

## Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood

May 14, 1981 - July 25, 2024

Stephanie Ann Cotto, 43, of Streamwood, Illinois.

Loving mother of Kayla Rodriguez, Jacob Torres and Emily Torres; devoted daughter of Carlos Cotto and Millie Betancourt; cherished sister of Ivette (Zygmunt) Dubiel and Maribel (David) Cuevas; beloved niece of Norma Betancourt, Frankie (Evelyn) Maldonado, Eva (Peter) Aquino, Iris (Efrain) Carrero, Aida (Ivan) Rojas; fond aunt of Tyler, Skylar and Arianna.

Visitation will be held on Friday, August 2, 2024 from 3:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. with a funeral service at 5:00 P.M. at Morizzo Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 2550 West Hassell Road, (Northwest corner of Barrington Road), Hoffman Estates, IL 60169.

The family has created this Life Tributes page to make it easy to share your memories, photos, and videos. For those of you that would have attended services and would like to express your condolences please click on the "Share A Memory" link above and you can leave a message. If you wish to send a Sympathy Card, please feel free to send it to Morizzo Funeral Home, 2550 Hassell Road, Hoffman Estates, Illinois, 60169 c/o the Family; we will gladly forward it on to the family.

For further information please contact the Morizzo Funeral Directors at

847.752.6444. Arrangements entrusted to Morizzo Funeral Home and Cremation Services, at 2550 West Hassell Road, (Northeast corner at Barrington Road), Hoffman Estates, Illinois 60169.

## Cemetery Details

**The Directors at Morizzo Funeral Home entrusted with any Visitation, Funeral & Committal; requested.**

2550 Hassell Road  
(Northeast corner at Barrington Road)  
Hoffman Estates, IL 60169  
(847) 752-6444  
[ross@morizzofuneralhome.com](mailto:ross@morizzofuneralhome.com)  
<http://MorizzoFuneralHome.com>

## Previous Events

### Visitation

**AUG 2. 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)**

Morizzo Family Funeral Home, Cremation Services, and Cemetery Memorials  
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# Tribute Wall

KD

“ *Kasia and Robert Daniel purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.*

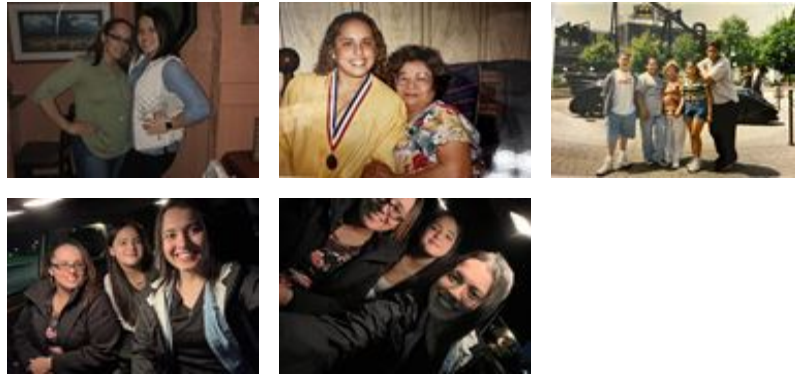


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**Kasia and Robert Daniel** - August 02, 2024 at 03:05 PM



“ *205 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Morizzo Funeral Home & Cremation Services** - August 02, 2024 at 10:03 AM

DF

“ *Darek Tkacz with family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.*



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**Darek Tkacz with family** - August 02, 2024 at 10:02 AM

DF

“Darek Tkacz with family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.

Darek Tkacz with family - August 02, 2024 at 10:02 AM



“Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.



August 02, 2024 at 09:51 AM

OS

“Oswego High School planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.

Oswego High School - August 02, 2024 at 09:51 AM

KR

“I am so sorry for your loss, Ivette--praying for you and your family.

Kristen - August 01, 2024 at 11:13 PM

KW

“Kyle W. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.

Kyle W. - August 01, 2024 at 08:48 PM

CK

“ Ivette - My thoughts and prayers to you and your family during this difficult time.

ckrachtus - August 01, 2024 at 06:36 PM

SG

So sorry for your loss. Sending my deepest condolences to you and your family ❤️

Silvia Gemein - August 01, 2024 at 11:20 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.



August 01, 2024 at 06:21 PM

YT

“ Your 308 Diverse Learners Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.

Your 308 Diverse Learners Team - August 01, 2024 at 06:21 PM

ST

“ Shanlly & Tolga purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.



Shanlly & Tolga - August 01, 2024 at 05:25 PM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.*



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August 01, 2024 at 04:06 PM



“ *Ursula S. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.*

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**Ursula S.** - August 01, 2024 at 04:06 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.*



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August 01, 2024 at 03:39 PM



“ *Mike Sonera and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.*

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**Mike Sonera and Family** - August 01, 2024 at 03:39 PM

JR

“Wow Stephanie I never thought that you would leave all of us so soon, you wer always very nice to me and full of laughter. I know for sure that you’re in a better place 🙏 I wish that I could be there to say goodbye but I know that this isn’t the end! Till we meet again God bless you 🥺❤️

Johan Reyes - July 31, 2024 at 06:40 PM

JJ

“Joseph J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.

Joseph J. - July 31, 2024 at 10:36 AM



“Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.



July 31, 2024 at 10:36 AM

MB

“Much Love, David and Nancy Blake planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.

Much Love, David and Nancy Blake - July 31, 2024 at 09:16 AM

MB

“ Much Love, David and Nancy Blake purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.

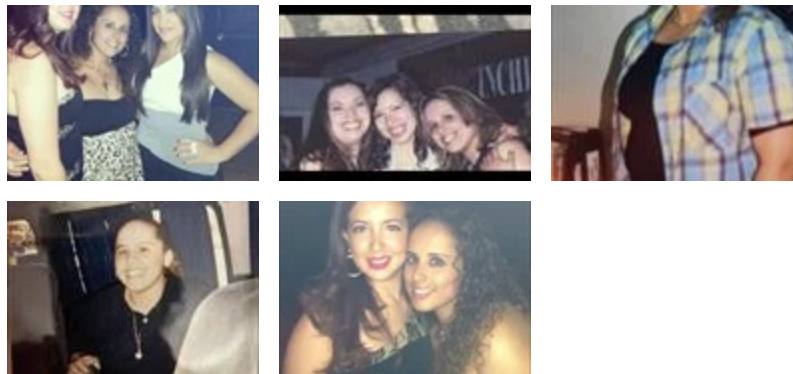


Much Love, David and Nancy Blake - July 31, 2024 at 09:16 AM

JJ

“ Happy, smiling and laughing. This is how I'll always remember you, my soul sister. Thank you for always listening and giving me good, honest advice. Thank you for the cooking lessons and for all the Halloweens we spent together trick or treating with the kids.

*I will never forget your smile, voice or laughter. May your beautiful soul rest in heaven. I love you forever Steph ❤️*



Jennifer Jimenez - July 30, 2024 at 11:11 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.



July 30, 2024 at 02:24 PM

DF

“ Danny and your M&R Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.

Danny and your M&R Family - July 30, 2024 at 11:15 AM

DF

“ Danny and your M&R Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.



Danny and your M&R Family - July 30, 2024 at 11:15 AM

JM

“ High school was such a blast with you and the ladies. You were an amazing friend. Love you girl. R.I.P Steph



Jacquelyn Martinez - July 29, 2024 at 03:41 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.



July 29, 2024 at 03:26 PM

EM

“ I remember you always cooking dinner for all of us. You always made sure Frankie and I's children were fed whenever they went over. You treated them as your own. I'm thankful for your loving kindness and hospitality. Thank you Stephanie for being you. Your uncle Frankie loves you so much. He constantly thinks about you and the memories he has, he's truly thankful for them. We can't stop thinking about you. You are in our prayers. Your family also. 🙏



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**Evelyn Maldonado** - July 29, 2024 at 03:27 AM

ID

“ Ivette D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephanie Ann Cotto.

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**Ivette D.** - July 28, 2024 at 11:51 PM

EM

“ My dearest friend Stephanie. My mind is flooding with memories we shared laughing, crying and spending quality time together. I'm so sorry for the suffering you endured for so many years. I'm thankful to the Lord that you are no longer suffering. I'm thankful for your laughter that I can still hear. I believe with all my heart that we will see each other again. May you rest peacefully beautiful. I love you Stephanie. You are greatly missed and loved. Love always, Evelyn

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**Evelyn Maldonado** - July 28, 2024 at 04:39 PM

EM

“ *My dearest niece and close friend Stephanie. My mind is flooding with all of the memories we had together. I'm so sorry for the suffering you endured for many years. I thank the Lord that you are no longer suffering. I thank the Lord for the times we spent crying, laughing and spending quality time together. I'm so grateful to have had you in my life. I will miss your laugh that I can still hear, your beautiful smile and your hugs. I believe with all my heart that we will see each other again. I will forever hold in my heart the times we shared life. I love you Stephanie. You are greatly missed. Rest peacefully beautiful.*



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**Evelyn Maldonado** - July 28, 2024 at 04:33 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Stephanie Ann Cotto of Streamwood.*



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July 28, 2024 at 03:56 PM



“ Mom, words can't express the way I'm going to miss you. I'm your first born. You had me so young that we grew up together. I'm so thankful for that. You taught me so much insight on life and I taught you so much making us both grow becoming best friends and mother and daughter. But 24 years wasn't enough time with you. There was still so much more in life I had to share with you. It aches my heart to know you won't be there for all my future endeavors, but I know you'll always be with me in my heart through it all. The way life took you so young wasn't right. You are one of the strongest women I know so beautiful, so caring, sweet, funny, and so much more. The world will never know who you truly were they all got glimpses of you. I'm so beyond grateful to have shared that everyday experience of who you truly were. I got to see the all bad and all the good being by your side. I miss your laugh that would echo a room and make everyone around laugh. I loved your silly nature and little jokes. I loved how you would fight the world to make sure we were okay even if it meant you not be okay, you were always trying to protect your family, your heart so pure. I'm so grateful and blessed to have spent the time I did with you. Late night hours talks about life or just talking in general for hours just us. Time flew by so fast we didn't even realize how long we talked. How I'm going to miss just having the ability of talking with you. It saddens me with great pain to know you're not just a phone call away anymore. Our relationship was one of a kind. We were best friends, mother and daughter, and sometimes we butt heads but that's what a true relationship looks like. We confided in each other like no other. You'll always and forever be in my heart mom.

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Kayla Rodriguez - July 28, 2024 at 11:59 AM



“ Mom, words can't express the way I'm going to miss you. I'm your first born. You had me so young that we grew up together. I'm so thankful for that. You taught me so much insight on life and I taught you so much making us both grow becoming best friends and mother and daughter. But 24 years wasn't enough time with you. There was still so much more in life I had to share with you. It aches my heart to know you won't be there for all my future endeavors, but I know you'll always be with me in my heart through it all. The way life took you so young wasn't right. You are one of the strongest women I know so beautiful, so caring, sweet, funny, and so much more. The world will never know who you truly were they all got glimpses of you. I'm so beyond grateful to have shared that everyday experience of who you truly were. I got to see the all bad and all the good being by your side. I miss your laugh that would echo a room and make everyone around laugh. I loved your silly nature and little jokes. I loved how you would fight the world to make sure we were okay even if it meant you not be okay, you were always trying to protect your family, your heart so pure. I'm so grateful and blessed to have spent the time I did with you. Late night hours talks about life or just talking in general for hours just us. Time flew by so fast we didn't even realize how long we talked. How I'm going to miss just having the ability of talking with you. It saddens me with great pain to know you're not just a phone call away anymore. Our relationship was one of a kind. We were best friends, mother and daughter, and sometimes we butt heads but that's what a true relationship looks like. We confided in each other like no other. You'll always and forever be in my heart mom.



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Kayla Rodriguez - July 28, 2024 at 11:58 AM

CC

“ *I am better for knowing you, better for loving you, better for having met you. May you be as blessed in the next life, as I was in this one by knowing you. Near or far forever best friends. I love and miss you Stephanie.* ”



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cindy cedeno - July 28, 2024 at 11:11 AM

IV

“ To my beautiful sister, Stephanie. I have no words to accurately express the pain from your loss. I grew up protecting you, fighting with you and loving you. I will keep your memory and sensitive, sweet soul alive. I will always remember how you laughed, and how we insisted in singing our silly songs. When us three sisters got together, there was no stopping our laughs and storytelling. I miss you so much! I can't believe you are gone forever. My heart breaks thinking about how you suffered and were in pain for many years. You did not deserve the horrible ills you battled everyday. Despite the turmoil, you consistently loved us all. There was no question how much you loved your children and how much they loved you. None of us will ever be the same without you. I pray will all my might that you are at peace. I love you so much and I will miss you always. Love you big sister, Ivette.



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**Ivette** - July 28, 2024 at 10:27 AM

NB

“ Stephanie, my Beautiful niece. I can't believe that you're gone that am never going to see your Beautiful smile or get one of your big hugs, my heart aches but I take comfort in knowing that you are no longer in pain but at peace in the arms of God. Rest in peace my loving niece til we meet again. Love you always Titi Norma

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**Norma Betancourt** - July 27, 2024 at 11:35 PM

WO

“ Stephanie, you will be miss, your smile, small conversations we would have. R.I.P. Guide us all now as you are our angel now. Love always Williams, Olga

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**Williams Olga** - July 27, 2024 at 08:59 PM

JA

“ Mom you always tried to call me as much as possible and I tried to pick up as much as I could but when we would talk you would always remind me how I was your only Boy and how much I meant to you and how proud you were to have one and you always told me that i could achieve anything as long as i worked hard for it and I've always kept that with me. I love you mom rest in peace.

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**Jacob** - July 27, 2024 at 08:35 PM

ET

“ Mom not a day goes by that i don't think of you. I'm missing you more than ever and i can't believe that your gone. I'm so sorry for the pain and suffering that you were going through for many years and i'm so sorry i wasn't by your side through every step i wish i was though mom and i wish i could've done more for you as your daughter. i miss your laugh your beautiful smile and the joy you would always bring to the table. You were a great mom and u always doubted yourself saying you were not. I wouldn't trade you for another mother and i'm blessed to be your daughter and i'm blessed to have you as my mother, even though you are no longer here i still feel your love and your guidance your spirit lives on with me forever, I wish i could've hugged you kissed you and said i loved you. my heart aches for you mom i love you so much you were too young to go but i know your not in pain anymore and your with mama in heaven, you will forever be in my heart. fly high mommy may you rest in peace.



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emily torres - July 27, 2024 at 08:23 PM

MB

“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



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**Millie betancourt** - July 27, 2024 at 08:23 PM

MB

“ *My beautiful Stephanie I will miss you forever. I can't believe you're gone, my heart aches for you today, tomorrow and forever. I love your smile and your sense of humor. All I have of you now is memories, which I will share forever. Your kindness and your loving soul is one of my precious memories, how hard you love your kids and you love for me was undeniable those are the memories that I will treasure. My beautiful Stephanie mom loves you and I will see you again, and you will embrace me in your arms. Love you my princess.*

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**Millie Betancourt** - July 27, 2024 at 08:02 PM

MA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Mari** - July 27, 2024 at 07:44 PM

MA

“ *My beautiful sister I am going to miss you so much I can't believe that you are gone. Heaven has gained another angel.*



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**Mari** - July 27, 2024 at 07:31 PM