



## Steven and Cynthia Collins

September 1, 2017

Steven and Cynthia Collins  
Husband and wife of 44 years

Beloved parents of Andrea (James) Kwiatkowski and Thomas Collins

Grandparents of Kelli, Jimmy and Kenny

Cindy is survived by her siblings Duane (the late Karen) Borowiak  
Mark Borowiak, Paulette (Phil) Bates and Rita Borowiak  
Pre-deceased by her parents Chester and Rita Borowiak

Steve is survived by his mother Marjorie (Dale) Deming  
also his siblings Jim (Mary) Collins, Ron (the late Kathy) Collins,  
Margie Harms. Steve is pre-deceased by his father Richard Dale Collins.

Visitation Sunday from 3:00 pm until 9:00 pm with a 7:00 pm Scripture service  
at the Warren Chapel of the E.J. Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors, Inc.  
(22642 Ryan Rd. 1 Blk S. of 9 Mile Rd).

Mass of the Christian burial Monday at St. Mark Catholic Church at 9:30 am  
Steve and Cindy will lie in state at church from 9:00 am until time of mass.

In lieu of flowers please make donations to assist family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **10.** 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Mandziuk & Son Funeral Directors, Inc. - Warren  
22642 Ryan Road  
Warren, MI 48091  
(586) 757-3563

## Mass of the Christian Burial

SEP **11.** 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Mark Catholic Church  
4401 Bart Ave  
Warren, MI 48091

# Tribute Wall



“ *Steven and Cynthia Collins*

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October 23, 2023 at 04:00 AM



“ *Steven and Cynthia Collins*

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January 06, 2023 at 05:24 AM



“ *Steve and Cindy were the most kind, caring, give you the shirt off there back people. I have many great memories that will hold close to my heart. They always made you feel welcome. I love you too. Thanks for being the people you were not only to me but my family. You where also the best nanny and papa for Janee. We have two beautiful angles watching over us.*

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**Alisa Brewer** - September 10, 2017 at 06:46 PM

RM

“ Like so many my heart aches for your family. So vivid are the camping memories of years ago. Etched in my memories are visions of young Kelli riding her bike to the playground with Steve following behind her, Pig Roasts, campfires and Bingo. How they loved to play Bingo at the campground! Such a friendly and welcoming couple with hearts of gold. I can hear their voices in my head – Steve’s love for the Tigers and Cindy’s humorous stories of their history together. The greatest tributes to their lives are the amazing children that they raised. Their legacies live on through them! They taught you how to love and nurture and each generation is impacted by the generations that come before them. They are loved and will be dearly missed. I feel blessed to have known them.  
With love,  
Robin

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**Robin McGuckin** - September 10, 2017 at 11:49 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Steven and Cynthia Collins.



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September 09, 2017 at 05:50 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Steven and Cynthia Collins.



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September 09, 2017 at 03:46 PM

MM

“ Aunt Margie, Jim, Margie, Ronnie and Steve & Cindy’s children and grandchildren, Words seem inadequate to express the sadness we feel of this loss within the Collins family May you find peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to hold in your hearts forever.  
Loving thoughts and prayers are with you all.



*Marcia (Collins) McCann*

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**Marcia McCann** - September 09, 2017 at 01:37 PM

YT

“ Our Mom and Dad were the most caring, kind parents one could hope to have. Mom was always concerned about everyone that was special in her life and heart. She enjoyed spending time with family, friends, meeting new people, cooking awesome food (especially Polish dishes) and baking (especially her well known apple pies). She cherished her special bond with Kelli Marie. Dad loved cars and could talk someone's ear off about them. He was a loyal and proud GM worker and owner. Both Mom and Dad loved the Detroit Tigers. Dad would not miss a game on tv for anything. I love my parents dearly. They will be missed. They have been reunited with Grandma and Grandpa Borowiak, My Dearest Godmother Auntie Bernie and all others relatives in heaven! Rest In Peace with God's Guardian angels, Mom and Dad! We love you forever.

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**You son Tom** - September 09, 2017 at 10:54 AM

FC

“ *Friends of Tom Collins purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Steven and Cynthia Collins.*



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**Friends of Tom Collins** - September 09, 2017 at 09:57 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Steven and Cynthia Collins.*



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September 09, 2017 at 12:08 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Steven and Cynthia Collins.*



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September 08, 2017 at 04:28 PM



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Steven and Cynthia Collins.*



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September 07, 2017 at 06:33 PM

JH

“ Cindy and I were friends since 7th grade. She was an amazing person, so down to earth and caring..... What I will always remember was her infectious giggle and smile! (also, the time she nearly set her bouffant, hair sprayed hair on fire trying to light a cigarette on the gas stove's burner when we were kids!). My husband and I knew Steve, too but hadn't seen him since our kids were little. Back then, he had a Chevelle he adored and loved talking about cars. He was genuine and nice. We are heartbroken for Steve and Cindy's children and extended family. Take comfort in the knowledge that they are in the arms of Jesus in heaven.....where there is no suffering. God be with you and grant you His peace in these difficult days.

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**Janet Hensel** - September 07, 2017 at 11:41 AM

LF

“ Thoughts and prayers for all involved in this tragedy. Thinking of you all during this difficult time. Rest In Peace!  
Lisa (Borowiak) Flinn

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**Lisa Flinn** - September 07, 2017 at 10:41 AM

MD

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to my cousins and my aunt Margie at this time of terrible tragedy to their family. Steve was my cousin and him and Cindy were 2 very sweet people and will be greatly missed! Aunt Margie, Jim, Margie, Ronnie I love you and may you have the strength to get past this! One day at a time! A piece of your hearts were taken away from you! My heart is aching and I can't even imagine yours!  
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**Marie Dennis** - September 07, 2017 at 09:33 AM

DC

“ *Debbie Curtis lit a candle in memory of Steven and Cynthia Collins*



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**Debbie Curtis** - September 07, 2017 at 07:37 AM



“ *Although I don't know the family, I can't imagine your grief. Please know that I'm praying for all.*



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**Arlene Bowen** - September 06, 2017 at 11:10 PM

JD

“ *Jennifer D lit a candle in memory of Steven and Cynthia Collins*



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**Jennifer D** - September 06, 2017 at 09:36 PM

DW

“ *The best neighbors, and friends you could ask for. My thoughts and prayers to the whole family during this tragedy.*

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**Darrin Walters** - September 06, 2017 at 06:53 PM

JC

“ Cynthia is my first cousin. Steve and she were surrounded with loving, large families on both sides. They were always there for others, paying a visit, sharing in celebrations or sending out kind and thoughtful words during difficult times. My heart breaks for all of their family members and friends. I am just one of many who will miss their gifts of love and light in the world. Janice Borowiak-Craig



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**Janice Craig** - September 06, 2017 at 09:13 AM

DC

Cindy was also my first cousin. I will always miss her and Steve. Steve loved to talk and I will never forget that. And Cindy was wonderful. They both loved their children and grandchildren. She had been through so much but she always had a smile. My heart goes out to their children and grandchildren. May they Rest In Peace. Love you all.

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**Debra Cantrell** - September 06, 2017 at 09:28 AM

LS

Cindy was a second cousin (our grandmothers were sisters). although i did not know her well, we followed each other on facebook mainly dealing with pictures of our past. Life is so unfair. My prayers for her children, grandchildren and siblings as they deal with this tragedy. know there are many prayers coming your way from not only friends and family but from many you don't even know. May you somehow find peace in good memories.

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**Linda Schwake** - September 06, 2017 at 12:47 PM

DB

We were first cousins too and my mom's (Dolores Borowiak) beloved niece. Cindy and Steve took time out of their lives to visit mom in her nursing home. Our family was devastated about this tragedy . Their love and pride in their beautiful children shone through her posts on facebook. We will always remember them as a special loving couple they will be missed. May God grant them eternal rest and bless their children grandchildren and siblings with comfort only God can give.

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**Darlene Borowiak** - September 06, 2017 at 02:59 PM

GW

*Cindy and Steve were both such gentle souls! Loved by many. Cindy's face would light up talking about Andrea, Tom, and Kelli. You could feel the love. Kelli I'm sure you know how proud she was of you and all your musical and educational accomplishments. I'm sure Uncle Chester and Aunt Rita welcomed them with open arms. A senseless tragedy with two lives lost too soon. Peace, Prayers, and Blessings. 🌸*



**Gail Borowiak Warner** - September 06, 2017 at 07:19 PM

AN

*Our Mom and Dad were the best parents anyone could ask for. We are so grateful for all their love, support, comfort and guidance throughout our lives. We will always miss them but we know that they are no longer in pain. We will love and miss you forever ♡♡♡*

**Andrea** - September 09, 2017 at 09:59 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Steven and Cynthia Collins.*



September 06, 2017 at 08:49 AM