



Ms. Doreen C. Roach

December 19, 1961 - December 18, 2025

Doreen C. Roach, 63, of Chateaugay passed away Thursday, December 18, 2025 at her home with her family by her side and aided by Hospice of the North County with the help of her close friend, Kris Green.

Born on December 19, 1961 in Plattsburgh, NY she was the daughter of Walter Jr. and Mary Carol (Thompson) Roach.

She graduated from Chateaugay Central School and Canton ATC. She worked for 12 years in Albany before moving to North Carolina and then Florida. After returning to the North Country, she began working at Chateaugay Central School as a food service manager.

Doreen was a member of the Chateaugay Fire Department, joining in November 2013. She also served as an EMT starting in 1985, before joining Chateaugay as an EMT and Firefighter in 2013.

She is survived by her parents, Walter Jr. and Carol Roach; a brother and sister-in-law, David Roach and Cynthia Decosse; an aunt, Phyllis Thompson; a niece, Rebecca and her husband, Jack Monette; a nephew, Nathan Roach and his companion, Allison Aanderud; as well as special cousins, Stephanie Ormsby and Kim Panic-Gross.

She was predeceased by her grandparents, Marion and Elmer Thompson and Marie and Walter Roach Sr.; a sister-in-law, Audrey Roach; an aunt and uncle, Joe and Dawn Ribis; and a cousin, Debbie Ribis.

Calling hours will be held at the Chateaugay Funeral Home on Saturday, December 20, 2025 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. A prayer service will immediately

follow at 4 p.m.

Burial will be held in Eastside Cemetery, Chateaugay in the spring.

Donations in her memory may be made to the Chateaugay Fire Department and SPCA.

Cemetery Details

Eastside Cemetery

Chateaugay, NY

Previous Events

Calling Hours

DEC 20. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Chateaugay Funeral Home
36 Church Street
Chateaugay, NY 12920
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<https://www.chateaugayfuneralhome.com/>

Service

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Tribute Wall

MB

“ So very sorry for your loss of Such a special gal Doreen. Doreen was an amazing competitor in all sports. I was always grateful to be on her team! I know she fought a tough battle in life with this illness & had an amazing attitude during this fight. Please know my prayers are with all family & friends during this difficult time of grief. 🙏
Condolences. Sincerely ,Mary (Trombly) Brackett

Mary Ellen Brackett - December 20, 2025 at 01:30 PM

WS

“ Please accept our heartfelt condolences. Doreen touched so many lives and made a positive impact in our community by her long service as an EMT and a member of the Fire Department.
With Deepest Sympathy,
Bill & Donna Spellman

william spellman - December 20, 2025 at 09:56 AM

MB

“ My deepest condolences to her family and friends.

Melissa Blake - December 19, 2025 at 10:23 PM

MB

“ Doreen and I met at Ground Round in Plattsburgh and became fast friends. We had lots of great times together. One of my favorite memories was when Dor let me do her hair and experiment with hairstyles. We had so much fun and she was such a good sport. Doreen was a great friend. She will be missed.

Melissa Blake - December 19, 2025 at 10:22 PM

SF

“ Our hearts go out to Doreen’s family and loved ones. She was one tough cookie who was an inspiration to so many as she fought for her life. RIP Doreen 🙏

Sally and Wally Farrell - December 19, 2025 at 07:55 PM

JF

“ Doreen was a great neighbor and friend to me. I will miss her across the street. I send comfort and best wishes to the whole Roach family.

Jean Fall - December 18, 2025 at 07:11 PM

JU

“ To the entire Roach family,

Our hearts are broken for all of you right now! Dor is in a much better place, but so hard for everyone she leaves behind. She certainly put up a good fight, but now she can rest in peace.

*Kris,
Thank you so much for taking such good care of Doreen in her last few weeks, she was very lucky to have you ❤️*

Our thoughts are with all of you at such a difficult time.

*Love,
Julie & Dicky*

JuJu - December 18, 2025 at 06:11 PM

