Rita C. Sample

September 7, 1948 - June 19, 2010

Sample, Cory, (nee Lee), June 19, 2010 Age 61
Beloved wife of David. Loving mother of Katherine. Dearest sister of the late Norman (Mary Ann) Lee.Dearest sister-in-law of Judith Sample (Peter Syversen) , Joan Bencheck, Steve (Jeannie) Sample and Jim (Jackie) Sample.Survived by many loving nieces and nephews. Visitation Mon. 3-9 pm and Tues. 1-9 pm at Wujek-Calcaterra & Sons Inc. 36900 Schoenherr Rd. at Metro Parkway (16 Mile). Scripture Service Tues. 7:00 pm. Instate Wed. 10:00 am until 10:30 am time of mass at St. Edmund Church 14025 12 Mile Rd. (E. of Schoenherr Rd.). Interment Cadillac Memorial Gardens East. Memorials to St. John Hospice or American Cancer Society appreciated. Share memories with the family at their "On-Line Guest Book" @ WujekCalcaterra.com.

Tribute Wall

JS

Cory was an angel without wings, now she can earn those wings in heaven. We will miss you Corliss! Look after us from heaven like you did here on earth.

Jackie Sample - June 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KH

So very sorry to hear of Cory\'s passing,She was my bank manager for many years with ABC Nursery and was a super lady,I will miss her greatly, you don\'t run into many as special as Cory.I would have loved to say my condolences today at the funeral but just found it too difficult she talked so fondly of both of you through the years.Know that my thoughts and prayers are with you both at this most difficult time.On this day and the days ahead may the love of those around you help lift the sorrow from your hearts.Kaye Holmes

kaye holmes - June 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TJ

I was fortunate to have worked with Cory during my \"formative\" years in the bank. Cory was one of the greatest people I have ever known and was like a mentor to me. She was generous (to a fault) with her time, her strong and bubbly personality and her vast knowledge of banking, and I know that her family, her co-workers and her clients will feel an enormous loss now that she\'s gone. She protected, counseled, nurtured, and educated people every day of her life. I, for one, am grateful. She definitely did her part to leave the world a waaay better place than it was when she first got here.

Tim Johnston - June 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KS

Rita, was a beautiful Lady! She was Cary Sample\'s Aunt. And my sister Lisa Sample is Cary\'s Aunt. I know she is in Heaven now watching over everyone in her family. Love Karen and Steve Safilian

Karen safilian - June 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MM

Corey was THE most kind, smart and inspirational person. Not just another bank employee. Corey personally saw to it that our future $$ goals were always being met and addressed. She always had kind words and motivational insite. Words cannot express what a great gal she was. Always upbeat and personal, we have truly lost a friend and mentor. Mary Jo and Harold

Mary Jo McKinnon - June 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JA

My deepest sympathy to Cory\'s family. She was a special person. Grade eight classmate and friend,

Jane - June 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JB

Rest in peace Cory. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.

Jane Botek - June 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CG

I can hear Cory say these words to us all who shared a friendship. \"When I am gone, release me, let me go. I have so many things to see and do, You mustn\'t tie yourself to me with too many tears, But be thankful we had so many good years. I gave you my love, and you can only guess How much you\'ve given me in happiness. I thank you for the love that you have shown, But now it is time I traveled on alone. So grieve for me a while, if grieve you must Then let your grief be comforted by trust That it is only for a while that we must part, So treasure the memories within your heart. I won\'t be far away for life goes on. And if you need me, call and I will come. Though you can\'t see or touch me, I will be near And if you listen with your heart, you\'ll hear All my love around you soft and clear And then, when you come this way alone, I\'ll greet you with a smile and a \"Welcome Home\". Four Candles for You Cory The first candle represents our grief. The pain of losing Cory is intense. It reminds us of the depth of our love for her. This second candle represents our courage. To confront our sorrow, To comfort each other, To change our lives. This third candle we light in her memory. For the times we laughed, The times we cried, The times we were upset with each other, The silly things you did, The caring and joy you gave us all. This fourth candle we light for our love for you. We light this candle that your light will always shine. As we and share this night of remembrance with our family and friends. We cherish the special place in our hearts that will always be reserved for you Cory. We thank you for the gift your living brought to each of us. We love you. We will always remember you. Until The day we meet upon a rainbow in the sky. Our condolences to David and Elizabeth. Even though we never met ,thru Cory somehow I felt like I knew you both.You see, she was also a very special person in my life.Someone I could sit with and talk about the world as we know it. I am a client of hers,but more than that I have always considered us to be good friends. I cant tell you both how many times we would set up meetings at her office downtown or at times she would come down to our restaurant to discuss business but it was always just more than that for me,talking with her,was always always a pleasure.She made our meetings fun. Always their to listen or lend

a hand at a moments notice.I have known this lovely lady for the most part of my life,and since I was around 12 years of age.When my mom and I would walk down Ottawa street to the CIBC branch.Its been 40 years that I have had the pleasure of her sincere friendship looking up to this wonderful and giving beautiful person.We have all been very fortunate to have known Cory.She brought so much to everything and everyone one she was in contact with thru business and friendship.I have nothing but respect for this wonderful person who touched my life personaly.Sometimes I would go to her office and knowing her for as long as I did ,would often find myself seeking her advice and always steering me in the right direction. I could write for ever about her,because I believe that people come into our lives for a reason.I for one will never let go of this beautiful woman who gave so much of herself to her friends and clients. I just dont know how I will be able to walk in her office and look around with everything that was her life,proudly displaying her photos of her family,the candy jar she would yell at me in a good way not to take anymore candy as her concern was that I am a diabetic and should not be having the sweets. I would just laugh at her.lol She even took them away so I wouldnt get the temptation.lol What a beautiful lady I have had the pleasure to know all these years.I am so so sorry for your loss,we all have lost a very dear and special friend.I just dont know what it will like anymore knowing that she was just a phone call away for me to have her as a friend and a mentor. I guess I

Cindy & GeorgePiccolo - June 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AD

Cory and I worked together at CIBC for several years. She was one of the most inspirational employees I ever worked with. She always found the good in everyone she worked and always saw a bright side in every situation. She took genuine interest in her clients and worked tirelessly for them. Cory\'s memory will remain an inspiration to me for the rest of my days. Thanks Cory for sharing a bit of your life with me. My sincere condolences to David and family.

Alan Defoe - June 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TM

Our sincere condolences to all of the family.My family has known Cory for 2 generations through business and always was our friend. Tom Minkewich Superior Signs windsor ,ontario

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