



Donna Faye (Patterson) Debbis

October 7, 1940 - July 13, 2014

Donna Faye Debbis (Patterson) of Greensboro, MD, died late Sunday, July 13 at the Hospice of Queen Anne's County. She was 73.

Born on October 7, 1940 in Elkins, WV, to the late Merle and Maxine Rider, she grew up in the Elkins area.

Later in her life, she moved to Maryland and raised her four children. Donna loved spending time with her grandchildren and enjoyed listening to country music, canning, crocheting, playing hymns on the piano, reading the bible, and cooking for family gatherings.

She is survived by her sons, Leroy Patterson of Chester, MD, Rick Patterson of Annapolis, MD, daughters Tammy Robinson of Ashburn, VA, Mary Williams of Baltimore, MD, 13 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; sister, Delores (Dumpy) Jean Knittel of Vero Beach, FL; brother Phillip Rider of Sabina, OH; her beloved companion, Danny Schline and his daughter Darlene of Greensboro, MD.

She is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

Services will be held on Saturday, July 19, at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home in Chester, MD with a visitation from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Interment will follow at Stevensville Cemetery.

In Lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society, P.O Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123 and/or Hospice of Queen Anne's County, 255 Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617.

Cemetery Details

Stevensville Cemetery

808 Main Street
Stevensville, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 19. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619
(410) 643-2226
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

JUL 19. 1:00 PM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619
(410) 643-2226
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Donna Faye (Patterson) Debbis*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - July 18, 2014 at 01:26 PM

TA

Beautiful video. I still can't believe you are gone ma. I love you so much.

tammy - July 18, 2014 at 09:03 PM



“ *Donna Faye (Patterson) Debbis*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Donna Faye (Patterson) Debbis*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Donna Faye (Patterson) Debbis*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

CI

“ At a time like this, the gift of eternal life becomes more precious than ever as we fix our eyes on the promise that we will be reunited with loved ones who have gone before us. It doesn't ease the pain of today so much as it strengthens us with hope for a better tomorrow. "Now death, where is your sting? Our resurrected king has rendered you defeated." Kari Jobe Praying that your memories will make you smile and that the presence of the Lord will comfort you. Cindy



Cindy - July 17, 2014 at 09:27 PM

TA

Beautiful words. Thank you Cindy..

tammy - July 18, 2014 at 07:00 AM

TA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Tammy - July 17, 2014 at 05:02 PM

TA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Tammy - July 17, 2014 at 04:58 PM

TA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Tammy - July 17, 2014 at 04:57 PM

TA

“ *My precious mother. I miss you so much. It hurts so deeply. I keep wanting to call you today and know that I will never be able to talk to you on the phone again. Today is a very hard day. I so desperately wish you were still here with us. I do know that you are in the presence of our Lord. I know that you are no longer in pain and no longer suffering. I find great comfort in that, but your presence is missed so much. I love you always and forever. I wish I could have made everything better for you. Love you always. Love, Boo.*

Tammy - July 17, 2014 at 04:51 PM

SL

“ I am so sorry for your loss. The death of a loved one is the most difficult thing we deal with. I wanted to take this time to express my condolences to you for your loss. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's word the Bible. (Psalms 83:18) The Bible promises: "there is going to be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous." (Acts 24:15) Jehovah God assures us that our dear dead loved ones will receive a resurrection to a restored beautiful paradise earth. (Isaiah 65:21,22) The Bible also promises: "And the last enemy, death, is to be brought to nothing." (1Corinthians 15:26) Death will be removed from all the earth. Tears of sorrow will vanish. (Revelation 21:4) No one will die from natural causes or weep. These are promises that will soon be a reality. Gods word the Bible says: It is impossible for God to lie." (Hebrews 6:18) May you find comfort from these promises. And may Jehovah God of all comfort be with you. (2Corinthians 1:3,4)

For more encouragement please visit www.Jw.org.

sherries lee - July 15, 2014 at 10:08 PM

ML

“ Leroy, Rick, Tammy and Mary,
I am so sorry for your loss. Your Mom was such a beautiful lady. I thank God for the memories, the good times we all shared. She loved you all so much. Please let me know if you need anything.
Love
Mary Elizabeth

Mary Lamb - July 15, 2014 at 09:35 PM

TA

Thank you Mary. Love you so much. You will always be family. You were a daughter to mom. Xoxo

tammy - July 16, 2014 at 09:19 PM

JE

“ Dear Nana,
I cannot believe that you are really gone. I love you and will miss you so, I only wish we had more time together these last few years. I will always cherish our memories and the time we spent together. I really enjoyed our weekly visit when you lived in Glen Burnie.
Love always your picky pamper, Jessica

jessica - July 15, 2014 at 06:37 PM

MW

“ To my dear sweet mother, I will miss you more than I could ever say, I love you so much. I have so many wonderful memories of my childhood(I wish we could go back in time for even one day.) Please give Jason & Devin a hug & a kiss from me.i know we will be together in heaven one day & I know you are now a angle watching over me
All of my love, your baby girl Mary

mary williams - July 15, 2014 at 03:53 PM

TA

This is beautiful Mary. I love you.

tammy - July 16, 2014 at 09:14 PM