



Deborah Kurtz

October 30, 1959 - September 27, 2017

On September 27, 2017 Deborah Ellen Kurtz, 57, passed away peacefully with family in Ocala Florida after her heroic effort in a fight against ALS. Deborah, often known as "Little Debbie, or Little Deb" was born on October 30, 1959 in the town of St. Marys, Ontario, Canada by way of parents Clarence Kurtz and Grace Kurtz. Debbie is survived by her two children, Kori Clarence Barry Wardrop, and Kristopher Percival Wardrop; her sister, Katherine Marie Gervais and family of Coalhurst Alberta; her brothers, Jim Bennett of Kingston Ontario, and Tim and Terry Esposti and families of Sault Ste. Marie Ontario. Deborah Ellen Kurtz was a lifelong nurse, taking joy in caring for others specializing in trauma, emergency room and nursery care. Her passion for travel worked in conjunction for her love of nursing as she selflessly completed contracts for travel nursing around the country and Virgin Islands. Deborah was loved by all for whom she came in contact. Whether she was a mentor, coworker, family member, or taking care of you, she was influential. Little Deb had a way of touching all of our hearts and making everyone a better person. The world is fortunate to have her looking over us as our guardian angel nurse until we all meet again. A viewing will be held at Roberts Funeral Home at 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471 on Sunday October 8th at 12:00pm. A "Celebration of Life" will be held at Siesta Key Beach, Sarasota on Sunday October 29th at 5:00pm.

Tribute Wall

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“ After searching for my two long lost cousins for several years I am sad to have made contact just a few days too late (by way of Debbie's obituary). I haven't seen Debbie since she was a baby but it sounds like she grew up to be a beautiful person with a big heart and lots of love to share. Now that I have a connection I hope to be able to catch up with you Kathy. (My mother "Mary" was/is your fathers sister). Maybe you could send me your email address. My heartfelt sympathy to you Kathy as well as to all your siblings and family. I know personally how painful it is to lose your sister. Cousin Carole

Carole Moore nee Dosman - October 07, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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“ I'm so sorry for the loss of your loved one. I lost someone 4 years ago and I know the pain involved. I hope you will find comfort in the message at John 5:28,29. There it mentions that our loved ones will be resurrected. May that give you a measure of comfort in the days to come. My deepest sympathy, Carolyn.

Carolyn Joyce - October 06, 2017 at 12:00 AM