



*In Memoriam*  
*Our RHS '68 Grads*



**Colleen D DeMartin (Colleen Maxwell)**  
**BIRTH 18 Mar 1950 USA DEATH 4 Jan**  
**2017**  
**(aged 66)**

Wayne County, Michigan, USA BURIAL  
Island Memorial Cemetery Grosse Ile,  
Wayne County, Michigan, USA Colleen  
D. DeMartin, age 66, of Grosse Ile.

Loving mother of Jessica DeMartin and  
Tim DeMartin. Dear sister of Cynthia Watson and Barbara  
Maxwell. Dearest aunt of Michelle, Brian, Kelly and Andy.  
Colleen Dianne De Martin college official , consultant ,  
interior designer Colleen Dianne De Martin, American  
college official, interior designer, consultant. Certified  
Michigan Hypnosis Association. Recipient outstanding  
service award Distributive Education Clubs American,  
1981, Interior Design Club, University Minnesota, 1984,  
American Society Interior Designers, 1985; scholar  
Presbyterian Church United States of America,  
1968-1969. Background Martin, Colleen Dianne De was  
born on March 18, 1950 in Detroit, Michigan, United  
States. Daughter of F. Robert and Jeanne Claire Maxwell.  
Education Bachelor of Science in Interior Design and  
Home Economics, Eastern Michigan University, 1972.  
Master of Arts in Housing and Interior Design, Wayne  
State University, 1975. Postgraduate, Liberty University,  
1997. Career Program coordinator interior design  
University Minnesota Technology College, Crookston,

1977-1984. Instructor interior design California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, 1984-1989, Wayne State University, Detroit, 1990-1993. Counselor, student advisor Ross Technology Institute, Ann Arbor and Taylor, Michigan, 1993-1996. Program director interior design, student advisor Baker College, Auburn Hills, since 1994. Vice president, historian Central Coast Interior Designers, 1983-1985. Computer-aided Design coordinator, kitchen designer Grahl's Kitchen & Bath, Woodhaven, Michigan, 1990-1991. History consultant Avila Lighthouse Restoration/Harbor Commission, Avila Beach, California, 1987-1988, Hart House Restoration, Santa Maria, California, 1988-1989. Committee medical, organizer State Conference East Faces West, San Luis Obispo, 1986. Assistant counselor Job Training Placement Association, Southgate, Michigan, 1995. Owner Maxwell Design Consultant, Grosse Ile, Michigan, since 1996. Speaker Stroheim & Rohamm, Troy, Michigan, 1998. Achievements Certified Michigan Hypnosis Association. Works Other Work Editor slide/tape series The French Monarchy: The Study of French Furnishings, 1981. Membership Handbell player El Morro Nazarene Church, Los Osos, California, 1987-1989, director children's handbell, 1988. Panel participant on teenage drugs Grosse Ile television, 1996. Tour hostess Garden Club, Grosse Ile, 1998. Instructor, advisor Habitat for Humanity, Auburn Hills, 1999. Member Interior Design Society (professional member, education representative since 1975). Interests Other Interests Basket weaving, paper making, sewing, piano. Connections Married Gerald John

De Martin (divorced 1984). Children: Jessica Marie,  
Timothy Robert. father: F. Robert mother: Jeanne Claire  
Maxwell spouse: Gerald John De Martin child: Jessica  
Marie Martin child: Timothy Robert Martin.