



Deborah Ruth Fulger

April 25, 1964 - October 26, 2022

Deborah Ruth Fulger, 58, of Eaton Rapids, a loving mother and grandmother, died Wednesday, October 26, 2022. Deborah was born April 25, 1964, in Charlotte, the daughter of David Russell and Rosemarie “Cookie” (Willis) Banks.

She graduated from Charlotte High School in 1982 before moving to Texas and starting her family. Deborah was a devoted employee and she worked over 12 years as an account clerk at Westrock in Lansing where she developed a close group of friends. Deborah loved all animals, especially horses, which she will be riding in heaven.

She and her sister, Sue, travelled the state collecting row-by-row quilt squares and she adored the time they spent together. Their beautiful creations won acclaim and are cherished gifts to their family members. Deborah loved to spend hours in her garden which was full of beautiful flowers and vegetables. She loved the canning and homesteading lifestyle. She stayed busy with various crafts including all kinds of puzzles, Painting ceramics with friends at Your Creative Space, making macramé plant baskets, cross stitching and just about any other fabric based crafting that she could find.

She was a devoted member of First United Methodist Church in Eaton Rapids, where she enjoyed deep fellowship and Faith with her granddaughter

Annabelle every Sunday. Above all else, Deborah was love. She loved all of God's creatures.

Deborah is survived by her sons, Chris Fulger and Jason Fulger; grandchildren, Annabelle and Hunter Fulger; her mother, Rosemarie "Cookie" (Willis) Banks; siblings, Marti (Don) Straub, Brian (Cindy) Banks, Sue Thompson, and Rose (Aaron) Jenkins; and several nieces, nephews, and extended family. She was predeceased by her father, David Russell Banks in 2017.

Friends are encouraged to support Deborah's family by attending services or sharing memories on her Tribute Page at www.prayfuneral.com. Visitation will be at Pray Funeral Home in Charlotte on Friday, November 4 from 6-8 p.m. and Saturday, November 5 from 2-4 p.m. Funeral services will be at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 6 at First United Methodist Church in Eaton Rapids with Pastor Melany Chalker officiating. The funeral will be webcast so you may watch it from any computer, smartphone, or mobile device that has internet access. Go to www.prayfuneral.com, click on Deborah's tribute, then click on Photos and Videos from your computer (or Media from your smart phone). If desired, the family suggests memorial contributions be made to a locally based domestic violence support group known as EVE which stands for End Violent Encounters. Donations can be made to their website www.eveinc.org. We also ask that funeral attire be purple since that is her favorite color as well as the color that represents domestic violence. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 4. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W Seminary St
Charlotte, MI 48813

Visitation

NOV 5. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Pray Funeral Home
401 W Seminary St
Charlotte, MI 48813

Memorial Service

NOV 6. 2:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church Eaton Rapids
600 S. Main St.
Eaton Rapids, MI 48827

Tribute Wall



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Webcast in memory of Deborah Ruth Fulger



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - November 06, 2022 at 12:01 PM



“ Pray Funeral Home, Inc created a Tribute Video in memory of Deborah Ruth Fulger



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - November 03, 2022 at 05:52 PM

GB

She sure was a beautiful SOUL , she will be miss by all that knew her .

Gail Bartlett-Southward - November 05, 2022 at 09:59 AM

JA

“ You will be missed dearly. Thank you for being our friend. You were like family to us. My heart goes out to all in the family.



James - November 06, 2022 at 01:14 PM

BC

“ Barb Campbell lit a candle in memory of Deborah Ruth Fulger



Barb Campbell - November 05, 2022 at 11:49 AM

JS

“ Chris & Jason, Annabelle & Hunter...
I had the pleasure of working closely with Deb at Westrock for 11 years and I can truly tell you that she loved you all so very much! She took great pride in talking about each and every one of you with a certain glow about her during these conversations. She was an extremely hard worker and very pleasant to work with. I know you will always have wonderful memories of your mother/grandmother. She will always be with you!
~Julie Spitzley



Julie Spitzley - November 05, 2022 at 10:56 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.*



November 05, 2022 at 10:17 AM



“ *To Debbie's family I remember years when we were young , the thing that our family did thing together. Also I worked years with her . Our parents were good friends mine being Dan And Esther Bartlett . Wished they lived a lot longer they passed so young . Our parents where great friends even joyed camping and cards spending time together. I remember riding horse that was great . Debbie will be miss and please ride in to the sunset my friend until I see you. Gail Coats,Turner , Southward.*

Gail Bartlett-Southward - November 05, 2022 at 10:15 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.*



November 04, 2022 at 07:37 PM



“ 66 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Pray Funeral Home, Inc. - November 03, 2022 at 05:49 PM



“ *Nick Christy lit a candle in memory of Deborah Ruth Fulger*



Nick Christy - November 03, 2022 at 02:06 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.*



November 03, 2022 at 02:02 PM

WO

“ *WestRock - Accounting Operations purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.*



WestRock - Accounting Operations - November 03, 2022 at 12:38 PM

MF

“ *My sympathies and deepest sympathies go out to the family of Deborah Fulger during this very difficult time.*

Michael Frezell - November 03, 2022 at 10:59 AM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.*



November 02, 2022 at 12:04 PM

PB

“ *Peggy J Badgley lit a candle in memory of Deborah Ruth Fulger*



Peggy J Badgley - November 01, 2022 at 06:24 PM

PB

Last year I lost my mom and although Deb and I lost touch, when I came home from the cemetery beautiful flowers were waiting on my doorstep. That act of kindness made my heart smile. I hope you smile forever!

Peggy J Badgley - November 01, 2022 at 06:32 PM

PB

Almost forgot this part, Deb and my mom have the same birthday.

Peggy J Badgley - November 01, 2022 at 06:34 PM



“ *Prayers and deepest condolences to the family*



Dawn Erbe Hull - November 01, 2022 at 12:47 PM

VA

“ *I worked with Debbie for years at Fasco in Eaton Rapids, she was always such a wonderful, kind person who always had a smile! Defiantly will be missed, many hugs, prayers & love to all of her family. God gained an angel.*



Valerie L Anderson - October 31, 2022 at 08:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Deborah Ruth Fulger*.



October 31, 2022 at 03:51 PM



“ *Julie Rice lit a candle in memory of Deborah Ruth Fulger*



Julie Rice - October 31, 2022 at 02:39 PM



“ *Erin Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Deborah Ruth Fulger*



Erin Kennedy - October 31, 2022 at 12:48 PM



“ *Chad & Carol Walker lit a candle in memory of Deborah Ruth Fulger*



Chad & Carol Walker - October 31, 2022 at 12:38 PM

DC

“ *Debbie was one of my first friends when I moved to Charlotte in Feb. 1977. We shared so many good times together along with Karen Stanton Larkin and Michelle Bugbee Kempf. Such a beautiful lady inside and out. Loved out chats in Wal-Mart the past few years. She is greatly missed!* ”

DeAnna Hancock Clark - October 31, 2022 at 12:29 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.* ”



October 31, 2022 at 03:20 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.* ”



October 30, 2022 at 01:38 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.* ”



October 29, 2022 at 10:16 AM

JB

“ I worked with Deb in Lansing for the last few years. From the first moment I met her we clicked. No matter what was going on she still managed to keep a smile on her face and could make you smile. She had strength that I admired and looked up to. Not a day will go by without thinking about her. You will terribly missed Deb. Prayers and deepest condolences to the family.



Jennifer Braman-Odowd - October 28, 2022 at 12:30 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.



October 28, 2022 at 09:52 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Deborah Ruth Fulger.



October 28, 2022 at 07:43 AM

AJ

“ I worked in Eaton Rapids at a company with Debbie for several years and always whenever you came in contact with Debbie you would get a smile, then words would be exchanged and laughter followed. I would like to express my very deepest sympathy to her family and friends.

Alice Jordan - October 28, 2022 at 07:07 AM