



## Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer

January 21, 1951 - September 29, 2013

Dankmer, Paula Shan Oiler, age 62, of New Martinsville, WV died Sunday, September 29, 2013 in Wetzel County Hospital New Martinsville.

She was born January 21, 1951 in New Martinsville, a daughter of the late Joan Smith Oiler of New Martinsville and Colby Oiler of St. Clairsville, OH. Paula retired from Wetzel County Hospital as a medical transcriptionist after 25 years. She was also a member of the New Martinsville United Methodist Church.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a half-brother, Fred (Elaine) Oiler of New Martinsville; and a great aunt, Hazel Hazelett, the former owner of "The Rainbow Shoppe."

Survivors include her husband of 38 years, Larry V. Dankmer; a daughter, Aimee Jo Dankmer of Morgantown, WV; a son, Steven Lynn Dankmer and Kelly Krause of Spotsylvania, VA; a sister-in-law, Tammy (Lewis) Reynolds of Moundsville, WV; a cousin, Jone (Jim) Webb of Fairmont, WV; a half-brother, Donald (Kathleen) Oiler of Mannington, WV; her cat, Cleo; and her daughter Aimee's dog, Ada and cat, Ace.

Family will receive friends on Wednesday from 2-4 & 7-9 pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 751 Third St., New Martinsville.

Funeral Services will be held on Thursday at 11:00 a.m. at New Martinsville United Methodist Church, 10 Howard Jeffers Dr., New Martinsville, with Pastor Melissa Shortridge officiating.

Paula was a cancer survivor of 15 years and was very active in the Wetzel

County Relay for Life. She loved camping with her friends at the Wells Island Campground until the very end.

We wish to thank Paula's loving caregiver, Tracy Doll, of Middlebourne, WV, who became a member of our family in a short time and won our hearts.

Paula had so many friends and coworkers too numerous to mention that made her life worth living.

Memorial contributions may be made to Wetzel County Relay for Life, c/o Betty Klug, 321 McEldowney Avenue, New Martinsville, WV 26155. Make checks payable to American Cancer Society and memo Wetzel County Relay for Life.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 2. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - New Martinsville  
751 Third Street  
New Martinsville, WV 26155  
(304) 455-1800  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

## Visitation

OCT 2. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - New Martinsville  
751 Third Street  
New Martinsville, WV 26155  
(304) 455-1800  
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

## Service

OCT 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

New Martinsville United Methodist Church  
10 Howard Jeffers Drive  
New Martinsville, WV 26155

# Tribute Wall

BB

“ *Betty Bonnell lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



**Betty Bonnell** - October 08, 2013 at 07:53 AM



“ *Brian Stewart lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



**Brian Stewart** - October 08, 2013 at 07:39 AM

CW

“ *Chad West lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



**Chad West** - October 07, 2013 at 03:30 PM

MS

“ *Marcia Stalder lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



**Marcia Stalder** - October 07, 2013 at 02:56 PM

KY

“ *Kara Young lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**Kara Young** - October 07, 2013 at 02:40 PM

DR

“ *Dave Rossetti lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**Dave Rossetti** - October 07, 2013 at 01:44 PM

AW

“ *My deepest sympathies to Aimee, Steve, and Larry. So sorry for your loss.*

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**Ashley Wells** - October 07, 2013 at 11:10 AM

JP

“ *Jon Pantone lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**jon pantone** - October 04, 2013 at 12:25 AM

RR

“ *My deepest sympathy to Larry, Aimee, and Steve. Paula is now in peace with God.*



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**Ryan Ruth** - October 03, 2013 at 08:10 PM

AD

*RYAN... THANKS SO MUCH*

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**AIMEE DANKMER** - October 15, 2013 at 07:42 PM

KB

“ *Larry, though we lost touch throughout the years, I was saddened to know of Paula's illness, but know she has a new body and in peace. We were great friends when you all lived in Glendale, WV. I will have you and your family in my prayers.*

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**Kim (Hartley) Bryan** - October 03, 2013 at 08:38 AM

PN

“ *I have so many memories of Paula. Going back to when we had hepatitis at the same time and would wave at each other in the hospital thru our many thanksgiving dinners that she, Larry and kids came yo at our home. At camp we all sat by the fire and she would catch lightening bugs for mikayla because she was scared of them. We had so much fun on the cruises we went on, so much laughter. Larry. Aimee, and Steve sorry we cant be there yo tell her goodbye but we are out of town till Sunday. Paula's smoke, strength will be mused.*

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**pam and bob newman** - October 02, 2013 at 09:38 PM

PN

*Suppose to say smile and strength will be missed.*

pam and bob newman - October 02, 2013 at 09:39 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer.*



October 02, 2013 at 02:47 PM

CE

“ *We are not in town, Larry, Aimee, and Steve, or we would certainly come to see you. Please accept our sincere sympathy and know you are in our prayers. We pray you are comforted by your family, faith, and friends and warmed by precious memories. I can still picture your mom in her majorette uniform-complete with cowgirl hat and boots. She was a person of so much strength and love. You will all long feel the embrace of her love, I'm sure. God bless all of you.*  
*Ceci and L.J. Edgell*

ceci edgell - October 02, 2013 at 01:17 PM

BL

“ *Becky Lewis lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



Becky Lewis - October 02, 2013 at 10:39 AM

WW

“ We have only had the honor of meeting Paula once when she and Larry came to visit Steve here in Virginia. As much as everyone spoke about her, we felt like we have known her forever. Our thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. William and Cynthia Wilcox



William and Cynthia Wilcox - October 02, 2013 at 09:57 AM

CL

“ Creal & Twyla Lamp lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer



Creal & Twyla Lamp - October 02, 2013 at 08:12 AM

KH

“ In memory of a wonderful woman who was an inspiration to all. Fly high, an angel while here on earth, your wings are well deserved.



Kayla Henthorn - October 01, 2013 at 09:01 PM

SR

“ Heartfelt sympathy to Larry, Aimee, and Steve. Paula was a wonderful, courageous woman. God has taken her in and given her peace.



Sue Ruth - October 01, 2013 at 08:53 PM

CS

“ Chanda Spragg lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer



Chanda Spragg - October 01, 2013 at 08:40 PM

CS

“ So many memories come to mind when I think of you! I think one that I hold closest to my heart is when you helped Colsen with my mother's day project at camp. He had paint all over you (of course he was just a toddler then) He would look at your face covered with paint and say ol dear, ol no! Wells Island will never be the same with out you but I know when the sunsets you will be looking over us! I will miss you! Love, Chanda

Chanda Spragg - October 01, 2013 at 08:38 PM

DS

“ Paula was one special lady. She always had so much energy and so much love for her family. We will always remember how much she gave to every endeavor. I am glad to have known her. Thought and prayers are with you. Debbie Heintzman Smith

Debra Smith - October 01, 2013 at 09:58 AM

CL

“ Creal and Twyla Lamp purchased the Rainbow Reflections Basket for the family of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer.



Creal and Twyla Lamp - October 01, 2013 at 08:36 AM

CM

“ *Cathy Morris lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



cathy morris - October 01, 2013 at 08:25 AM

LV

“ *Paula was such a fighter!!! God has received an angel!!*



Lou Ann Virden - October 01, 2013 at 05:54 AM

RM

“ *Roz Moore lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



Roz Moore - October 01, 2013 at 05:09 AM

 Lisa Bellville

“ *Lisa Bellville lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



Lisa Bellville - October 01, 2013 at 03:58 AM

RR

“ Our heart felt sympathy go out to Paula's family Larry, Aimee and Steve at this difficult time. Paula was a good classmate and friend. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

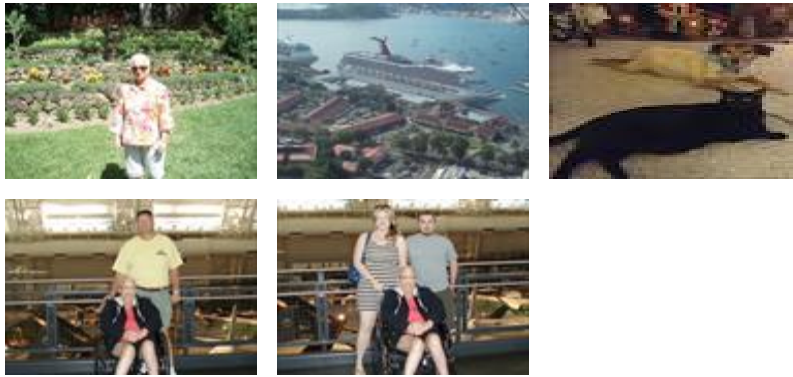


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**Ron Ruth** - September 30, 2013 at 10:31 PM

AD

“ 9 files added to the album Paula Shan Dankmer



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**Aimee Jo Dankmer** - September 30, 2013 at 09:48 PM

AD

“ 2 files added to the album Paula Shan Dankmer



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**Aimee Jo Dankmer** - September 30, 2013 at 09:44 PM

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**Aimee Jo Dankmer** - September 30, 2013 at 09:41 PM

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**Aimee Jo Dankmer** - September 30, 2013 at 09:40 PM

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**Aimee Jo Dankmer** - September 30, 2013 at 09:39 PM

CM

*great pic of both of you*

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**cathy morris** - October 01, 2013 at 08:19 AM

KC

“ *Kathy Compton lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**Kathy Compton** - September 30, 2013 at 08:31 PM

BC

“ *Barbara Conner lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**Barbara Conner** - September 30, 2013 at 08:20 PM

AD

“ *Aimee Jo Dankmer lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**Aimee Jo Dankmer** - September 30, 2013 at 07:03 PM

AD

“ Mom I love you and miss you and know you are all healed now which is what you deserve. So many people loved you because you were an absolutely amazing person. You are an inspiration to so so so many people. You gave me such a wonderful life. Thank you for everything you did for me. You are always in my heart and on my mind. I'm learning now to navigate life without you, it is hard but I know I can do it through you. Thank you for all the wonderful memories you gave me. I will miss you terribly and will miss our mani,pedi outings so much. You are a hero.

Love always, your daughter  
Aimee Jo

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I can not thank enough everyone who has been a part of my mothers life. Thank you everyone for your support, love, prayers, and sympathy. It really is such a huge help for me making it through this time of hurt and loss. THANK YOU xoxo

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**Aimee Jo Dankmer** - September 30, 2013 at 06:51 PM

CT

“ Cline Tracy lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer



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**Cline Tracy** - September 30, 2013 at 04:38 PM

NS

“ *Nancy Smith lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**Nancy Smith** - September 30, 2013 at 03:59 PM

HS

“ *Heidi Steele lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**Heidi Steele** - September 30, 2013 at 02:00 PM

JW

“ *Jone & Jim Webb purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer.*



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**Jone & Jim Webb** - September 30, 2013 at 01:52 PM

JW

“ *Jone Webb lit a candle in memory of Paula Shan Oiler Dankmer*



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**Jone Webb** - September 30, 2013 at 01:38 PM