



Deborah Derryberry

June 1, 1959 - July 22, 2024

Deborah Lynn Horvath Derryberry, 65, of Corsicana, passed away peacefully on July 22, 2024, at her home. Born on June 1, 1959, in Corsicana, Deborah was the beloved daughter of Emery and Catherine Horvath. She attended Collins Catholic School and graduated from Corsicana High School in the Class of 1977. She continued her education at Navarro College, earning an associate's degree in medical technology in 1980.

Deborah dedicated 12 years of her career to the Medical Arts Clinic Lab before transitioning to Eureka Ready Mix, where she served as an office manager until her retirement in 2009. Known for her kind soul and deep love for her family, Deborah had a passion for genealogy and took great pride in caring for her home.

Deborah was preceded in death by her parents, Emery and Catherine Horvath. She is survived by her loving husband, David Derryberry; her sons, Michael, Marc, and Darrel Derryberry; her sisters, Julia Kirk and her husband Floyd, and Elaine Mesker and her husband Keith; her sister-in-law, Beverly Hatley; her nieces and nephews, Jason Kirk, Justin Kirk, Jessica York, Erin Martinez, Jared Mesker, Chris Hatley, and Stacey Vail; and her great-nieces and nephews, Hailey Kirk, Lauren Smith, Carleigh Kirk, and Emery and Conner York.

Deborah will be remembered for her gentle spirit, devotion to her family, and the warmth she brought into the lives of those who knew her. She will be deeply missed.

A memorial graveside will be held on Friday, August 9, 2024, at Calvary Catholic Cemetery at 10:00am.

Previous Events

Memorial Service at Graveside

AUG 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

Calvary Catholic Cemetery
2200 West 2ND Avenue
Corsicana, TX 75110

Tribute Wall



“ *Debbie was my first friend in Catholic grade school. We met in second grade and we were friends throughout. I have so many fond memories of sleep overs and playing on the swings, and perhaps getting into trouble a bit with the nuns. When we went to high school, we separated into different areas. I was glad when she appeared in my FB feed and we could reconnect and reminisce a bit. I am sorry for the family's loss and send them strength and encouragement during these times. It is hard.*

Lisa Boesen - August 24, 2024 at 06:15 PM

MB

“ *Julie, Elaine and family, I am so very sorry for your loss you are all in my thoughts and prayers, much love , Melissa*

Melissa Brown - August 08, 2024 at 10:02 PM

KA

“ *Deborah was my cousin. My sister Shelly and I spent a week every summer as kids with Julie, Elaine and Deborah in Corsicana. I have fond memories of all of us going swimming and attending ice cream socials at the Collins Catholic church/school. Aunt Pug shuttled us around town. I loved Deborah's voice and I can still hear her say "Elaine".*

Julie and Elaine, I hope happy memories help you through this difficult time. To all of your family and friends, I am so sorry for your loss.

Karen Williams Altaras

Karen Altaras - August 07, 2024 at 04:51 PM

DW

“ I remember Debbie from Medical Arts Clinic. She worked in the lab with my husband Gaylon. She was always willing to help. She was a very sweet lady. We will be praying for her family and friends. I know her loss will be felt in their hearts for many days. May God comfort and sustain you!

Donna Whittenburg - July 27, 2024 at 09:35 PM

JJ

“ Julie and family, so sorry to hear of your loss! Our thoughts and prayers are with and all the family!

John & Sharon Johnson - July 26, 2024 at 11:14 PM

LB

“ Debbie was first friend in second grade when we moved to Corsicana. So many sleepovers! I am thankful to have reconnected on FB after so many years. I hope she is on Peace.

Lisa Boesen - July 26, 2024 at 09:56 PM