



## Franci D Snow

April 15, 1951 - January 4, 2017

Franci D. Snow born April 15, 1951 in Columbus, Ohio. Preceded in death by father, Francis VanGundy; mother, Helen VanGundy; brothers, Mark Lewis and Glenn VanGundy; sister Charlotte Rodecker; fur babies, Ben, Bogey, and Catcher as well as her grandpets, Spartan and Gracie. Franci leaves behind her loving husband and best friend, Clyde Snow; devoted daughter, Kelly Ryther; grandson, TJ Rudolph; her devoted furry companions, Sarge, Daisy and Bean; sisters, Linda (George) Seymour, Sharon VanGundy, Sheri (Eddie) Blamer, Michelle (Joe) Horvath, Barbara (Scott) Grove; brothers, Bernard (Brenda) Lewis, Tim VanGundy, Charles (Billie) VanGundy, Terry (Becky) VanGundy, David (Pam) VanGundy, Tony (Missy) VanGundy, Michael VanGundy and numerous nieces and nephews, great nieces and great nephews as well as friends far and wide. Franci had numerous jobs, all which allowed her to do what she loved best, talk to people. She worked many years as an abstracter in the Franklin County Court system, as a dispatcher for Pinkertons (where she met her husband), as a ticket taker for the Columbus Clippers and in her final working years, for Franklin County Children Services. Some of Franci's most favorite memories include trips to Myrtle Beach, SC with her Wiseman Dance Studio "dance family", where she NEVER took the same route twice... "Just head South and East and you'll get there," She always said. Franci had few regrets, however, if she could she would tell you to LET IT GO, read a book, plant a flower garden, forgive (but never forget), love with all that you have and above all else; FAMILY, not riches, is what

matters most. Peace, Love, Out!

Memorial service to be held Tuesday, January 10th at 12:00 PM at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Family and friends are welcome to come to the Obetz Church of the Nazarene immediately after for food and fellowship.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JAN 10. 12:00 PM (ET)

Forest Lawn  
5600 East Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43213

# Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Franci D Snow.*



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January 09, 2017 at 02:42 PM



“ *Although I never worked directly with Franci, I will always remember her contagious smile. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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**Megan Stevens** - January 09, 2017 at 08:05 AM



“ *Please accept my heartfelt condolences for your loss of Franci. I remember her fondly as someone who cared about the quality of her work and greeting me at FCCS everyday with a smile. She always spoke lovingly of her family and how much all of you meant to her. I hope the memories you share of the times spent together bring you some comfort during this difficult time. God bless.*

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**Kathy Bruner** - January 09, 2017 at 07:43 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Franci D Snow.*



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January 08, 2017 at 11:23 PM

MT

“ *Snow Family,*

*So sorry to hear of your loss. I worked with Franci at FCCS. She was always so willing to help out and answer questions. She was a good resource and a hard worker. She had a great ear for listening and offering advice. Prayers to you and your family.*

*Mary Thomas*

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**Mary Thomas** - January 08, 2017 at 06:43 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Franci D Snow.*



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January 07, 2017 at 09:30 PM

LG

“ *Linda and Rube Seymour Tim Van Gundy purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Franci D Snow.*



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**Linda and Rube Seymour Tim Van Gundy** - January 07, 2017 at 08:28 PM

TH

“ Snow Family,

*My deepest sympathy during the loss of your loved one. I'm going to miss seeing Franci, my neighbor walk her dogs daily regardless of the weather. Franci was a very outgoing and courageous woman full of life and energy. May God's love keep and strengthen the family during this time.*

*Althea Spinner  
Neighbor on 8th St.*

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**thea Hall** - January 07, 2017 at 02:39 PM

DA

“ So sad to hear of the passing of Franci. I worked with Franci for years. She was a member of my team who exhibited great knowledge, worked hard and tried hard to be a great employee. My condolences to family and friend. Kelly, your mother talked about you so much that anyone would know that she adored you. May God be with you in this difficult time. My prayers are with all she left behind.

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**Debbie Adediran** - January 06, 2017 at 05:24 PM

DR

“ I remember the day I met Franci when she started in the clerical dept of old South Region. We hit it off as friends right away, as she was so charismatic. After we moved on to different parts of the Agency, I would run into her at workshops or in the lobby of 855, and it was as if we still worked side by side. She always had a friendly hello along with a smile or caused me to laugh out loud. I will always remember her as my friend.  
I pray for the family's strength and comfort in the days ahead.

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**Deborah Riley** - January 06, 2017 at 04:56 PM

LW

“ So sorry to hear this. I will always remember our laughter together in the "smoke shacks" of FCCS. Franci always made me smile! My prayers are with her family. God bless you all.

Leslie Williams - January 06, 2017 at 03:57 PM

VT

“ God bless the family and this time of loss. Val Thomas FCCS Retiree.

Valerie Thomas - January 06, 2017 at 02:46 PM

DI

“ I got to know Franci very well, great person. She will be missed. Blessings to the family.

Diane Popa

Diane - January 06, 2017 at 10:21 AM

CA

“ I remember Franci from my time in the Adoptions Department at FCCS. Franci was a wonderful person, always so helpful, friendly, and hard working. She will be greatly missed. I am so sorry for her family's loss.- Courtney

Courtney Alcott - January 06, 2017 at 10:15 AM



“ So sorry to hear about your loss. Franci was an amazing person. She was such a hard worker and very dedicated to her job. She loved her family. Kelly is was very proud of you and TJ. Prayers to you and the family during this difficult time.

Sheila Cole - January 06, 2017 at 09:24 AM

DA

“ I remember Franci in the adoptions department at FCCS--we worked in the same department. Franci was always friendly, funny and kind to everyone. My heart goes out to all of her family and friends. I know she will be missed. May God Bless--Dawn Guerriere

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**Dawn** - January 06, 2017 at 08:49 AM

BE

“ Franci was a wonderful lady! I enjoyed working with her at FCCS. Prayers to her family.

*Beth Earl*

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**Beth Earl** - January 06, 2017 at 08:36 AM

JB

“ I am truly saddened by Franci's passing; she was such a kind and friendly person. Although I did not work in her department, as the supervisor over scanning adoption cases, I had a lot of interaction with her as she helped me understand her process to make my process easier. She will be missed.

*Sending all my thoughts and prayers,*

*Judy Boyd*

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**Judy Boyd** - January 06, 2017 at 08:35 AM

SS

“ So sorry to learn of Franco's passing. I worked with her at Children Services and always found her to be so pleasant and upbeat. May your memories bring you comfort.

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**Sue Samuel** - January 06, 2017 at 08:19 AM

KC

“ To the family, Its so hard to lose a loved one, just take comfort in the good memories you shared with Franci. I have come to know Franci while working in the adoptions department at Children Services and have always liked Franci's willingness to help out whenever I needed anything. She was friendly, she did always smile and was a kind person to all. I will miss her. I could have never imagined that she has left us so soon. I will cherish her memory in my mind as she was a very good friend, co-worker and person. Hang in there and celebrate her new life with the Lord.

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**Kim Carter** - January 06, 2017 at 08:05 AM

HR

“ Franci was a nice person who I enjoyed knowing and working with. Thoughts and prayers to her family.

-Henry Ross  
FCCS

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**Henry Ross** - January 06, 2017 at 08:01 AM

MM

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Franci's passing. I worked with her back in the 80's when she was an abstractor and have never forgot her kind heart and warm laugh. My thoughts are with you all as you celebrate her life well lived. In sympathy, Mary Malicki

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**Mary Malicki** - January 06, 2017 at 07:28 AM

MS

“ Kelly,

*I am so sorry for your loss, may god wrap your mom in his loving arms forever. Death leaves a heartache no one can heal, Love leaves a memory no one can steal. Rest in Peace.*

*Melodie (Knight) Spurling*

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**Melodie Spurling** - January 06, 2017 at 06:39 AM

JV

“ Franci----what a kind and sweet lady.

*I know your family will miss you deeply. Clyde, Kelly and TJ, and Tim and all the siblings-----we will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. We know Tim how much you loved and respected your dear sister. Rest In Peace kind lady.*

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**Joan and Don Vosbury** - January 06, 2017 at 12:13 AM

RH

“ Dear Snow Family,

*I am very sorry for your loss of Franci. She was a wonderful coworker and was always smiling and laughing. She never let anything get her down. May your fond memories bring you comfort.*

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**Ruth Hastler** - January 05, 2017 at 08:48 PM

M&

“ *mike adkins lisa& tim davis family carol &family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Franci D Snow.*



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**mike adkins lisa& tim davis family carol &family** - January 05, 2017 at 08:39 PM

CM

“ *Franci was one of the most unbelievable girls I ever knew in high school. Talented, determined, trustworthy, strong and silly. Oh, my, we giggled so much when we lived next door to each other. I moved around my whole life, so many years went by that we didn't see each other, but thank goodness for FaceBook as it brought us back together to reconnect and catch up. I thank the Lord I got to spend some time with her at her home 4 weeks ago. She's one special lady we are all going to miss. I love you, Franci....see ya later.*

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**chris mcco**y - January 05, 2017 at 08:09 PM



“ *You fought a tough battle. Rest in peace my friend.*  
*Rikki Turner Krueper*



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**Rikki Evans** - January 05, 2017 at 05:26 PM



“ *Franci, you were the glue and rock that held so many together. I am so thankful that Tim had you as a best friend, confidant and matriarch of the Francis VanGundy family as his big sister. The memories he always shared of Delaware, Canal Winchester and at the bowling alley are only a few of the many memories your little brother Timmy will own forever. Besides being an amazing 6 foot blonde with blue eyes :)..... Your beauty, heart, calmness and grace will be truly missed by us all. May you rest in peace and in love strong lady. It is nice to think you will be with your family on the other side. You all, please keep us all straight. Love, Dawn and Jack*



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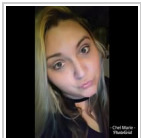
**Dawn VanGundy** - January 05, 2017 at 05:13 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss Kelly. Your mom was very sweet the few times I met her when we were growing up. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Prayers for healing and strength as well.*

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**kelly allen (maynard)** - January 05, 2017 at 04:38 PM




“ *I will miss you very much Aunt Franci. I can never remember a time when you were not happy. Definitely a bright light in the world. Love you.*



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**Rochelle VanGundy** - January 05, 2017 at 03:56 PM

 Kelly  
Ryther

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



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**Kelly Ryther** - January 05, 2017 at 03:46 PM

 Suzi  
Black

“ Suzi Black lit a candle in memory of Franci D  
Snow



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**Suzi Black** - January 05, 2017 at 03:22 PM

JM

*I am so sorry to hear about Franci's passing. I worked with her for many years. She always had a smile on her face and a good word to say about someone. She always talked about her family. She was so proud of all of them. Franci you will be missed....prayers and hugs to all of her family.*

*Jerri McAndrew*

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**jerri mcandrew** - January 07, 2017 at 11:12 AM