



Debra Lynn Graham

August 3, 1953 - January 18, 2017

Debra Lynn Graham, 63, of Bluffton passed away at 11:34 a.m. Wednesday, January 18, 2017, at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Deb was born on August 3, 1953 in Bluffton to V. Wayne & Winnie (Baller) Markley. She graduated from Bluffton High School in 1971. She retired in 2015 from Peyton's Northern where she worked for 22 years. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary in Bluffton.

Deb enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and spent a lot of time with her handicap brother, Mike. Years ago, Deb worked with special needs children in which made her very happy. She enjoyed watching NASCAR up to the point of her favorite driver, Rusty Wallace retiring. Deb would also support the Colts every chance she could. She was a loving mother, grandmother and friend that would do anything for anybody. She always looked forward to trips to the Anderson Casino and to bingo halls with her mom.

Survivors include her mother Winnie Markley of Bluffton, along with two sons: Shane Graham of Columbus, Indiana and Derek (Andrea) Graham of Bluffton. She is also survived by three brothers; Kevin, Mike & Tracy Markley and a daughter-in-law Judy Graham all of Bluffton along with 11 grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her father Wayne, a son Shannon Graham and a

granddaughter Kaeli Graham.

A service to celebrate Deb's life will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday (January 21, 2017) at the Thoma/ Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton with her uncle Nolan Markley officiating. Calling hours will be held on Saturday from 1:30 to 3:30, prior to the service. Burial will follow at Six Mile Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the family. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the family at www.thomarich.com.

Cemetery Details

Six Mile Cemetery

4795 SE State Road 116
Bluffton, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 21. 1:30 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Debra Lynn Graham*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *ROSE MARSHALL lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



ROSE MARSHALL - January 21, 2017 at 08:27 PM



“ *I am sorry sorry. Sending prayers to the family. I always liked seeing her come into the store. She seemed to love playing the lottery.*

Susie Moon - January 21, 2017 at 06:51 AM



“ *Kristi Poulson Williams lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



Kristi Poulson Williams - January 21, 2017 at 12:34 AM



So very sorry to hear of Deb's passing...my sincere sympathy to her loved ones who she so dearly cared for. We worked together at Peyton's, Deb was my coordinator during my time as the drug room supervisor there. She was a tremendous help, I appreciated so much... a very special lady indeed ! She truly loved her family, you could see it written all over her face when she spoke of them. Deb will be missed by many... I am so glad I knew her as a friend and co-worker. Rest peacefully sweet lady.

Kristi Poulson Williams - January 21, 2017 at 12:55 AM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. Sending my sympathy to Mike and his mom.

*Colleen Shenk
("Miss Colleen" Mike's teacher at Vera Cruz)*

Colleen - January 20, 2017 at 06:55 PM



“ Your friends at Enkei America JACKSONVILLE purchased the Eternal Memories for the family of Debra Lynn Graham.



Your friends at Enkei America JACKSONVILLE - January 20, 2017 at 01:46 PM



“ Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Debra Lynn Graham.



January 20, 2017 at 01:33 PM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Debra Lynn Graham.*



January 20, 2017 at 12:17 PM



“ *49 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - January 20, 2017 at 11:21 AM



“ *Winnie and family , I am so sorry for your loss. ..May God be with you and give you strength, comfort and peace.*



Pam Manning - January 20, 2017 at 10:24 AM



“ *Always With Us Lid Decoration was purchased for the family of Debra Lynn Graham.*



January 20, 2017 at 08:52 AM



“ *ROSA IBARRA lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



ROSA IBARRA - January 20, 2017 at 07:18 AM



“ *Deb Graham was my coordinator in old RX, On 2nd shift. She was a very good person, Very helpful, A great coordinator. She made me a great welcome home board. When I returned home, From being over in Iraq. For 4 months, For the 222 TFW. That was so awesome.*

Gregg Gearhart - January 20, 2017 at 07:16 AM



“ *Gregg Gearhart lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



Gregg Gearhart - January 20, 2017 at 07:07 AM



“ *Rinda Towne lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



Rinda Towne - January 19, 2017 at 09:08 PM

CL

“ *So sorry for your loss. Enjoyed working with Deb at Peyton's. During our conversations, she always talked about her family. It was obvious they were her world. Rest In Peace Deb, you will be missed.*

Crystal Loshe - January 19, 2017 at 08:17 PM

CL

“ *Crystal Loshe lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



Crystal Loshe - January 19, 2017 at 08:13 PM

BK

“ *Bernie Kleinknight lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



Bernie Kleinknight - January 19, 2017 at 07:19 PM

TH

“ Tom And Elaine Hall lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham



Tom and Elaine Hall - January 19, 2017 at 06:37 PM

TH

I am so sorry for you loss our prayers go to you all.

Tom and Elaine Hall - January 19, 2017 at 06:40 PM

DH

“ Friends are the angels we walk through life with! Love you💙



Denise Hackworth - January 19, 2017 at 03:02 PM



“ Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Debra Lynn Graham.



January 19, 2017 at 02:23 PM

SN

“ Sue And Nolan lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham



Sue and Nolan - January 19, 2017 at 01:59 PM

GR

“ Many prayers to the family. Deb was such a wonderful person and I will miss her dearly. God bless.



Ginger Roth - January 19, 2017 at 01:39 PM

Twila
Darren

“ Twila Darren lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham



Twila Darren - January 19, 2017 at 01:13 PM

DG

“ Love you always mom...until I see you again...



Dana Graham - January 19, 2017 at 12:15 PM

DG

“ *Deb Gardner lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



deb gardner - January 19, 2017 at 11:32 AM

LJ

“ *Winnie..I'm so very sorry for your loss...Lisa Satterfield Jack*



Lisa jack - January 19, 2017 at 11:23 AM

KF

“ *Karen Flowers lit a candle in memory of Debra Lynn Graham*



Karen Flowers - January 19, 2017 at 11:04 AM

KF

I will miss your smile and your laugh. You were a special person

Karen Flowers - January 19, 2017 at 11:07 AM

RW

What a great gal those years of working by you will always be a wonderful memory!

Rita Wagoner - January 19, 2017 at 06:12 PM

SN

“ *We'll miss you Deb. You were loved by many.*

Sue and Nolan - January 18, 2017 at 06:54 PM