

Diane Marie Lancaster

August 26, 1948 - December 17, 2020

Diane Marie Lancaster, 72, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, went home to be with our Lord on Thursday, December 17, 2020, at Northbrook Manor Care. Diane was born on August 26, 1948, in Burlington, Iowa. She was a loyal employee at Souvenir Pen & Pencil for 30 years. Diane will be remembered as a compassionate soul. She cared for her mother until her death in 1997. She loved all animals and rescued many. She would strike up a conversation with anyone and loved everybody. She loved to sing and of course, drink beer with her friends.

Special recognition to Randy and Bruce who helped Diane for several years prior to her moving to Northbrook Manor Care. Enough thanks cannot be given to the wonderful staff at Northbrook Manor Care who so lovingly kept Diane's dignity and spirit alive until the end.

Survivors include her sister, Debra Lancaster of Cedar Rapids; special friend, Bruce Berg of Cedar Rapids; and cousins, Randy (Susie) Thede and Linda Lindsey, all of Cedar Rapids.

She was preceded in death by her brothers, David and Daniel Lancaster; and her parents, Dave and Doris Lancaster.

Memorials may be directed to the Cedar Valley Humane Society.

A visitation will be held from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. on Monday, December 21, 2020, at Murdoch-Linwood Funeral Home & Cremation Service in Cedar Rapids. A funeral service will follow at 10:30 a.m. on Monday at the funeral home. Burial will take place at Linwood Cemetery in Cedar Rapids. All guests are respectfully requested to wear a mask and practice social distancing. A livestream of the funeral service may be accessed on the funeral home website tribute page for Diane, under "photos and videos or media," starting at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, December 21st.

Cemetery

Linwood Cemetery-Cedar Rapids

520 Wilson Avenue SW Cedar Rapids, IA, 52404

Events

DEC Visitation

09:30AM - 10:30AM

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DEC Funeral Services

10:30AM

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Comments



66 A tribute video has been added.



Murdoch Funeral Homes & Cremation Service - December 18, 2020 at 05:01 PM



66 What a beautiful tribute to your sister, Diane. She had such thick, pretty hair! You and she share that same infectious gorgeous smile. I know you will miss her.

William. & Michelle Danner - December 21, 2020 at 09:54 AM



66 Deb, you are always in our thoughts and prayers. Thank you for making it possible to get to know Diane through this video. Love you!

William. & Michelle Danner - December 21, 2020 at 09:55 AM



66 Debbie,

We were saddened to hear of Diane's passing. You have our sincere condolences. If not for COVID, we (my mom and I) would have attended the funeral service. I did view it online. Very nice service for her. She was indeed a very friendly person! And the pictures from waaay back. I remember your entire family very well.

Ethel Winger (Ackerman)

Ethel Winger - December 21, 2020 at 02:15 PM



Ethel, thank you so very much! You and your mother were missed. Glad that you are staying safe. It was a lovely service.

Debra Lancaster - December 21, 2020 at 09:02 PM



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66 Debra Lancaster lit a candle in memory of Diane Marie Lancaster



Debra Lancaster - December 20, 2020 at 10:55 AM



66 worked with diane at souvenir . was agood person. codolances to her family

Dorothy Caldwell - December 19, 2020 at 08:40 PM



66 Thank you very much Dorothy. Debra Lancaster - December 23, 2020 at 12:12 PM



66 51 files added to the album LifeTributes







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