



Coleen Schimenti

November 23, 1968 - July 19, 2023

Coleen Schimenti, age 54, passed away on Wednesday, July 19, 2023.

Coleen was born in Oak Park, Illinois on November 23, 1968, daughter to Donald and Mary Ann (“Judy”) Mahoney. Soon after, her family moved to Schaumburg where Coleen spent her childhood and young adult years, graduating from Schaumburg High School in 1987. Afterwards, she began working in early childhood education.

In November 1992 Coleen met her future husband Jim at the “El Jardin” club in Chicago. Coleen and Jim were married on September 9, 1995 and settled into their first house in Elgin, Illinois.

Coleen further advanced her education career earning an associate’s degree from Elgin Community College in 1999, and continued working as a teacher in the pre-K age group.

Coleen and husband Jim were blessed with the birth of their daughter Erin on August 26, 2003. The family moved to Round Lake in 2004 and later to Lake Villa in 2008 where they spent the last 15 years together.

Coleen had many hobbies like reading, baking, and scrapbooking. She loved music, and frequently attended musicals and concerts. Coleen also enjoyed exploring the world, and traveled far and wide with her family. She loved dogs

her whole life, and cherished her own dogs and cats. Most of all, Coleen simply enjoyed spending time with her loved ones and always looked forward to the many extended family get-togethers.

Coleen is survived by loving husband of 28 years James (“Jim”) Schimenti; daughter Erin; siblings Adam, Dan (Suzy), Mike, Mark (Laura), and Katy (Mike); and many beloved cousins, aunts, uncles, nieces, and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents Donald and Mary Ann (“Judy”) Mahoney.

Guests are encouraged to wear purple to the service, and that any flowers be purple in honor of Coleen’s favorite color.

Visitation will be 4 - 8 p.m. on Monday, July 24, 2023 at Ringa Funeral Home in Lake Villa. Funeral Mass will begin at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 25, 2023 at Prince of Peace Church in Lake Villa. Please meet directly at church. Burial will follow at Ascension Cemetery in Libertyville, IL.

Cemetery Details

Ascension Catholic Cemetery

IL Route 137 and Saint Mary's Road
Libertyville, IL 60048

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **24.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ringa Funeral Home
122 S. Milwaukee Ave.
Lake Villa, IL 60046
(847) 356-2146
info@ringafuneralhome.com
<https://www.ringafuneralhome.com>

Funeral Mass

JUL **25.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Prince of Peace Catholic Church
135 S. Milwaukee Ave
Lake Villa, IL 60046
(847) 356-7915

Tribute Wall



“ *Coleen Schimenti*

October 04, 2023 at 02:13 PM



“ *Susan S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Coleen Schimenti.*

Susan S. - July 24, 2023 at 12:55 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.*



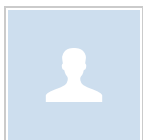
July 24, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.*



July 24, 2023 at 10:58 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Coleen Schimenti.*

July 24, 2023 at 10:58 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.



July 24, 2023 at 12:20 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Coleen Schimenti.

July 24, 2023 at 12:20 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.



July 23, 2023 at 10:32 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.



July 23, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.*



July 23, 2023 at 02:33 AM



“ *Shirley Novotny purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Coleen Schimenti.*



Shirley Novotny - July 22, 2023 at 08:21 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.*



July 22, 2023 at 01:43 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.*



July 22, 2023 at 11:24 AM

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“ *Barbara Mahoney and the Leoni family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Coleen Schimenti.* ”



Barbara Mahoney and the Leoni family - July 21, 2023 at 07:47 PM

LF

“ *Laura and Brian Waldron, and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Coleen Schimenti.* ”



Laura and Brian Waldron, and Family - July 21, 2023 at 04:13 PM



“ *I will miss my wonderful sister always. I love you Coleen.* ”



Dan Mahoney - July 21, 2023 at 01:05 PM



“ *Jimmy Schimmy and family, my wife and I wish there was something we could do to help. We don't live far away and I have a pickup truck so let me know.* ”

Huntsman Manning - July 21, 2023 at 12:11 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Coleen Schimenti.*



July 20, 2023 at 08:10 PM