



## Crystal C. Downing-Swanton

November 9, 1954 - June 23, 2016

Crystal C. Downing-Swanton, 61, passed away peacefully on Thursday, June 23, 2016 at the home of her sister in Chicago. She was born November 9, 1954 in Chicago, was a former resident of Libertyville, living in Round Lake Beach for the past 11 years. Crystal was a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Libertyville and a former employee of the Lake County Health Department.

Surviving are her precious daughter Krista Miller; her mother Malvina Downing; sisters, Sylvia (Charles) Ross and Gina Downing; brothers, Gerald (Patricia) Downing and George Downing.

She was preceded in death by her husband Robert Swanton in 2010, and also by her father Gerald E. Downing and sister Melinda Downing.

Visitation will be from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. Wednesday at the Burnett-Dane Funeral Home, 120 W. Park Ave. (Rt. 176, one block west of Milwaukee Ave.) Libertyville. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, June 30, 2016 at the First Presbyterian Church, 219 E. Maple, Libertyville. Interment will follow at Lakeside Cemetery. Info: 847-362-3009 or please sign the guest book at [www.burnettdane.com](http://www.burnettdane.com)

# Tribute Wall

AT

“ I grew up with krista and I have always known crystal from church. Crystal was an amazing women. She was nice to everyone and lived for God. I'm so sorry for your loss..

Ashley Telling - April 27, 2018 at 04:50 AM

RR

“ Crystal was an inspiration to everyone! Her outlook on life was always positive and energetic! She was quite the most amazing God-driven woman..just amazing. She will forever hold a special place in our hearts! Her Camp Independence family will miss her terribly! Stay strong Krista and always know we are here for you.

Rona Roffey - April 27, 2018 at 04:50 AM

MP

“ Crystal rests in the Lord.

Marsha Peeler - April 27, 2018 at 04:50 AM

ME

“ I have the best memories of you Crystal, always so happy and cheerful! Rest in peace my friend! Your family is in my prayers.

Monica Echeverria - April 27, 2018 at 04:50 AM

CL

“ Crystal was one of the most loving, kind, forgiving and giving women I have ever met. I will miss her. Miss Cathy (Lewis)

Catherine Lewis - April 27, 2018 at 04:50 AM

VM

“ Today, I celebrate the life of my friend, Crystal. It is with a heavy heart that I write this expression but also tears of joy for the times we shared together. I thank God for your life and the witness of courage you exuded and always with that gregarious smile and laughter. I will miss you. I love you eternally!! Love you family!!!

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**Virginia Mason** - April 27, 2018 at 04:50 AM

MP

“ Crystal's smile is what I most remember as i think of her. Her life's journey was one of love, strength and courage. She was such an inspiration to so many.

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**Margo Preston** - April 27, 2018 at 04:50 AM

KM

“ Crystal was one of the most caring, genuine people I've known. She had a pure heart and will be greatly missed.

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**Kim May** - April 27, 2018 at 04:50 AM



“ Crystal was both an elementary and high school schoolmate of mine. Her physical and spiritual beauty will not soon be forgotten. Her effervescent smile and kind nature is forever etched in my memory as she rests now in Heaven with God, our Father. My condolences to her loved ones, Annette Medill Class of 69 Lindblom Class of 73

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