



Debbie Knack-Simpson

May 16, 1955 - October 26, 2019

Debbie Knack-Simpson, 64, of Okoboji passed away at her home in Okoboji on October 26, 2019.

Private graveside services for Debbie will be held at a later date at the Jefferson Cemetery in Jefferson, IA.

Debbie was born on May 16, 1955 in Spirit Lake to George and Beverly (Rohovit) Knack. She graduated from Pratt School of Individual Instruction in 1973 and then earned her certification as a CNA at Iowa Lakes Community College.

She was united in marriage to Ivan Simpson in 1985 at Gull Point State Park. To this union 2 children were born, Sarah and Adam. After the couple separated, Debbie moved to Okoboji.

Debbie was a homemaker and from time to time she would work in the lakes area as a waitress, housekeeper, and did light work at the Cenla Campground and Americinn.

In her free time, she enjoyed crafting and working on art projects. She was a wonderful cook and excellent piano player.

Left to cherish her memory are her children Sarah (Brent) Brekke of Bondurant, IA and Adam (Tasha) Simpson of Spirit Lake; grandchildren Landon Brekke, Lane and Lukas Simpson and her mother Beverly Knack of Okoboji.

She was preceded in death by her father and her sister Penny Knack.

Tribute Wall

GB

“ Greg & Dee Baloun lit a candle in memory of Debbie Knack-Simpson



Greg & Dee Baloun - October 31, 2019 at 11:08 AM

DW

“ My sympathy to Debbie's Children and Mother. .



Deb Wilcox - October 30, 2019 at 11:20 AM

SD

“ Susan DeMuth lit a candle in memory of Debbie Knack-Simpson



Susan DeMuth - October 28, 2019 at 11:28 PM

 Sonya Johnsen

“ Deb and I were friends from the 70's. She was always a good friend. Even if we didn't see each other for long periods of times it was always like good friends talking just like the old days! She was always fun to talk to. I will miss her. Rest In Peace my friend... 🥺🙌
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Sonya Johnsen - October 28, 2019 at 11:52 AM

NR

“ *Nancy Rickman lit a candle in memory of Debbie Knack-Simpson*



Nancy Rickman - October 28, 2019 at 10:57 AM

MD

“ *Michele Dyhrkopp-Shortley lit a candle in memory of Debbie Knack-Simpson*



Michele Dyhrkopp-Shortley - October 28, 2019 at 10:39 AM

MD

“ *My deepest sympathy to Bev, Sarah and Adam for the loss of Debbie. I have know her since she was 13 . She was a very nice person may she rest in peace*

Mary k Donovan - October 27, 2019 at 09:32 PM

MR

“ *My sympathy goes out to Bev and Debbie's children. Prayer for your comfort.*

Marjorie Roelofsen - October 26, 2019 at 08:55 PM