



Debra Louise Atkinson

May 2, 1954 - May 8, 2017

Debra Louise Atkinson (formally Smith) died on May 8, 2017 in Corvallis due to complications from Type 1 Diabetes. She was 63.

Ms. Atkinson was born on May 2, 1954 in Corvallis to her parents, Doris and Clarence Smith. She formally worked for the Corvallis Chamber of Commerce and Pacific Power.

Debra loved all sports, but especially baseball. She also loved all types of animals, but adored cats. She was a voracious reader and her home was filled with books.

Ms. Atkinson is survived by her mother Doris, her brother, Richard, sister Kathy, brother Terry and sister Wendy, many aunts, cousins, nieces, and nephews. She is preceded in death by her father Clarence.

A memorial will take place at 1:00 pm, on Friday, May 19, at McHenry Funeral Home, 206 NW 5th St. Corvallis. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Debra's life. In lieu of flowers, please donate to diabetes research or an animal charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY **19**. 1:00 PM (PT)

McHenry Funeral Home
206 NW 5th St.
Corvallis, OR 97330
(541) 757-8141

Tribute Wall

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“ To the Family of Debra Louise Atkinson,
So sorry to learn about the loss of your Dear Loved One, Debra.
Please know that so many people share your grief with you to help
you through this difficult time of sorrow. Please accept my deepest
condolences as we await the time when Christ Jesus will awaken all
of those who have fallen asleep in death; including your Beloved,
Debra.
(John 11:41-44)

J. Moore/Volunteer - May 20, 2017 at 02:52 PM

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“ Debi was my best friend when we moved in across the street on
Peoria Rd. We loved to ride our bikes to town. Get a Bob's burger,
fry and a coke. Then take it to her Grandmother's house a few
blocks away. We listened to records and went to the Corvallis High
football games at Parker Stadium. We loved to read Archie Comics.
She made those difficult teen years so much easier. She had such a
great sense of humor and made me laugh. Wendy did too.

Sending my thoughts and prayers to her family.

Debbie Schlosser Westbrook

Debbie Schlosser Westbrook - May 13, 2017 at 01:36 PM