



## Frances Gidus

July 6, 2006

Frances Diana Ondick Gidus, age 71, of Murrells Inlet, S.C., died Thursday, July 6, 2006, at her residence in Murrells Inlet, S.C. Born February 17, 1935 in Detroit, Michigan. a daughter of the late John Charles and Frances Susan Puskar Ondick. She was employed with Bettis Atomic Laboratory. She is survived by her husband Regis Gidus of Murrells Inlet; Daughter: Mary Beth Canitano and husband, Michael of Conway. Services will be private. Memorials may be made to Regency Hospice 11943 Garden Haven Drive, Suite A., Garden City, SC 29576. Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ I am a volunteer with Regency Hospice. When I first met Frances, she was so 'alive' and happy. She did not appear to be in pain, but happy to be alive. She and Regis joked with each other about her illness and I was suddenly in awe of the love they shared with each other. As the weeks progressed, I could see her health failing and her pain increasing. I tried to make her as comfortable as possible, but I felt helpless that I could not take away her pain. Even though I only knew her a short time, I feel blessed that she came into my life. She was strong and courageous and always tried to make me feel welcome, even though she probably couldn't remember me towards the end. What a lovely lady!##imported-begin##Leslie Weiss##imported-end##

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August 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ It's hard to think of the loss of a parent but both within 9 days is alot to take in at one time but what i know forever they were great friends and neighbors for all the years here in west mifflin i cant thank god enough for letting them be a part of my familys life smiles,chuckles and waves are imprinted in my memory forever.I know they were always there when i needed them for my mom they wern't just neighbors they were careing and loveable to all but i know it sure hurt when they moved but what was neat they wanted to move to be closer to you thats pretty darn great i think i know you will miss them but dont worry they are both here you just cant see or hear them but dont forget they can hear you. To you diane oh how i will miss you and your advice,cheery words, emphy and everything you gave off like rays of sunshine even on a gloomy day. marybeth they are in good hands, they are home again and as we can see they never want to be apart. please keep in touch bless you and yours your old neighbors love, jeanne and robbie###imported-begin##Jeanne##imported-end##

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July 29, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ **HAPPY 51st ANNIVERSARY MOM & DAD.** It's comforting to know that you never had to spend an anniversary apart. 50 of them with us and the rest together in heaven. We will continue to celebrate your anniversaries in love, memories and prayers. I was blessed to have you as parents in life and now blessed to have you as angels from heaven. You both touched the lives of so many people in a wonderful way. Your memory will stay alive forever. Love Forever, Mary Beth & Michael###imported-begin##Mary Beth & Michael Canitano##imported-end##

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July 23, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ For 50 years two angels walked this earth. They shared their love and their strength with everyone who knew them. They welcomed you into their hearts and their homes and showed you that no matter what you were loved. God called his special angels home to celebrate the rest of their anniversaries in Heaven. On this day all will stop and remember the angels that were joined together bringing into this world a love that none can ever compare. Happy Anniversary Mom & Dad! You are forever in our hearts, our souls and our love.##imported-begin##Cheryl Luketic##imported-end##

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July 23, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Brit & I sincere condolence. Your mom was a wonderful person who's smile I will never forget even when times where rough. I will always cherish our golf cart ride at christmas time, she lit up like a star. May your Mom & Dad spread their wings together, forever with GOD. God bless you both Marybeth & Mike. Sincerely, Cindy & Brit##imported-begin##Cynthia L.Merritt##imported-end##

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July 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ My sincere condolence, they are both together in a better place, May God be with them##imported-begin##Randy & Debbie Erickson##imported-end##

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July 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Thank you for allowing us to take care of your Mom. I enjoyed getting to know both of your parents. I know you will miss them both. They are together as they would want to be. If you need us just call. Patti Fink, Regency Hospice.##imported-begin##patti fink##imported-end##

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July 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ rege and family - thank you for allowing me the opportunity to be a part of your lives and trusting me to help care for Ms. Frances. Rege - what wonderful care you took of Frances, she was very lucky to have you.##imported-begin##faith dipersio##imported-end##

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July 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Regis, Mary Beth and Mike My deepest sympathy to all of you for your loss. I will always remember Diane and cherish the times with her. If there is anytiing you need or anything I can do for you, just let me know. I want to thank all of you for being a good friend to me and would like to return the kindness you have shown to me in anyway I can . God Bless##imported-begin##Daniel Boram##imported-end##

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July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Daine was so wonderful, she was like a mom to me. She was giving, caring and never judgemental. Plus she was great at smashing spiders. I'm sorry I did not get to see her more in the last few years. We always believe there is time. I hope she and you both know you were and are always in my thoughts. Love you Sue##imported-begin##Sue Jones##imported-end##

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July 13, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ regis, diane, & michael, surprised and shocked to hear of your great loss. may GOD comfort you at this sad time. your loved one will be in our daily prayers at holy mass. my feeling is that she is now joined in heaven with uncle joe and aunt peg.##imported-begin##francis & alice gidus##imported-end##

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July 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Mr.Gidus, Marybeth, and Mike Our deepest sympathies to you and all of your family.Anything you might need do not hesitate to call; Jessi or myself will be here anytime you need a shoulder to lean on. Sincerely, John, Jessi and family##imported-begin##John Barr##imported-end##

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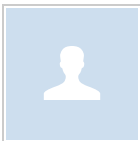
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“ Mary Beth, Regis & Michael, we are sorry for your loss and all of you are in our prayers and thoughts. Remember we are here if you need us and just a phone call away!! Please take of yourselves and keep your chin up and we talk to you soon!##imported-begin##John Lydon & Randy Diggs##imported-end##

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July 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Marybeth, You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Your mom will always be with you, Mike and your dad. Please know I am always there should you need me. Love, Tom Cheryl's Brother##imported-begin##Tom Van Natta##imported-end##

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July 11, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ It was a pleasure taking care of Miss Diane and also a privledge to be welcomed into her home. My deepest sympathy to the family.##imported-begin##Pam Grate##imported-end##

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July 11, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ MaryBeth and Mike- Your mom was a very special person, I know you will miss her, but she will always be with you and the others that she touched. If you need anything, let me know.##imported-begin##Gene Jenkins##imported-end##

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“ Regis- We only knew Diane for a short time, you knew her many more years. May you hold the memories and times that you shared in your heart forever. Open the memories when you need her peace. She will always be your Angel, but she just has been given her wings. You will see her again someday.##imported-begin##Kerri and Gene Jenkins##imported-end##

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July 11, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ My prayers are with you all##imported-begin##Paschal Cleese##imported-end##

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July 11, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ My sincere condolence and our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Randy and Debbie Erickson##imported-begin##Randy G. Erickson##imported-end##

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July 10, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ You are all in our thoughts and prayers during this very difficult time.##imported-begin##Danette Baso Silvers##imported-end##

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“ Rege and Family, My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Peggy Fine##imported-end##

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“ Moms are so special. She will always be with you and love you. You'll miss her everyday, but think of her and talk to her. She's listening. She's your angel.##imported-begin##Mary Ann Wagner##imported-end##

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“ Your Mom was a very special person. Her wings will carry her to heaven where the best is yet to come.##imported-begin##Kerri Jenkins##imported-end##

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“ There are many people that come into our lives for just a little while but remain in our hearts forever. I will remember this wonderful lady for all the rest of my days. I can only imagine Gods smile as he welcomed her to her new home. In closing, I would like to share something that I had read during my training with Regency Hospice- All our years of education, every dollar we've earned and saved, each trophy we've mounted, each headline we've grabbed- in the end, what we want is what we wanted all along: someone to touch our hand and tell us we are loved. And what we have to offer is nothing more, or less than ourselves.##imported-begin##Kathleen Palmer##imported-end##

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July 10, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ My mom is now my Guardian Angel and I miss her very much. She may not be here in body but will always be here in soul. I miss you and love you very much mom. Love, Mary Beth##imported-begin##Mary Beth Canitano##imported-end##

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July 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Rege, Marybeth, and Mikie - Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Ms. Diana was a wonderful person and we truly enjoyed having the opportunity to get to know her and love her. Your friends - Amy, Michael, and Carson Baldree.##imported-begin##AMY BALDREE##imported-end##

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July 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Dad, Marybeth and Michael, Mom will be truly missed. She was a wonderful lady and an inspiration to all who knew and loved her. She was an angel on this earth and your guardian angel now. Our hearts are with you and we love you! Cheryl, Scott, Rachel and Courtney###imported-begin##Cheryl Luketic###imported-end##

July 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Even though we never met we feel sorry that you were taken from your daughter who loved you so much and my brother. He had a bond with you that he never had before.###imported-begin##Joe & Jennifer Canitano & Family###imported-end##

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“ I miss mom's breakfast in the morning, her smiles throughout the days. I also miss her comfort and her caring ways. I've gained a lot of memories and love from her and the entire family. I will always keep her memories and smiles in my mind when I look at my wife and remember that she and her husband are the ones that brought Mary Beth into my life. Love Forever, Michael Canitano###imported-begin##Michael Canitano###imported-end##

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“ I,ve already been missing my aunt Dianne for 20+ years, and now to know that I can never see her again makes heart ache even more. My condolences to Mary Beth and family and Uncle Rege. I am only happy to know now that she can be with her sister and parents. She is loved and will never be forgotten from the Mikita's.###imported-begin##Greg Mikita###imported-end##

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“ Dear Reg, MaryBeth, and Mike, Our prayers and love are with you! My heart goes out to all of you. I am so sorry to hear Dianne is gone, the world has lost a wonderful person. I remember her warm smiling face each day she spent here on Cudjoe Key. She would come out everyday and say what a beautiful day it was! Her positive attitude and smiling face always made me smile she was a warm and loving friend and always a blessing to me. It is my great pleasure to have been a part of your family MaryBeth, you all hold a special place in my heart. Love you, Reg, MaryBeth & Mike!!!!  
Gail##imported-begin##Gail Welder##imported-end##

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“ Dear Reg, MaryBeth & Mike Our prayers are with you. We will see "Our Angel Dianne" again. We all look forward to being in Heaven with Dianne, where there will be no more suffering and no more tears. Just a joyous reunion with our loved ones for Eternity. God Bless You All. Love, Mother, Gail & N8##imported-begin##Bill, Gail & Nate##imported-end##

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