



Debra Thompson

July 21, 1954 - February 7, 2021

Debra Thompson 66, of Merrimac, WV passed away at her home, surrounded by her family on February 7, 2021. She was born July 21, 1954 in Detroit, Michigan. She was the daughter of the late Cecil and Earline Baker Smitherman. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Ayrlee Thompson and three angel grandbabies.

Debra worked for many years as a Weight Watchers leader. She dedicated herself to supporting people on their journey to health and celebrated their victories, both big and small. She had a special love for gardening and fixing her flower beds. Debra was well known for her love of red birds and developed quite a collection of red bird décor, thanks to many gifts from friends and family over the years.

Debra married James H. Thompson Jr. on July 1, 1972. Together, they have two children, Kelly and her husband Roger Messer of Merrimac and James and his wife Kim Thompson of Rawl, WV. She is also survived by her siblings, Janet and her husband, Dan Dennis of Wayne, MI and Danny and his wife Paulette Smitherman of Westland, MI, grandchildren, Kandis and husband Cody Thacker, Jaydyn, Austyn and Graysyn Thompson and many nieces and nephews. She was blessed to have a special sister-in-law who was also her best friend Mary Thompson.

She was a loving wife, mother and grandma and cared deeply for her family and extended family. Debra had a sweet spirit and a mother's heart. She dedicated her life to following Jesus, her Savior. She was a faithful member of

the Regional Church of God.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, February 10, 2021 at 1:00pm with Rev. Mitchell Bias and Rev. Rick Hisle officiating. Burial will follow in the Mountain View Memory Gardens at Huddy, KY. Visitation will be at the church Tuesday evening from 6:00pm until 9:00pm. Family will serve as pallbearers. Chafin Funeral Home of Delbarton, WV is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **9**. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Regional Church Of God
Delbarton, WV

Service

FEB **10**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Delbarton, WV

Burial

FEB **10** (ET)

Mt. View Memory Gardens
Huddy, KY

Tribute Wall



“ *Debra Thompson*

November 21, 2022 at 02:05 PM



“ *Lilly J Hall sent a virtual gift in memory of Debra Thompson*



Lilly J Hall - February 09, 2021 at 10:50 PM



She was a beautiful lady.

Lana Collins - February 10, 2021 at 04:12 PM



“ *Pink & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Debra Thompson.*



February 09, 2021 at 11:31 AM

FC

“ From Carmella Crawford (WW Coach) purchased the Peaceful Wishes for the family of Debra Thompson.



From Carmella Crawford (WW Coach) - February 08, 2021 at 08:55 PM

KM

“ Debra was such a sweet lady. You didn't have to be around her long to know how she loved the Lord. She was a prayer warrior and faithful servant. She and I shared our son and daughter (Roger and Kelly) granddaughter Kandis and G son Clayton. We knew if either needed something we were there for them in support and prayer...my heart aches for the ones left behind but know she has a new body free from pain and rejoicing with the Master. I shall miss her sweet smile.

karis messer - February 08, 2021 at 07:35 PM

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karis messer - February 08, 2021 at 07:34 PM

BJ

Debra was a true friend. She love the Lord. She a her family. It is hard to hear about her home going. My prayers are with you. Barb Jacobs

barbara jacobs - February 09, 2021 at 10:26 AM

BJ

What a wonderful person

barbara jacobs - February 09, 2021 at 10:27 AM

NG

She was one of a kind a very special lady that was Loved my many people she will be missed by all that new her she had a heart of gold



Norma Gentry - February 09, 2021 at 05:15 PM

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karis messer - February 08, 2021 at 07:33 PM

CG

“ Connie Gollihue lit a candle in memory of Debra Thompson



Connie Gollihue - February 08, 2021 at 05:40 PM

ST

“ *Hate to hear of her passing. If you met her you instantly took a liking to her she just had that way about her. My thoughts and prayers are with her family and many friends!* ”

Sheila Trippett - February 08, 2021 at 05:00 PM