



Regina Rakar

August 13, 1954 - December 25, 2015

Born August 13, 1954-Died December 25, 2015

Ms. Borman was predeceased by her parents, Lt CI Robert Borman and Mrs. Grace Davis Borman. She is survived by her sister, Susan (Russell) Lafrance of Martinez, Georgia, one nephew, Matt Boltin, and a great nephew, Brooks Boltin, both of Atlanta Georgia.

Regina was a 1976 graduate of the College of Charleston, with a Bachelor's Degree in Art.

Regina enjoyed a 38 year career as an electrologist. She owned Bissetron Treatment Center in Charleston and Mt. Pleasant. She was passionate about her profession, providing impeccable care to her clients. She was a leader, mentor and champion for many new electrologists over the years. She volunteered ceaselessly, holding various positions on the executive committees of the South Carolina Association of Electrologists and the American Electrology Association for many years. She also was an international speaker, traveling to Japan with the AEA. Regina was held in the highest esteem by her colleagues all over the country

Regina recently returned to Greer, the home of her heart. She was welcomed back with open arms from family and friends alike. Regina carried a love and a legacy of home and family with her, and she planned to continue with this legacy for all to enjoy.

Above all, Regina celebrated life...and she invited everyone to the party. Each person Regina met became and stayed her friend, and invited their

friends to know her. Her companions were simply exponential. Regina rarely turned down an invitation, reminding everyone there may not be another chance. Her parties were Epic...and friends came from near and far, for amazing food, beautiful seasonal decorations, fun, games and her company. Everything she touched sparkled...because she sparkled. The world is a dimmer place.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com

Tribute Wall

PV

“ Regina was my favorite boss of all times. I was new in the field and new in the area and she took me in under her wing. She treated me with the most respect she was kind and giving with great knowledge. I learned more from working with Regina than all my education put together. She was a real person with a big heart. She even invited me into her home for the best Christmas party with a theme, it was so creative and I had an absolute ball. This was 30 years ago when I worked with Regina, I then ended up moving back to Michigan my home town. Regina took me out for lunch when I was leaving her practice and moving back to Michigan to start my own electrology business. She bought me my first leather brief case and wished me the best. She influenced my life I was so blessed to have known Regina. I will never forget her. Sincerely, Pam

Pam Morton Visser - January 23, 2024 at 09:33 AM

TC

“ Toni Coleman lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar



Toni Coleman - August 27, 2019 at 05:38 PM

LA

“ Lane Arnold lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar

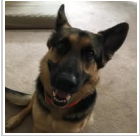


Lane Arnold - December 08, 2016 at 06:18 PM

PC

“ On behalf of the MAPE Board and all our association members, we send our sincere condolences for the loss of Regina. "When you saw only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you". Regina is now walking with the Lord.

Pamela M. Croghan - January 16, 2016 at 12:13 PM



“ I was saddened to learn of Regina's passing. I did not know her well, but she was a lovely lady to work with at the AEA conventions. So many of us as her fellow colleagues hold a special place in our hearts for our memories of her.

Michelle O'Brien - January 06, 2016 at 08:37 PM

LD

“ Lynne Drawdy lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar



Lynne Drawdy - January 06, 2016 at 06:31 AM

KD

“ God got another Angel. ❤️ We all miss her.



Katherine Dunbar - January 04, 2016 at 10:47 AM

VD

“ Regina is a person you would like after meeting her. She is as gracious as her hospitality is. She will be missed. Hugs and Blessings to all.

Vickie Widmyer, CPE, OCE Director - January 03, 2016 at 02:25 PM

CH

“ I never will forget having fun with Regina. She had such a sweet soul. She had a smile that could light a room. She will be missed by many.

Cindy Hammel-Knipe - January 03, 2016 at 02:31 AM

MS

“ Mary Spivey-Just lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar



Mary Spivey-Just - January 02, 2016 at 03:14 PM

KC

“ Regina was an exceptional person whom everyone loved. As a fellow electrologist, she went far beyond the ordinary to advance our profession and to embrace each colleague as a special friend. She will be dearly missed by those of us in North Carolina who knew and loved her.

Kathy McHale

Kathy McHale, LE CPE - January 01, 2016 at 10:07 PM

MD

“ I too was a client of Regina's for the last 7 years. Being from the Northeast, Regina was the epitome of a Southern Lady to me and I feel so privileged to have known her for this very short time. I cannot express the sadness I feel at her passing. I'm thinking of her every day and looking at the Holiday gift I planned to give her at my next appointment in January. Miss you, miss you, miss you, Regina, and will always remember you.

Marilyn Daly - January 01, 2016 at 05:22 PM

VB

“ Our beloved Gina, a vivacious beautiful woman who brought joy, light and love wherever she was and to everyone she touched. Unforgettable and , irreplaceable. Always willing to help and contribute to our profession, Regina was outstanding and highly respected and loved.

God has taken our Angel home, there's rejoicing in Heaven. She was a tremendous blessing to our profession and the clients she served. Her love, spirit and smile will remain in our hearts and memory forever more.

Blessings to all her family, friends and colleagues for heartfelt peace.

In my heart and prayers. She will be dearly missed by many sad hearts.

Voncille Burdette
Dunwoody, Ga.

Voncille burdette - January 01, 2016 at 04:34 PM

RJ

“ Ronda Jones lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar



Ronda Jones - January 01, 2016 at 12:18 PM

DR

“ Susan. I am truely saddened by the death of your sister, Regina. I tried to call but was too emotional. Still hits me since the death of my own brother. Your sister and my brother were the same age born in the same year. Just know, that I am thinking of you at this sad time in your life.



Deanna Ray - January 01, 2016 at 06:11 AM

DR

“ Deanna Ray lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar



Deanna Ray - January 01, 2016 at 05:54 AM

JS

“ Jennifer Stewart lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar



jennifer stewart - December 31, 2015 at 08:53 PM

SA

“ I'm so glad to have known Regina. She was always so pleasant, kind, and helpful. Those of us in her profession appreciated her years of service on the national and state levels--always able to find a middle ground. She was always genuinely happy to see everyone no matter how long apart. So sad she is too soon gone.

Sheila Ahern

Sheila Ahern - December 31, 2015 at 06:57 PM

LL

“ Susan,
Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.
God Bless you and give you strength. Take care my friend.
Love, Linda & Bobby Lack



Linda Lack - December 31, 2015 at 05:34 PM

DH

“ Jack and I just learned this morning of Gina's passing and we are in shock !!! We are = were back door neighbors of Gina in Charleston!!! We would look out for each other !!! She would wave at me from her back door and I would wave at her from my kitchen sink !!! We will miss hearing Scout in the yard barking at the squirrels !!! Before she left Charleston heading to Greer for Christmas === she brought over a homemade chicken pot pie beause I just got home from a week being in the hospital !!! A true good and caring friend !!! You Gina WILL be missed !!! RIP our special friend and back door neighbor !!! Love , Donna and Jack Holliday

Donna Holliday - December 31, 2015 at 05:06 PM

CK

“ I have been a client of Regina’s for almost 30 years. Regina was a genuinely nice person. I enjoyed hearing about her house in Greer and the special times she spent with her family. Regina’s smile was bright and infectious and she definitely made this world a better place; she left a legacy!
May your memories of Regina bring you comfort now.
Christina Kleindt

Christina Kleindt - December 31, 2015 at 04:52 PM

DH

“ Donna Holliday lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar



Donna Holliday - December 31, 2015 at 03:44 PM

DH

“ Jack and I are in shock learning the passing of Gina today !!! We are = were back door neighbors of Scout and Gina here in Charleston !!! We would watch out for each other , her at her back door and me at my kitchen sink !!! We would see each other and wave !!! Before she left Charleston heading home to Greer for Christmas she brought over a homemade chicken pot pie because I had just gotten out of the hospital !! Kind and caring friend !!! I will miss her waves and jack and I will miss hearing Scout in the back yard !!! Jack did her yard and he will miss her and Scout out in the yard while he did the yard !!! RIP Dear , Special Friend !!! You Will Be Missed !! Love You Your Back Door Friends in Charleston
Donna and Jack Holliday

Donna Holliday - December 31, 2015 at 03:42 PM

LY

“ I am deeply saddened by the news of Regina's passing. Although a person departs from this earth, she will be alive in our hearts and minds. Your family will be in my prayers. Rest in peace sweet friend.

Linda York

Linda York - December 31, 2015 at 12:12 PM



DM

“ Susan, just learned of your loss this morning. All of you are in my prayers. Love, Diane Minton

diane minton - December 31, 2015 at 11:26 AM



TP

“ Teresa Petricca lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar

Teresa Petricca - December 31, 2015 at 10:35 AM





Grieving at the loss of such a beloved person. Celebrating her life is the best tribute to Regina. She was a beautiful soul and touched the hearts of many. She enjoyed every moment and lived life to the fullest. A gracious, loving and kind lady; a true friend and gracious hostess. She exemplified what a friend should be.

Her spirit could not be contained in one place. She was joy and love personified. How fitting that we now have our Christmas angel. . May God hold you in the palm of His hand and may you rest in peace.

You will remain in my heart and prayers forever, dear friend, with the memories of times shared together bringing comfort and peace.

Teresa Petricca - December 31, 2015 at 10:45 AM

GM

“ *What a beautiful, bright, positive spirit Regina was! She was a wonderful addition to my life. I will miss her, but I will always be touched and changed for the better from having met her.*

Gale Marrone - December 31, 2015 at 09:53 AM

BP

“ *Bette Pritchett lit a candle in memory of Regina Rakar*



Bette Pritchett - December 31, 2015 at 08:34 AM

BP

“ *Regina was a gracious and caring person who affected my life in a positive way and uplifted me. She was a shining example, exuding professionalism in her work and life.*

Bette Pritchett - December 31, 2015 at 08:33 AM

SB

“ Sandra Baker sent a virtual gift in memory of Regina Rakar



Sandra Baker - December 30, 2015 at 08:50 PM

JB

“ Susan & family, my prayers are with you. I only met Gina one time, but I know she was a loving sister and aunt.



Joann Brassell - December 30, 2015 at 08:24 PM

BL

“ I am so proud to have called Gina a friend. I first met her in the mid-eighties, but we had reconnected in the last four years. She was a true southern lady who never met a stranger, and she found such joy in life! One of those joys was the renovation of her beautiful home, in which she took great pride, and which she loved decorating for Christmas. (I loved looking at pictures of her handiwork). Of course, at the very top of the list were her great-nephew and that adorable Scout. There were always pictures of both of them throughout her office. I always looked forward to any appointment with her, because it was like social hour - that's how she made everyone feel, I'm sure! I am going to miss her terribly. Take care, Regina, and thank you for being such a wonderful addition to this earth!
Barbara Lesesne

Barbara Lesesne - December 30, 2015 at 01:06 PM