



## Michele M. Senesac

September 25, 1988 - July 30, 2020

Michele M. Senesac, née Dean, age 31, of St. George, passed away on Thursday, July 30, 2020 at Advocate Lutheran General Hospital in Park Ridge. Michele was born on September 25, 1988 to Bill and Gina (DeMarah) Dean in Kankakee. She graduated from Eastern Illinois University with a B.S. Degree in Elementary Education. She married Grant Senesac on June 27, 2015 in Bourbonnais. She worked as a teacher at Indian Oaks Academy and as a secretary at South Schuyler Counseling. Michele was a neat freak- she loved to clean, decorate, cook and bake. She loved to travel and spend time on the river and the farm. She enjoyed doing yoga, taking her dog Marley on walks and writing her online IVF blog: [ivf\\_to\\_babysenesac](http://ivf_to_babysenesac.com).

Michele is survived by her husband, Grant, of St. George; parents, Bill and Gina Dean of Bourbonnais; one sister, Lanie Dean of Denver, CO; one brother, Drew Dean of Bourbonnais; maternal grandmother, Melanie (Al) Argento of Kankakee; parents-in-law, Randy and Jenny Senesac of St. George; one brother-in-law, Ryan (Kelsey) Senesac of Oak Lawn and two nephews, Harrison and Bennett Senesac.

She was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, William and Doris Dean and her maternal grandfather, Kenneth DeMarah.

Cremation rites have been accorded. Due to Covid-19, private family services

will be held at a later date.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.

Arrangements by Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

Please visit [www.clancygernon.com](http://www.clancygernon.com) where you can sign Michele's online guestbook and share memories and photos.

# Tribute Wall



“ 5.5" EBN Kneeling & Praying Angel was purchased for the family of Michele M. Senesac.



March 03, 2022 at 12:45 PM



“ My family and I are always here for you grant. I know it's been a long time. Sending all the love possible. Stay strong brother

Josh meadows - August 14, 2020 at 08:55 PM



“ Our Deepest Sympathies to both the Dean & Senesac Families!  
  
Jason & Katie Schneider

Jason Schneider - August 10, 2020 at 02:36 PM



“ My Deepest Sympathies to the families



Jeff Satterwhite - August 08, 2020 at 05:42 AM

WJ

“ It was Monday August 3rd and I was just finishing a session, when I checked my phone and saw the text. I was numb, shocked, and confused to say the least. So, I cancelled all my appointments that day and went home to fill my house tears. I haven't stopped crying since. Michele and I met at Indian Oaks, she was a teacher for program 4 and I was a floor staff on program 4 as well. After I had my first conversation with her, I knew she was worth talking to every day. We had conversations every day and that led into what we have today and that's a great friendship. After I left Indian Oaks, I started my own counseling/private practice and needed some receptionists. I contacted Michele and she became my part time Secretary. Our conversations continued and it was like we never left Indian Oaks. I looked at Michele as my little sister. After hearing of her passing, words cannot say how heartbroken and sad I am. Not just for me, but for Michele's husband and her family. It's so hard for me to go to my office, especially on Tuesdays and Thursdays, because those were the days she worked. I've been crying "crocodile tears" every day, because I miss Michele, our talks, and our great friendship. I'm super sad, but I know I'll get through this. Michele, you are a beautiful person and I'm going to miss you so much. In closing, as the tears began to start, I just want you to know that, as a friend, I love you and I'm going to seriously, seriously miss you. May God rest your soul my friend.

*William Lacy Jr.*

*Owner at South Schuyler Counseling*

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**William Lacy Jr.** - August 06, 2020 at 08:15 PM



“ I am deeply saddened to learn of the loss of my long time friends Bill and Gina Dean daughter Michele. So very devastating. I love all of you and you all are in my prayers. R.I.P. Michele

Sincerely  
Lexie Helm

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**Alex Sanders** - August 05, 2020 at 10:17 PM



“ Alex Sanders lit a candle in memory of Michele M. Senesac



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**Alex Sanders** - August 05, 2020 at 10:14 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I knew Michele for just a little while at IOA. She always had a lovely smile and kind word for me. God be with you all.

Kathy Lytle

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**Kathy Lytle** - August 05, 2020 at 06:41 PM



“ Our Deepest Sympathy to her family. Sorry for your loss. I worked with Bill Dean many moons ago at St. Mary's Hospital in Dietary.



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**Vickie (Cox) Bertrand** - August 05, 2020 at 06:27 PM

DD

“ *My sincerest sympathy to Michele's family. Dianne Dillon*

Dianne Dillon - August 05, 2020 at 06:18 PM

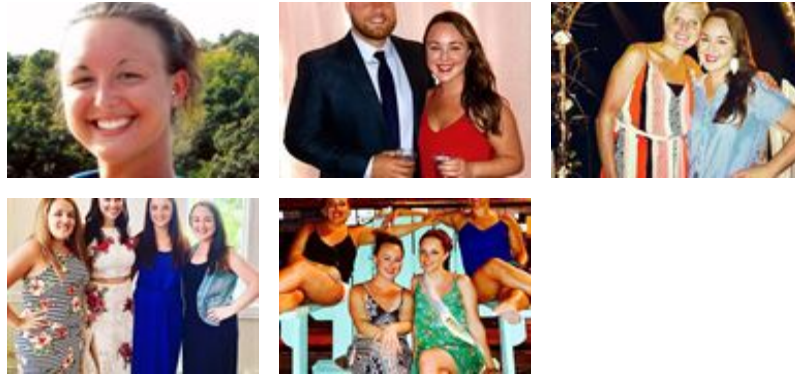
MH

“ *Grant we can't tell you how bad we feel on the loss of Michelle and we are thinking of you and praying for you*

michael hatch - August 05, 2020 at 05:14 PM



“ *102 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes - August 05, 2020 at 02:07 PM

CG

“ *Grant, we are at a loss for words to hear about Michele. Sending you love and prayers.*

*Our sincere sympathy to Randy, Jenny and family and to the Dean Family praying for strength and healing.*

*Love  
Alan and Christine (Tini)  
Grooms*

christine grooms - August 05, 2020 at 09:11 AM

CM

“ To the Senesac & Dean families my sincere condolences. What a tragic loss. Keeping all in my prayers as Michele looks down from heaven & watches over you.

Cathie (Bergan) Miedema

Cathie Miedema - August 05, 2020 at 01:07 AM



J(

“ Michele was such an inspiration! So sweet, warm, always friendly, and so positive!!! I haven't seen Michele since High School, but have followed and interacted with her on social media through her infertility journey. She was so strong to share her story, not only for herself, but to encourage others, and help us to remember we are not alone. My deepest condolences. I pray for comfort and peace as Grant, her family, and friends navigate through this.


Jackie Ornelas (West) - August 04, 2020 at 06:48 PM

KD

“ Never met such a beautiful soul!! Michele thank you for all the inspiration and light that you brought to everyone's life that you entered!!! My heart goes out the family and Grant!!!! Fly High Michele and may you rest in paradise!!

Katelynn & Brett DUBY - August 04, 2020 at 03:54 PM



 Teresa  
Green  
Stell

“ So sorry for your loss. Our deepest sympathy to your family. Greg & Teresa (Green) Stell

Teresa Green Stell - August 04, 2020 at 03:43 PM

ER

“ My sincere and deepest sympathy,i see many patients day in and day out.Michele was one of the ones that always stood out,sweet,caring,understanding and always the most pleasant patient to speak to.My heart breaks knowing i wont have a call,or see a scheduled visit from her.She was my patient,but overall she was a great gal,always sweet and smiling to all of our staff.Fly high michele and may you rest in paradise.



Esther R - August 04, 2020 at 02:41 PM

PK

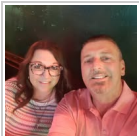
“ My heart breaks for the entire family, such a sudden shock. Michele was a source of support when my son Alex Duval passed away. My her memories be a comfort.

Patty Klonowski - August 04, 2020 at 01:56 PM

DD

“ Michele was my first true friend. I hold so many memories together. She was such a wonderful person to be around. Bill, Gina, Drew and Lanie my heart goes out to you all. ❤️

Danielle Dupuis - August 04, 2020 at 12:01 PM



“ Todd and I hearts are breaking for you guys and your family!! Sending big hugs your way!



Michelle Bates-Zummallen - August 04, 2020 at 10:59 AM

SD

“ I’m so very sorry for your loss!!! My prayers are with your family!!!

Sarah & Keith Dombkowski - August 04, 2020 at 10:36 AM

TJ

“ Our hearts are breaking for you all! Our deepest sympathy.

Jeff & Tami

Tami Johnson - August 03, 2020 at 09:13 PM

KP

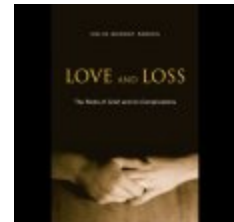
“ We have do many great memoried theres not enough room for all of them. Michelle you will be missed by so many. Heaven is one lucky place right now to have a Great person like you. Hugs and prayers



kevin and Karrie Pommier - August 03, 2020 at 08:06 PM



“ Love and Loss was purchased for the family of Michele M. Senesac.



August 03, 2020 at 07:49 PM

JH

“ To Randy & Jenny & Grant I don't have the words to say sorry for your loss. Keeping You Close in Caring Thoughts and Prayers. God Bless Everyone. Take care

*Judy Harling*

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**Judy Harling** - August 03, 2020 at 07:36 PM



TE

“ So sorry for your loss.

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**Tim and Connie Eaker** - August 03, 2020 at 07:07 PM



AM

“ I'm so sad she was so funny and a very nice and happy person she was my teacher and she took her time out of her weekends and days to do summer school with me when I was struggling with school

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**Amber** - August 03, 2020 at 06:13 PM

DR

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you at this difficult time.

*Duane and Kathy Roy*

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**Duane and Kathy Roy** - August 03, 2020 at 05:51 PM

LG

*We send our deepest sympathy to her family especially Jenny, Randy and family*

**Lynette and Duane Gray** - August 03, 2020 at 05:58 PM

MS

“ *Bill and Gina I am so sorry for your loss. You and the family our in my thoughts and prayers!*



**Michelle Sadler** - August 03, 2020 at 05:14 PM

CH

“ *I am beyond sad to see this on Facebook today. She was a wonderful person and loved her sweet smile! I had the privilege of knowing her when she student taught at Shepard School. I am sending prayers to the Dean Family and her husband. Bill and Gina, I am sending you big hugs! Love to all!*

**Callie Huggins** - August 03, 2020 at 04:27 PM

MM

“ *Gina and Bill, I am so very sorry for your loss. Michele was such a sweet soul. I pray God comforts you in the tough days ahead. I remember Michele as a little girl at my daycare. She and Maggie and Nena were all playmates. She also loved when I made peanut butter and fluff sandwiches for lunch!* 🥰❤️🙏



**Mary Magruder** - August 03, 2020 at 03:44 PM

DT

“ Michele is like my second daughter, I will always have you in my heart ❤️ May you fly high with the angels and always look down on Jessica and Mila and keep the. Safe.

Denise Tapp - August 03, 2020 at 03:21 PM

DH

“ We are so sad of the passing of Michele. No words can come close to the sadness we are feeling for everyone. What a beautiful angel. We love you Grant

Debbie and Steve Hoey - August 03, 2020 at 02:50 PM

RM

“ We built Grant and Michele's home. She was a lovely girl. Knew exactly what she wanted. So sorry to hear about her passing. Prayers for the family.

Randy and Juanita Mullet - August 03, 2020 at 01:41 PM

KM

“ We are so very sorry for the loss of Michelle. Matt and I are sending you all hugs and love.



Kelley Madsen - August 03, 2020 at 12:30 PM

SC

“ Michele was one of our daughter's best friends so we were fortunate to have her in our lives as well. She was such a caring person with a beautiful smile. Our heart breaks for Grant, their families and friends.

Steve & Susie Cornett - August 03, 2020 at 12:06 PM

SC

“ I went to school and graduated with Michele. I am so very sorry for your loss!! Keeping you all in my prayers.

Samantha Cappellano - August 03, 2020 at 12:00 PM

VD

My prayers and condolences are with the family. I worked as a TA at IOA with Michelle. She became like another daughter to me at that time.

Vernasyne Dockery - August 03, 2020 at 12:46 PM

CW

“ The family has my condolences. We worked together at Indian Oaks Academy. She was a really good teacher and co-worker. She will be missed.

Carla Wright - August 03, 2020 at 11:59 AM

TM

“ So very sorry for your loss.



Tom Mallaney - August 03, 2020 at 10:35 AM



To Grant, Randy and Jenny we are so sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with all the family.

Merle and June Raymond

Merle Raymond - August 04, 2020 at 03:27 PM