



Donna Lee Wallis

May 21, 1958 - July 13, 2020

God called Donna Lee Wallis, 62, home to glorify Heaven with her beautiful soul on Monday, July 13, 2020 in Jacksonville, Florida. She was born on May 21, 1958 in Pompton Plains, New Jersey to Kathleen DeYoung and the late James DeYoung. Donna's family moved to Phoenix, Arizona when she was a child. She graduated from Trevor G. Browne High School in 1976 and attended Estrella Mountain Community College. Donna married the love of her life, Gordon Wallis in 1981; he sadly passed away January 14, 1998.

Donna will be remembered for her beautiful smile, laugh, her compassion for animals, and her love for fishing and the great outdoors. She loved horses and enjoyed barrel racing horses. She will be sadly missed by her many friends and family members. Donna could accomplish anything she set her mind to do. She was a school bus driver in Arizona. She later moved to Idaho where she loved the weather and beautiful landscapes. She often said, "Idaho was God's Country". She prepared to receive a realtor's license in Idaho and Washington and was so excited to have received the licensing for both states. She moved to St. Augustine to enjoy the peaceful lifestyle of the beach.

Special thanks to friends and family members who has helped Donna with her struggle to fight cancer and have stayed by her side. Donna's love for life will always be remembered. Donna is survived by her mother, Kathleen I. DeYoung, brother-in-law, Jay Perry; nephew, Kyle Perry who all reside in Pocatello, Idaho; brothers, Jim DeYoung (Guylene), Tom DeYoung; sister Karen DeYoung who all reside in Pheonix, Arizona.

She is preceded in death by her father, James A. DeYoung; sister, Kathleen Ann Perry; and her husband, Gordon 'Wally' Eugene Wallis.

At her request, there will be no services.

Comments



“ Donna, my goodness we should of wrote a book on all the times we've had together. From being little girls to women. And all the times in between. You never left my side when we brought Brandon into our world. Your bless to go on to your new Journey and whoop it up until we're together again. Forever in our heart's Denise and Allen along with all our family



Denise and Allen Murray - July 18 at 10:57 AM



“ My beautiful friend, your are the kindest most loving person I have ever met. Your friendship means the world to me. I will miss laughing until we were crying, playing bingo, and just being loved by you. The world is a much darker place without your life. My heart is broken but, I am glad your pain has lifted. Go with Wally to the eternal light.

carrie kelly-pierce - July 17 at 11:37 AM



“ You are the strongest and most amazing person that has walked into my life. God put us together for many reasons. I will never forget you!! My heart hurts for me but I know you are no longer in pain and you are dancing with your sister in heaven. I love you my friend. Thank you for letting me into your life. Xoxo until we meet again.
Laurie Kutter

Laurie Kutter - July 16 at 05:07 AM



“ Aunt Donna, I can hear your laughter in the wind. You always put a smile on my face and a warmth in my heart. You will continue to be surrounded by those that love you. All my love,
Tarra DeYoung.

Tarra DeYoung - July 16 at 10:22 AM



“ My dearest friend, my heart is broken . I know you are out of pain and at peace. I can't imagine my life without you. I miss you so much. I will never forget you. Until we meet again. RIP.Love you forever. Your friend,
Laurie



Laura Yanito - July 15 at 11:05 PM



“ 38 years of friendship. You were such a special blessing in my life. Thank you my dearest forever friend

Laura Yanito - July 15 at 11:27 PM



“ I miss you so much Donna! You're forever in my heart until we meet again. Our memories of our trips will always bring a smile if only I could have you back for just a little while. Love Vicki :)



Victoria Clements - July 15 at 10:24 PM



“ Love you Aunt Donna! You are at peace now and back with Uncle Wally, Pop Pop, & Aunt Kathi. Thank you for all the memories growing up and for my love of horses. I always enjoyed and loved spending time with you

Christine Morris - July 15 at 04:58 PM