

OBITUARY

Deborah Jester

JANUARY 16, 1953 - MARCH 23, 2024



IN THE CARE OF

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WASHINGTON ~ Deborah Kay Jester, 71, of Washington, passed away at 11:20 p.m. Saturday, March 23, 2024 at Washington Senior Living.

She was born January 16, 1953 in Peoria to Roy Eugene and Ruth Violet (Grazar) Jester.

Surviving are one daughter, Michelle Jester of Creve Coeur; one grandson, Joseph Jester of Creve Coeur; one brother, Randy (Gwen) Jester of Canton; her step-mother, Marlene Jester of Creve Coeur and three nephews, Troy Jester of Oklahoma, Jason Jester and Jacob Jester, both of Canton and one niece, Jacey (Matt) Rumler of Canton.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Roy Eugene Jester, Jr.; many aunts and uncles and one niece, Tammy Jester.

Deborah worked for Holiday Inn as a housekeeper and also cleaned houses. Most recently, she worked at Harold's Hamburgers in Sunnyland.

She enjoyed reading, working on crossword puzzles and putting together puzzles. She also enjoyed spending time with her grandson, Joseph.

A gathering celebrating Deborah's life will be held at a later date.

Cremation has been accorded by Preston-Hanley Funeral Homes & Crematory in Creve Coeur.

Memorial contributions may be given to the Tazewell Animal Protective Society, 100 Taps Lane, Pekin, Illinois 61554.

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