



Jean Marie Steele-Wren

February 10, 1966 - January 5, 2013

Jean Marie Steele-Wren, 46, of Lebanon Avenue, Pittsfield, Massachusetts passed away peacefully on January 5, 2013 at her home due to a several year battle with cancer.

She was born in North Adams on February 10, 1966, but grew up in Lanesboro. She is the daughter of the late William and Elizabeth Garrity Steele. Jean graduated from Mount Greylock Regional High School and was married to James Wren, of Pittsfield, on May 21, 1994. Her most important milestone was the birth of her daughter Stephanie Wren, of Pittsfield, in 1989.

For many years, Jean worked at the former Bradley's Department store. She then pursued a career as an insurance broker where she earned the highest number of credentials attainable and had many loyal customers who spoke highly of her. Jean enjoyed fitness, traveling, was an avid Patriots and Bruins fan and was always the life of the party. She loved all of her pets and treated them like members of the family. She was a devoted and loving wife, friend, and a truly exceptional mother most of all. She made many sacrifices for her husband and daughter to make sure they were happy. Her sense of humor will be remembered by all of the lives she touched as well as her kind heart in helping anyone in need.

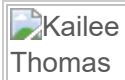
Jean was survived by her husband James, her only daughter Stephanie, her

only brother William Steele, Jr., of Louisville, KY, her grand-dog Brady, numerous aunts and uncles, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and loyal friends.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Jean Marie Steele-Wren will be Wednesday, January 9, 2013 at 9 a.m. from the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield MA with a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at St. Charles Church, celebrated by Rev. A. Peter Gregory, pastor. Burial will follow in St. Joseph Cemetery. Calling hours at the funeral home will be Tuesday, January 8, 2013 from 4 to 7 p.m. If friends desire, donations may be made to Moments House or the Lanesboro Volunteer Fire Department care of the Dwyer Funeral Home in her memory. DONATIONS CANNOT BE MADE ON THIS WEBSITE, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

Kailee Thomas

“ *Kailee Thomas lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Kailee Thomas - January 16, 2013 at 09:07 PM

LH

“ *Lori Hinckley lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Lori Hinckley - January 10, 2013 at 03:44 PM

JG

“ *Janice Garrity lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Janice Garrity - January 09, 2013 at 08:20 AM

JG

All my thoughts and prayers are with Jim and Stephanie at this time of great sorrow and loss. Jean will be missed by all whose lives she touched!

Janice Garrity - January 09, 2013 at 08:24 AM

CT

“ *Jim and family,
I am so very sorry to learn of your loss. Please know that my
thoughts and prayers are with you.
Chris Thomson*

Chris Thomson - January 08, 2013 at 06:47 PM

KC

“ *Stephanie, I may have never met your
mother, but knowing how you've spoken of
her I know she loves you very much and will
always be with you. She was a beautiful
woman and I'm sure she is very proud of you
and who you are. My deepest sympathies to you and your father.
Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need anything. I'm just
around the corner. Love you Steph*



Kristin Coppola - January 08, 2013 at 04:27 PM

KC

“ *Kristin Coppola lit a candle in memory of Jean
Marie Steele-Wren*



Kristin Coppola - January 08, 2013 at 04:21 PM

MC

“ *Maria Collias lit a candle in memory of Jean
Marie Steele-Wren*



Maria Collias - January 08, 2013 at 11:46 AM

KP

“ Karen (Passmore) Pickering lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Karen (Passmore) Pickering - January 08, 2013 at 06:41 AM

KP

To Jean's family; I'm so very saddened to hear the news of Jean's passing. I went to school with Jean and remember her as such a fun and friendly person. I truly hope she is at peace and I wish you all peace and healing. I'm so sorry for your loss.

Karen (Passmore) Pickering - January 08, 2013 at 06:43 AM

TM

“ Teresa Roy Marquis lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Teresa Roy Marquis - January 07, 2013 at 11:03 PM

DS

“ I went to Mt. Greylock with Jean, we were in many classes together. I am so sorry for your loss. She was a wonderful person.
Debby Stanlewicz



Debby Stanlewicz - January 07, 2013 at 04:41 PM

KM

“ Jim & Stephanie, You are in my thoughts and prayers, I was so sad to hear of Jean's passing. Stephanie - she was so proud of you and was always sharing about your accomplishments in life everytime I would see her or talk with her. May your memories carry you through the days ahead and know that she will always be with you in your heart.

Kelly Colvin Marion

Kelly Colvin Marion - January 07, 2013 at 03:18 PM

BW

“ Bonnie (Riddle) Worth lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Bonnie (Riddle) Worth - January 07, 2013 at 01:28 PM

LB

“ Jim and Stephanie: You are in my thoughts and prayers. Jean was a remarkable woman and will be missed by all.

Linda Bailey

Linda Garrity Bailey - January 07, 2013 at 09:03 AM

MG

“ Jim, so sorry to hear of your great loss. Please know that you and your daughter are in my thoughts and prayers.

Mal Gwozdz

Mal Gwozdz - January 07, 2013 at 08:59 AM

BP

“ Stephanie,

*So very sorry for your loss!
Your friends at Berkshire Union Free School District
Bruce Potter, Superintendent*

Bruce Potter - January 07, 2013 at 07:46 AM

JL

“ *Jim and Stephanie-I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Jean. I have fond memories of family parties at Uncle Bill and Aunt Betty's house with Jean, Will, and all the family. While she is no longer here on Earth, she will live on in people's hearts and memories.--Jessica (Steele) Lashway*

Jessica Lashway - January 07, 2013 at 07:29 AM

TP

“ *Tammy Picard-Vallee lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Tammy Picard-Vallee - January 07, 2013 at 07:10 AM

TS

“ *Tina (Caporale) Schettini lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Tina (Caporale) Schettini - January 07, 2013 at 06:29 AM



“ *Nikolas Valentine Wren was added to the Family Tree.* ”

Stephanie Wren - January 07, 2013 at 04:32 AM



“ *Brady Bruin Wren was added to the Family Tree.* ”

Stephanie Wren - January 07, 2013 at 04:15 AM



“ *Stephanie Elizabeth Wren was added to the Family Tree.* ”

Stephanie Wren - January 07, 2013 at 04:05 AM



“ *William Steele was added to the Family Tree.* ”

Stephanie Wren - January 07, 2013 at 04:04 AM



“ *James Patrick Wren was added to the Family Tree.* ”

Stephanie Wren - January 07, 2013 at 04:03 AM



“ *Elizabeth Garrity Steele was added to the Family Tree.* ”

Stephanie Wren - January 07, 2013 at 04:02 AM



“ *William Steele was added to the Family Tree.* ”

Stephanie Wren - January 07, 2013 at 04:02 AM

CB

“ *Cindy Brazee lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



cindy brazee - January 07, 2013 at 02:09 AM

AG

“ *Adrienne Grover lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Adrienne Grover - January 06, 2013 at 11:00 PM

LS

“ *Jim and Stephanie, sorry for your lost. Jean made her parents proud 43 years ago.they traveled 600 miles into the State of Maine so she could be a flower girl at our wedding.Jean looked so cute walking down the asile along with her brother Will our ring bearer. thanks for the Good memories Jean. Your Cousin Laurin and Murielle Steele.*

Laurin Steele - January 06, 2013 at 09:42 PM

KW

“ *Karen Ritter Whitney lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Karen Ritter Whitney - January 06, 2013 at 08:30 PM

GB

“ Gloria Barcher lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



gloria barcher - January 06, 2013 at 08:28 PM

AB

“ Amanda Bureau sent a virtual gift in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Amanda Bureau - January 06, 2013 at 08:08 PM

ME

“ Mary Beth Smith Eckert lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Mary Beth Smith Eckert - January 06, 2013 at 08:00 PM

AR

“ Aunt Mary & Rob Reilly lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Aunt Mary & Rob Reilly - January 06, 2013 at 07:07 PM

JD

“ *Jeanne Dietlin lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Jeanne Dietlin - January 06, 2013 at 07:01 PM

JD

I was so sadden to hear about Jean, she always had a smile on her face or was laughing about something. She will be sadly missed. Rest in peace Jean Jeanne Dietlin, Manteno Illinois

Jeanne Dietlin - January 06, 2013 at 07:07 PM

SZ

“ *Sue Zuber lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



sue zuber - January 06, 2013 at 06:55 PM

 Dawn Jayko

“ *Dawn Jayko lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Dawn Jayko - January 06, 2013 at 06:46 PM

AG

“ Anna Giguere lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Anna Giguere - January 06, 2013 at 06:26 PM

PG

“ Peggy Giguere lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Peggy Giguere - January 06, 2013 at 06:22 PM



“ Written in the Stars was purchased for the family of Jean Marie Steele-Wren.



January 06, 2013 at 05:53 PM

KS

“ Kathy Sheerin lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Kathy Sheerin - January 06, 2013 at 05:34 PM

FS

“ *Your sweet smile and beautiful heart will be so missed....but your memory will be in our hearts forever. Love you Jean.*

Francine Steele - January 06, 2013 at 05:32 PM

FS

“ *Francine Steele lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Francine Steele - January 06, 2013 at 05:28 PM


Kristina
Kane-
Lafayette

“ *Kristina Kane-Lafayette lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Kristina Kane-Lafayette - January 06, 2013 at 05:15 PM

PR

“ *Pam Decelles Rathbun lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Pam Decelles Rathbun - January 06, 2013 at 05:02 PM

LC

“ *Lori Carlson lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Lori Carlson - January 06, 2013 at 05:01 PM

DD

“ *Donna L. Daly sent a virtual gift in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Donna L. Daly - January 06, 2013 at 04:59 PM

FJ

“ *Frankie Johnson lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Frankie Johnson - January 06, 2013 at 04:58 PM

TC

“ *Ted Carlson lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Ted Carlson - January 06, 2013 at 04:54 PM

TS

“ *Tonya Street lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Tonya street - January 06, 2013 at 04:52 PM

CF

“ *Carley Elizabeth Farrell lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Carley Elizabeth Farrell - January 06, 2013 at 04:52 PM

PB

“ *Jim & Stephanie*
I am so sorry to hear about Jean's passing. My heart goes out to you during this difficult time. You are in my prayers.
Pam Betz

Pamela Betz - January 06, 2013 at 04:51 PM

KF

“ *Katey M Farrell lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Katey M Farrell - January 06, 2013 at 04:51 PM

KF

“ Kyle M Farrell lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Kyle M Farrell - January 06, 2013 at 04:48 PM

DC

“ Debra Ann Carlson-Farrell lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Debra Ann Carlson-Farrell - January 06, 2013 at 04:46 PM

DC

My dear Stephanie, Jimmy, Billy, Aunt Mary, Family, Friends, My heartfelt thoughts & prayers go out to you all. Jeannie was a wonderful loving mom, wife, friend. May Jeannie's memories live on forever in a day. We all miss you dearly, my dearest friend. Love truly , Deb <3

Debra Ann Carlson-Farrell - January 08, 2013 at 05:17 AM

MS

“ You will be missed I'm sorry I didn't get to see you much, but you were prayed for & in our thoughts... You are now with your maker walking along side of him with no pain... We shall meet again & we will shoot the breeze & maybe knock some hats off of people with that breeze ;-)

Always in our hearts & prayers!

Love always,

Marie & Nicole Steele

Marie Steele - January 06, 2013 at 04:41 PM

JS

“ Jess Swail lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Jess Swail - January 06, 2013 at 04:21 PM

MB

“ Marie Bartlett lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Marie Bartlett - January 06, 2013 at 04:20 PM

SN

“ Shannon Litano Nusbaum lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



shannon litano nusbaum - January 06, 2013 at 04:13 PM

BD

“ Barbara Douglass lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren



Barbara Douglass - January 06, 2013 at 04:13 PM

HR

“ Dear James So sorry to hear about your loss my sincere condolences

Hal Ross

Hal Ross - January 06, 2013 at 03:54 PM

IB

“ *Irene Richardson Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Irene Richardson Blankenship - January 06, 2013 at 03:50 PM

TZ

“ *Tina Zimbouski lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Tina Zimbouski - January 06, 2013 at 03:46 PM

 Brenda Griffin

“ *Brenda Griffin lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Brenda Griffin - January 06, 2013 at 03:37 PM

FH

“ *Frank Hatch lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



frank hatch - January 06, 2013 at 03:36 PM

WW

“ *Wendy Aldrich Wendell sent a virtual gift in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



wendy Aldrich Wendell - January 06, 2013 at 03:35 PM

RH

“ *Ray Hatch lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Ray Hatch - January 06, 2013 at 03:34 PM

MD

“ *Margaret Dodge lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



margaret dodge - January 06, 2013 at 03:21 PM

PF

“ *Patti L Fletcher lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Patti L Fletcher - January 06, 2013 at 03:20 PM



“ *Eileen Kane lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Eileen Kane - January 06, 2013 at 03:16 PM

 Jennifer Kane

“ *Jennifer Kane lit a candle in memory of Jean Marie Steele-Wren*



Jennifer Kane - January 06, 2013 at 02:46 PM

PF

“ *My dear friend Jean, I will miss you so much.. May you rest in peace. My sympathy to Stephanie and Jim. Love, Patti*

Patti L Fletcher - January 06, 2013 at 02:29 PM

SW

“ *My Mom meant the world to me. She was the greatest person in my life. I had so many plans for her and I in the future so this will be such a rough road without her the rest of my life. Not a day goes by where I won't think of you Mom. I love you more than anyone will ever know. You are everything to me.*

*Your daughter,
Stephanie*



Stephanie Wren - January 06, 2013 at 02:07 PM