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Lily Chin, 58, of Lakeland, FL passed away on Sunday, February 14, 2021. Lily was born on December 24, 1962 to Robert and Daw Tin Tin Chin in Rangoon Burma and came to this country in 1974.

Lily attended Southwest Junior High School, Lakeland High School and later worked in her family's business, Pan Ye's Chinese Restaurant where she met and made countless friends.

She is survived by her parents, her daughter Chelsey DeMeere of Lakeland, brothers Kenneth (Connie) and San (Helen) of Yorba Linda, CA, Lawrence (Charlotte) of Lakeland, and Jimmy (Victoria) of Miami, FL, and life partner Wayne Barfield of Lakeland and their precious Bailey, numerous nieces, nephews and friends.

Special heartfelt thanks to the MICU doctors and staff at LRMC for the care given. A celebration of life service will be announced and held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to LRMC Foundation or to a worthwhile charity of choice.



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KS

Kathleen Schell posted:

We were given this devastating news today. We are stunned and so very sorry. We first met Lily at the Rib House, over ten years ago. She took an interest in my frail, elderly Uncle and was so very kind to him. So full of energy, smiles for everyone, always made you feel happy. Wayne, I can't imagine your pain. Please, stop by if we can do anything or just to have someone to talk with. Kathleen and Richard Schell

March 22 at 7:26 PM

MM

Mike And Sharon Mccawley posted:

Wayne, Mike and I send our love and prayers your way. We are so sorry for your loss. We only met Lilly once, but could tell that she was special. We pray the Lord will comfort you and help you get through this very sad time. Mike and Sharon McCawley

March 9 at 9:40 AM

BW

Becky Walker posted:

I met sweet Lily many years ago at Pan Ye's. Just saw her not too long ago. I'm so terribly sorry to hear this dad news. We always would catch up when we saw each other. You will be missed precious Lily. Godspeed!

February 26 at 2:54 PM

LB

Libby Beard posted:

To Wayne and Lily family I'm very sorry for your loss. I was shocked and devastated when I saw she had passed. My thoughts and prayers are with you

February 24 at 6:46 AM

KA

Karen lit a candle in honor of Lily.



February 23 at 6:40 PM



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KA

Karen posted:

I send you my sincerest condolences . We were friends since SWJH and would walk home with Jimmy and Joe Selig. We loved our typing class together it was so cold and we'd always be laughing trying to warm up to type . We stayed friends for years on. There are no words to express my heartfelt loss too. She was one in a million. God bless your family and Wayne 🙏

February 23 at 6:37 PM

PH

Philip Hancock posted:

To Wayne and the Chin family our sincere condolences on the loss of Lily. Philip and Jan Hancock

February 22 at 4:29 AM

DW

David Whitaker posted:

Lily was always smiling! What a sweet girl! God bless her family. Rest in peace lily

February 22 at 4:10 AM

KI

Kim posted:

You will be missed Lily, taken to soon. Love and peace

February 17 at 3:38 PM

NH

Nancy Hoenicke February 18 at 4:26 AM

Wayne you and Lily's family are in my Thoughts and Prayers. Wayne ,you and Lily A Blessing to be with,you both had Love,Peace,Joy on your faces. Lily was at my home January,we joked and laughed, she will be missed. Wayne I pray You will feel God's Peace and Comfort as Prayers go up for You. I can relate to loss of Loved One ,Life companion. Lily taken too soon but God needed another Angel.With Love,Prayers and Sympathy.



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Eric Cope posted:

I want to send Wayne and her family the deepest condolences for this loss. I am shocked and devastated. I only hope the loving arms of God will surrender her to peace and bring calm to your hearts. I have only known her for a short time as her and Wayne's business serviced our facility. They were always a joy to have around. She came here with a smile and a light that made your day better no matter what was happening. She was always full of life and jokes and a one of a kind personality. She will be greatly missed. I pray for the family left to grieve. Her spark of life has not gone out but merely transitioned to a better place with only comfort and no sickness nor pain. Lily...I will miss seeing your smiling face. Wayne...my heart is with you my friend. God Bless.

February 17 at 6:04 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Lily by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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