

Denise Donoian
October 16, 1998
Age 44
Medina, Ohio

Denise Donoian tragically died in a car accident at age 44 on October 16, 1998 in Medina, Ohio.

Dee was a smoker—until she quit for good. But she didn't just stop smoking. She embraced new way of living this so much that she became a leading volunteer with the American Lung Association of Northern Ohio. Not only was she a member of the board of trustees and served on the executive committee, but also she chaired the organization's Clean Air Challenge in 1997 and 1998.

Born in Philadelphia, Dee and her family moved to Lakewood in 1969. She graduated from Cleveland State University. Dee worked for the Hertz Corp. where she was promoted from service representative to a management position.

In 1991, Dee founded her own company, Satisfaction II, which specialized in customer surveys, focus groups, and training programs for individuals and companies.

Dee was past president of the American Society of Training & Development and was an active member of Toastmasters International. She also supported programs related to her Armenian heritage.

Dee was survived by her mother, Rosalie Donoian of Philadelphia and her father, Jack Donoian of Akron.