PM

SG

Sonoco Greenville, Wi sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Distelrath family.



May 12 at 1:46 PM

JV

Jeff & Kim Vollstaedt sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Distelrath family.



May 12 at 10:09 AM

DE

Debra & Fred Ernst sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Distelrath family.



May 12 at 7:53 AM



Anonymous sent an Arrive in Style to the Distelrath family.



May 12 at 7:16 AM



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FE

Fred & Debra Ernst lit a candle in honor of Nancy.

May 12 at 6:38 AM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Distelrath family.

May 12 at 3:10 AM



AM

Annette Martin posted:

Sincere sympathy to Nancy D's family. As a colleague - she always made us smile with her comments and suggestions because it was followed by her husky laugh. She worked hard and created many intuitive ways to accomplish keeping the salt plant supplied. Many of her ideas were shared with other plants. She was always willing to volunteer and her dedication was unwavering. R.I.P. dear Nancy D.

May 12 at 1:35 AM

RB

Rick Perry (Bear) posted:

Dennis, I'm so sorry for your loss. I enjoyed working with the both of you and Nancy at Diamond-Crystal. The company picnics and other functions that we organized together were much more fun and enjoyable when Nancy stepped up to the plat. She never hesitated! She will be sadly missed by all who knew her! Please accept my deepest sympathy to you and your family.

May 11 at 12:23 PM

CP

Carol Palmer posted:

Nancy was one of the greatest people I have ever worked with...she will be truly missed, I'm so sorry for your loss.

May 11 at 11:08 AM



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Michele Malane posted:

Nancy was one of the nicest people I graduated with. She was always happy, smiling and took the time to talk. God love you. I know your family will miss you dearly. Michele Malane

May 11 at 10:44 AM



Bill & Debbie Cooley lit a candle in honor of Nancy.

We're so very sorry to here of Nancy's passing. She was a great person, always kind and friendly. She will be missed.

May 11 at 10:34 AM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Distelrath family.

May 11 at 10:30 AM



Anonymous sent a Gracious Lavender Basket to the Distelrath family.

May 11 at 7:38 AM



Anne Cooper posted:

I am so very sorry for your loss. I was fortunate to work with Nancy for many years at Cargill and she was such a kind person. What impressed me most of all about Nancy was how much she cared about others. Nancy was the first to volunteer for everything and her work in our community representing Cargill is something we all should be proud of and aspire to. Also her love of her family was obvious. I loved listening to her talk about her children and grandchildren. Her whole face would light up as she spoke. She was a wonderful person and she will be missed by many. Anne McCartney Cooper

May 11 at 5:52 AM



Nancy Cobb Hancock May 13 at 1:18 AM

Prayers being sent to the family Nancy was so nice may she rest in peace



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JS

Julie Staub posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you at this tough time. I had the pleasure of working with Nancy over the last 10 years. I will never forget our trip to Louisiana together and the many laughs we shared. With deepest sympathy, Julie Staub

May 10 at 7:36 PM

CB

Chris Berg posted:

I'm so sorry to hear about Nancy's passing. My sympathy goes out to her family and friends. I too knew Nancy through work. I can't express how helpful she was to me when I was starting out in Salt, and how wonderful she's been to work with all these years. She was a great person who I could always count on. I'll miss her a lot. Chris Berg

May 10 at 7:16 PM

JU

Judi posted:

Our Deepest Sympathy goes out to Namcys family. She has been a great friend who could raise your spirits just by being there. We will miss you a great deal. Bob and Judi LaDuke

May 10 at 4:35 PM



Anonymous sent a Crystal Cross Bouquet to the Distelrath family.



May 10 at 12:10 PM

HO

Holly posted:

I feel fortunate to get to know Nancy a little through work. Nancy was the type of person that you remembered. I loved her uniqueness and caring heart. My thoughts and prayers are with Nancy's family and friends. Holly Smith

May 10 at 11:14 AM



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Holly Hawn posted:

My sincere sympathy to Nancy's family and friends. I worked with Nancy the past two years in procurement. I was fortunate to have been able to spend a week with her at the St. Clair plant for training as she had a WEALTH of knowledge! I truly appreciated her witty humor and her big heart to help. She was sure proud of her grandchildren as well. Cargill has lost a true gem and the impact will truly be long lasting. Sincerely, Holly Hawn
Raw Materials Buyer
Hutchinson, KS

May 10 at 10:28 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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