

In Memoriam

Laura M. Brunner
April 22, 1963 – January 9, 2010

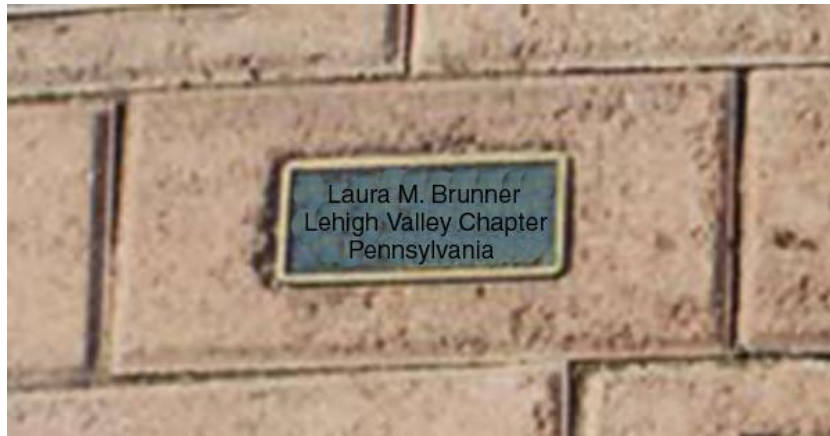
Laura Brunner, a former chapter member, passed away Saturday, January 9, 2010, after a long and valiant fight against cancer. She was a very brave lady who always maintained a positive attitude. Please remember her in your prayers.

Obituary, Morning Call Monday, January 11, 2010.

Laura M. Brunner



Laura M. (Hansen) Brunner, 46, of Palmerton, died Saturday, January 9, 2010 in her home. She was the wife of Glenn S. Brunner. The couple celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary last April 14. Born in Allentown, April 22, 1963, Laura was the daughter of the late Emil and Elizabeth L. (Yoachim) Hansen. She faithfully and honorably served her country in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Gulf War with a rank of Sergeant. Laura was employed by PennDot for 19 years where she held the positions of Human Resources Analyst, Administrative Assistant to the District Executive, Assistant District Executive - Design Secretary and Construction Division Secretary last working in 2005. Her professional organizations include membership in the IAAP and ASDT. She was a member of the Union Evangelical Lutheran Church, Schnecksville and a Breast Cancer Support Group in Lehighton. **Survivors:** Husband; daughter, Andrea R. Brunner at home; sisters, Elizabeth L. Manner of Palmerton, Linda L. Kraftician and Lisa A. Dixson both of Kunkletown; brother, Edward J. Manner of Tyler, Texas. **Service:** Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday at Union Evangelical Lutheran Church, 5500 Route 873, Schnecksville with the Rev. Dennis W. Moore officiating. Family and friends may call 9:30 to 11 a.m. Wednesday in the church. Interment with military honors will follow the service at Union Church Cemetery, Neffs. The Heintzelman Funeral Home, Inc., in Schnecksville is in charge of arrangements. **Contributions:** Flowers gratefully accepted. Memorial contributions may be made to the Union Evangelical Lutheran Church Memorial Fund c/o the funeral home, P.O. Box # 196, Schnecksville, PA 18078-0196.



Laura M. Brunner, an active Lehigh Valley Chapter member for nine years, passed away Saturday, January 9, 2010, after a long and valiant fight against cancer. She was a very brave lady who always maintained a professional and positive attitude. As a strong advocate for the CPS/CAP certification, she pursued the recognition it deserves with the top management of her employer PennDot during her 19-year tenure there. The Lehigh Valley Chapter purchased a Retirement Trust Foundation paver in honor of Laura. Married for over 25 years to Glenn S. Brunner and mother of Andrea R. Brunner, Laura also served her country in the U.S. Marine Corps as a sergeant during the Gulf War.

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