



Susan D. Erickson

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Susan Dawn Erickson (Shriver), 55, of Amherst peacefully ended her struggle with liver cancer and began her journey into the heavens during the early morning hours of Wednesday, October 27, 2010. She passed away with her children and loving family by her side at Saint Michael's Hospital in Stevens Point, WI. Sue was born April 8, 1955, in Cherokee, Iowa, the daughter of Jack and Lorna (Martin) Shriver. She was a 1973 graduate of Bay View High in Milwaukee and a 1978 graduate of UW-La Crosse. She was the former spouse of Ross Dick of Amherst Junction, and Eric Erickson of Amherst. Sue proudly worked in Medical Staff Affairs at Saint Michael's Hospital for the last 22 years. She truly loved her work and her entire Saint Michael's family.

She called the wonderful community of Amherst her home for the past 26 years, where she enjoyed being outdoors, long walks, resting near and swimming in lakes, supporting Amherst High School athletics, golfing with her ladies, preparing creative family meals and Green Bay Packer hors d'oeuvres, listening to music, dancing, and laughing with a group of friends over a glass of wine.

Sue is survived by her three children, Brittany Dick, Travis Dick, and Emily Erickson, all of Amherst; her parents, Jack and Lorna Shriver of Greenfield, WI; her sisters, Vickie (Don) Fahrenkrug of Pagosa Springs, CO, and Cinda (Garrick) Zielinski of Franklin, WI; nieces and nephews, Terra (Eric), Gerard, Gene, Grant (Stephanie), and Janelle; and special friends Chris and Kevin Dombrowski, and an honorary daughter Gwendolyn Casey.

Sue was preceded in death by a nephew Gavin.

Sue always lived life to the fullest, made the best of each and every day, and always put her children first. She was the most passionate and selfless mother, daughter, sister, friend, and co-worker.

A memorial service will be held at 11 A.M. on Monday November 1, 2010 at the Peace



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Lutheran Church in Amherst. Pastor Dwight Anderson will officiate. A visitation will be held on Sunday October 31, 2010 from 4 P.M. until 8 P.M. at the Jungers-Holly Funeral Home in Amherst, and again at the church from 10 A.M. until the time of the service at 11 A.M.



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SB

Shann Bean posted:

I did'nt know of Sue's passing until this month in 2024. Sue and I met at the Ramada Inn in 1978 where we were cocktail waitresses in the Rough Rider Lounge. She was my best friend. We traveled to La Jolla, Ca. to visit with my sister. Had a great time, swam in rivers and oceans. She was my rock in those younger years, I wish I had known. Sincerely Shann Bean

August 16 at 11:26 AM

RN

Robbie Nelson posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to Sues entire family. I had worked many years ago with Sue at Rice Clinic. We stayed in touch for a number of years after shw went to work at the hospital but unfortunately did loose touch. I had no idea Sue was battling cancer. Last time I ran into Sue was about 2 years ago. She always had a smile on her face. She truly was a special person.

March 4 at 7:00 PM

SG

Sandy Guinta posted:

I was so sad to hear the news of Sue's passing. I graduated with Sue from Bay View and have a lot of great memories of that time in our lives. My deepest sympathy to Sue's children and her entire family. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. Sandy Guinta

March 4 at 7:00 PM

DW

David And Elaine Wrone posted:

Brittany and Travis and your sister, Emily, we are so sorry about your mother's passing. We are always interested in following your stellar performance in school, sports, and community life. Continue to carry on a splendid tradition. Our best to you.

March 4 at 7:00 PM

CH

Carole & Tom Hetrick posted:

I was so sorry to hear of Susans struggle with cancer. My thoughts and prayers are with her family. Tom and I want to express our deepest condolences. We haven't seen Sue in years but we have many happy memories of the times we shared together. We will never forget her.

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GM

Gina Mulder posted:

With heartfelt sympathy in the loss of Sue. I had the honor of getting to know Sue through work. She was a fun, energetic and very caring person who will be deeply missed. God Bless.

March 4 at 7:00 PM

AM

Amy Mullen posted:

I was saddened to read about Sue's passing. Accept my condolences. Our last chance meeting in an airport reminded me of her vigor and love of life, it was a joy to see and spend time with her. I am confident that she touched and influenced others in that same powerful way. I was fortunate to have shared my pre-teen and teenage years with her. She was a blessing. I will pray for your peace and comfort. Amy Martinez Mullen

March 4 at 7:00 PM

CP

Cindy Purpero posted:

I'm saddened to hear of Sue's passing. She was always a bright, lively, and friendly person. Even if I hadn't seen Sue for years she made me feel like it was just a few days, as we caught up with each other. I remember her from B.V. Methodist Church and being Vicki's younger sister, trying to hang around with the older girls. Hold on to your best memories; she will never be far from you.

March 4 at 7:00 PM

VA

Vic Akemann posted:

Brittany, Your mother sounded like such a wonderful person ... I am sorry I really did not get to know her, however I believe our paths have crossed. The commitment and love that you passed on to her -- spending time with her in her last days here was the greatest gift you and your siblings could give her. Please know that my thoughts are with you as you all savor those precious memories of the life you spent with her. My mother also passed away this year, through my Mom I really understood the meaning of loving life to its fullest and loving the people, places, our natural world, and the time we have together. My condolences to you and your family, With Love, Vic Akemann

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PD

Paula Doll posted:

I had the occasion to meet &

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GC

Gary Cisewski posted:

I worked with Susan for over 19 years and I was blessed to have known her. I will miss Sue. My prayers are with the family.

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SP

Sue Hastings, Wamss Immediate Past President posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with you. Sue will be missed. God bless.

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Susan D. by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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