



## Dana Rochelle McCloy

November 5, 1972 - January 12, 2025

Dana Rochelle McCloy, age 52 of Glendive, Montana, passed away on Sunday, January 12, 2025 at her home in Glendive. Visitation will be held from 1:00 PM until 2:00 PM on Wednesday, January 22, 2025 at the First Lutheran Church in Circle, Montana. Funeral Services will be at 2:00 PM on Wednesday, January 22, 2025 at the First Lutheran Church in Circle with Sonja Meissner officiating. Interment will follow in the Riverview Cemetery in Circle. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Dana was born on November 5, 1972, in Miles City, Montana, to Dave and Rachel (Andersen) McCloy. She was the beloved younger sister to Darla and Ron.

Dana cherished the outdoors, finding joy in exploring the ranch with her brother and nurturing a lifelong love for animals. She had many pets throughout the years, with a special love for cats and her childhood dog Herbie. She was a dedicated member of the Washington Warriors 4-H club for 10 years, achieving numerous first-place awards for her sheep projects.

A lifelong member of First Lutheran Church in Circle, Montana, Dana valued her faith and cherished her involvement in Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, and Luther League.

Dana graduated from Circle Public School in 1992, where she was a talented musician, playing clarinet and singing in the choir.

Family was central to Dana's life. She treasured holidays and reunions, especially those spent at her parents' farm. She often spent lazy Saturday afternoons playing pinochle with her parents and uncles. As a devoted mother to her daughter, Rennee, Dana attended every event and celebrated each of her accomplishments.

Her hobbies included crocheting, painting, and enjoying all things Western, from music and clothing to the novels of Louis L'Amour.

Dana is survived by her daughter, Rennee McCloy and her fiancé, Garret Jones; her parents, Dave and Rachel McCloy; her sister, Darla (Brian); her brother, Ron (Jen); nephew, Cole (Yuri); nieces, Michaela (TJ) and Amanda; great-niece, Aspen; and great-nephews, Timothy and Rei.

She was preceded in death by her infant daughter, Sharon; infant brother, Duane; her grandparents; and several cousins, aunts, and uncles.

A memorial account has been set up in Dana's name at Grasslands Federal Credit Union, P.O Box 79, Circle, MT 59215.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at [www.silhafuneralhomes.com](http://www.silhafuneralhomes.com).

Recording of Dana's funeral service is available under the Media tab or through this link.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverview Cemetery

Circle, MT 59215

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 22. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (MT)

First Lutheran Church  
1200 Avenue C  
Circle, MT 59215

## Funeral Service

JAN 22. 2:00 PM (MT)

First Lutheran Church  
1200 Avenue C  
Circle, MT 59215

# Tribute Wall



“ *Silha Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Dana Rochelle McCloy*



**Silha Funeral Home** - January 23, 2025 at 03:05 PM

BY

“ *So many good memories of Dana...may she rest in peace. Hugs and prayers to her family. The class of 1992 will miss her!*

**Becca Yarger** - January 23, 2025 at 06:25 PM

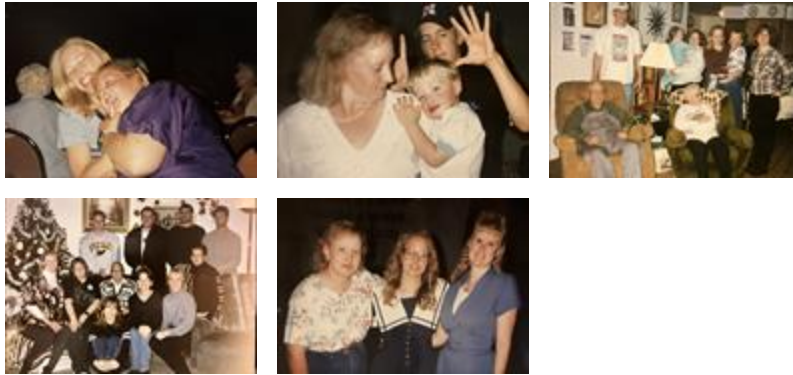
CT

“ *My sincerest condolences to your family.*

**Cynthia Thomas** - January 22, 2025 at 06:20 PM

CO

“ I will always remember getting together for family gatherings whether it was for Christmas or Thanksgiving when we were younger. Laughing together at weddings, reunions or anniversary parties or just walking around grandma & grandpa’s farm talking. Her love for horses, dogs, cats, you name it she loved animals so much. The joy that she had being in Gods country. Outside. Enjoying nature & just being in the elements. It’s like it was a part of who she was. Love you Cuz & I’ll never forget your laugh, ever.



Colleen - January 22, 2025 at 03:55 PM

PW

“ Patti&Jere Wittkopp planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dana Rochelle McCloy.

Patti&Jere Wittkopp - January 21, 2025 at 02:36 PM

PW

“ Patti&Jere Wittkopp purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Dana Rochelle McCloy.



Patti&Jere Wittkopp - January 21, 2025 at 02:36 PM

CS

“ CHS Class of 1992 in sympathy purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dana Rochelle McCloy.



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**CHS Class of 1992 in sympathy** - January 21, 2025 at 07:05 AM

JF

“ Jim & Anita Heide and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dana Rochelle McCloy.



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**Jim & Anita Heide and family** - January 20, 2025 at 09:38 PM

SD

“ I fondly remember my visits with Dana from 2nd grade on. I even got to meet her daughter while young in Circle. May she rest in peace and may we all receive comfort.

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**Stacy Dean** - January 20, 2025 at 02:00 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dana Rochelle McCloy.

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January 18, 2025 at 10:23 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Dana Rochelle McCloy.*



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January 18, 2025 at 10:23 PM



“ *I have many fond memories of Dana when she had Renee in Headstart. Over the years I have visited with her and she always talked about her family who she loved so much. RIP Dana. Hugs and prayers to Renee and Rachel and family*

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**Cindi Byron** - January 17, 2025 at 01:20 PM



“ *McCloy family,  
I was saddened to hear the news of Dana's passing. I recently had the pleasure of crossing paths again with Dana and saw her each month. She would chat with me and tell me of any new news or show me something new. I'm terribly sorry that you all are feeling such pain with losing Dana. I will be thinking of you in the days ahead.*

*Lori Bouchard*

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**Lori Bouchard** - January 17, 2025 at 12:40 AM

CD

“ *Totally heartbroken to read this. Dana made me laugh with her abilities to heft tires, 5 gallon jugs of water but yet gently hold a baby! In time spent together, we shared many laughs and memories. There will never be another like her. My condolences to Renée and her devoted parents. May God give you peace and comfort as you grieve this tremendous loss.*

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**Carole Diede** - January 16, 2025 at 11:17 PM

JO

“ *Rachel, I'm so sorry for the loss of your daughter. I have good memories of the times we worked together at the clinic. Joan Haugeberg.*

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**Joanhaugeberg@gmail.com** - January 16, 2025 at 12:30 PM