Geraldine K. "Deno" Jordan

June 29, 2013

Geraldine K. "Deno" Miller Jordan, 67, of Frackville, passed away at her home Saturday evening with her loving family by her side after a courageous battle with cancer.

Born in Lebanon, Aug. 20, 1945, she was a daughter of Dorothy Eiceman Tranquillo and the late Gerald Miller.

Deno graduated from Conrad Weiser High School, Robesonia, Class of 1963, and graduated from Bryland's Beauty School, Reading, where she received her degree in cosmotology.

She was the owner of Deno's Beauty Boutique, Frackville, and has been styling hair for her family of clients for more than 45 years.

Deno loved her family and was a devoted wife, mother, sister, aunt, grandmother, daughter and friend. She had a welcoming smile for everyone whether she knew you for 50 seconds or 50 years. She formed many lasting bonds over the years in her community and beyond. She loved fearlessly and without limit or expectation.

She enjoyed traveling to many locations including Egypt, Italy, Mexico, Ireland, Hawaii, Canada, Arizona and spent many happy vacations with her children and grandchildren in Orlando, Fla.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Richard Dickey Miller.

Deno is survived by her husband, Lewis A. Jordan, together for 51 years of which they were married for 44 years; two daughters, Kelly Jordan-Sciutto, Ph.D. and her husband, Mark, Lansdale, and Kristie Antalosky and her husband, Ron, Frackville; two sons, Lewis Jordan, Coatesville, and Shaun Jordan and his wife, Tonia, Frackville; six grandchildren, Jay and Alec Sciutto, Cody and Kali

Antalosky, Nick and Gwen Jordan; two sisters, Mae Spangler, Orlando, Fla., and Barb Ravert, Phoenix, Ariz.; two brothers, Jim Miller and Troy Tranquillo, both of Bernville; many nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church, Frackville, with the Rev. Robert Finlan as celebrant. Relatives and friends are invited to a visitation from 9 to 11 a.m. Wednesday at the church. There will be no calling hours Tuesday evening.

Interment will be in St. Joseph Parish Cemetery, Englewood/Frackville. Flowers are welcome. Alternatively, donations can be made to the Deno Jordan "Make a Difference" Scholarship Fund c/o Wells Fargo Bank, 2 S. Lehigh Ave., Frackville, PA 17931. Albert L. Gricoski Funeral Home, Frackville, has charge of arrangements. Please visit www.gricoskfuneralhome.com.