



Michelle Joy Davis

February 27, 1962 - October 19, 2025

Michelle Joy Davis (Huff), 63, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on October 19, 2025.

Michelle was born in Livonia, Michigan, to her parents Karen and Donald Polinski on February 27, 1962. She attended Stevenson High School, graduating in 1980.

Throughout her life, Michelle devoted herself to various caretaker roles, reflecting her deep compassion for others. She loved being by the water, spending time in the warm Florida sunshine, and enjoying the company of her beloved dogs Zack and Lily.

Michelle is survived by her daughters, Elizabeth (James) Crilley of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Vanessa (Josh) Lyles of Nashville, Tennessee; stepson Kasey (Melinda) Howe; and her grandchildren, Siena, Delaney, Chloe, and Jack; along with her her siblings Peggy Huff, Denise (Mark) Raychok, Kenneth Huff, and Debbie Huff; nieces and nephews Samantha, Valerie, Matthew, and Abby.

She was preceded in death by her loving husband, David Davis, with whom she shared 14 years of marriage; her parents, grandparents, and her nephew Andy.

Michelle was loved by many and will be deeply missed.

Tribute Wall

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“ To Michelle’s family I am so sorry for your loss. I have great memories of her when we were kids. I met Michelle second grade and she was my very first best friend. All the way through elementary school we were together every summer swimming at her house or my house. Your family was my second family for so long during those years. Peggy was the big sister that we shared and she saw all of our mischief. Especially, chasing boys. Michelle was a good kid and always seemed to do what was right. I wanted to copy everything she did. Including, at our dance school everything she had was bigger and brighter and I wanted to be a part of it. Grandma Karen was the best. Granny and Papa were there too. I remember Michelle babysat my daughter when I went to work and she got to play with Elizabeth and Vanessa. They probably don’t remember me, but I remember them. They are just as beautiful as their mother. The Huff Family was a big part of my life during those young years. I am so thankful for Michelle’s life. There are so many memories. I saw some of your family pictures Denise, Debbie and Kenneth will forever be little to me. Jesus bless you during this very difficult time and always. Hugs to all of you❤️❤️❤️

Marlene Hinojoss - November 18, 2025 at 06:47 PM

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“Michelle and I were born one year and six days apart. We were inseparable as we grew up. I have a lifetime of wonderful memories with her. One thing we did together better than anyone was a laugh. One of us would say something that would tickle the other And we would start laughing until we were crying. We couldn't stop! It happened in a diner once when I said something that cracked her up and then we were both laughing so hard that we had to leave the restaurant or probably get asked to leave! I've never laughed like that with any other person. We definitely had a special bond. We talked almost every day. I will miss her so much. I hold onto an image of her, skipping through the gates with her husband, hand in hand, both smiling at the beauty there. I will see you there one day, my sweet sister. I love you, Peggy.

Peggy Huff - November 18, 2025 at 12:21 PM