



## Deborah Jo (Griesmer) Detrio

May 10, 1963 - April 23, 2018

Deborah Jo (Griesmer) Detrio, 54 of Eastlake, formerly of Willowick, passed away April 23, 2018, at the David Simpson Hospice House in Cleveland with her family by her side. She was born May 10, 1963, in Richmond Heights.

Debbie had worked as a gifted and talented teacher for the Zenith Program at Washington Elementary and Thomas Jefferson Elementary Schools in the Willoughby-Eastlake School System. She was a proud mother, who enjoyed spending time with her family and friends.

Survivors include her husband of over 30 years, Chris; daughters Allie and Christine Detrio; son Nick Detrio; siblings Mike, Sue, and Dan; mother and father-in-law John and Fran Detrio and many other loving family members. She was preceded in death by her parents Eugene and Martha Griesmer and sister Patti.

A funeral mass will be held 11 am Saturday, April 28, 2018, at St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church, 32114 Vine St. Willowick, OH 44095. Please meet at the church.

The family will receive friends from 4-8 pm Friday, April 27, 2018, at Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

Interment will be in Willoughby Memorial Gardens at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in Debbie's memory in care of the family.

Offer condolences at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Willoughby Memorial Gardens Cemetery (Plains Rd. Cemetery)

38650 Lake Shore Blvd.  
Willoughby, OH 44094  
(440) 953-4360

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **27**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center  
8466 Mentor Avenue  
Mentor, OH 44060  
(440) 255-3401  
ajs@brunners.com  
<https://www.brunners.com/>

## Funeral Mass

APR **28**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Mary Magdalene  
32114 Vine St.  
Willowick, OH 44095  
(440) 943-2133

# Tribute Wall

CH

“ *Debbie and the entire Detrio family will always hold a special place in my heart. Debbie and I we're teachers in East Cleveland when her twins were born. My twins came after hers. She is the ideal friend, colleague, teacher, or whatever you need her to be. The world is truly NOT a better without her. I'm here for whatever you need Detrio's. I am truly heartbroken. Prayers for all of you. Please stay in touch.* ”



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**Constance Harrell-Harris** - May 17, 2018 at 07:02 PM




“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deborah Jo (Griesmer) Detrio.* ”



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April 26, 2018 at 10:31 PM

 Laura Steinwand

“ *Chris and family, so sorry you hear of your loss.* ”

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**Laura Steinwand** - April 26, 2018 at 07:11 PM

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“ *Chris - so sorry to hear of your wife's passing. My deepest condolences to you and your family. Prayer of peace and comfort for all who knew and loved her.* ”

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**Cheryl Langdon** - April 26, 2018 at 10:25 AM

PA

“ Chris, I am truly sorry to hear about Debbie passing, she was a beautiful person inside and out! I will cherish my memories of her at Lake Cumberland and the weekly scary movie parties! You and your family are in my prayers!

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**PEGGY KYNE AVEYARD** - April 26, 2018 at 07:56 AM

PA

“ PEGGY AVEYARD sent a virtual gift in memory of Deborah Jo (Griesmer) Detrio



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**PEGGY AVEYARD** - April 26, 2018 at 07:48 AM

HS

“ God bless Debbie and the rest of the Detrio family. Debbie was such a beautiful person inside and out and will be missed by so many. I feel truly blessed to call her my friend. Rest in paradise.

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**Heather Schiciano** - April 25, 2018 at 09:11 PM

BR

“ What a beautiful person and such an amazing educator. The world was a better place having her mold and impact young lives. I am grateful to have her guidance in mine. I hope peace and healing will come to her family. My prayers go out to her loved ones.

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**brittany** - April 25, 2018 at 06:04 PM

KF

“ Kelly Ogrin Fani lit a candle in memory of Deborah Jo (Griesmer) Detrio



Kelly Ogrin Fani - April 25, 2018 at 02:38 PM

AR

“ Prayers to cousin Chris and his precious family. Debbie was a sweetheart 😍 Love you all.



Angie Reeher - April 25, 2018 at 01:41 PM

SB

“ Sandy Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Deborah Jo (Griesmer) Detrio



Sandy Brown - April 25, 2018 at 12:08 PM

MR

“ Mary Lou Rivera lit a candle in memory of Deborah Jo (Griesmer) Detrio



Mary Lou Rivera - April 25, 2018 at 08:20 AM

LI

“ Chris,  
SO sorry to see this. Debbie was always so friendly. We pray for  
you and your family.  
Linda and Al Checovich

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Linda - April 25, 2018 at 05:50 AM

TH

My thoughts and prayers go out to her family and friends

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tanya holstein - April 25, 2018 at 09:51 AM

NG

“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to all her  
family & friends. We learned of her illness  
while she was teaching my daughter at TJ.  
We loved her as a teacher, and more so as a  
person. Wonderful personality.



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nicole gliha - April 24, 2018 at 11:28 PM

DL

“ I was fortunate to be part of Mrs. Detrio's first 5th grade class at  
Washington Elementary, 20 some years ago, and I will never forget  
her. She positively impacted so many lives. I hope that my kids will  
be lucky enough to have teachers with even half of her passion and  
kindness one day. Praying for you, Detrio family.

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Dana Ingraham LeRoy - April 24, 2018 at 09:20 PM

CR

“ OMG I am so sorry to hear about this!! I had so much fun being your  
neighbor and friends! I just heard today and am so heartbroken for  
the whole family. Deb was so awesome!!! Xoxo to all of the family.

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Cheri Rossi - April 24, 2018 at 08:04 PM