



Loretta Schweitzer

August 14, 1960 - November 18, 2015

Loretta C. Schweitzer, age 55, of Spencer, passed away Wednesday, November 18, 2015, at the Spencer Hospital. She was born on August 14, 1960, in Chattanooga, TN, to Robert and Francis (Scarborough) Keith.

Loretta graduated from Burroughs High School in Ridgecrest, CA, in 1978. She worked as a manager at Sprouse-Reitz in California from 1978-1985. She also worked in the billing department at the hospital in Ridgecrest and as the business office supervisor at the Spirit Lake Hospital. Most recently, she worked as a HR generalist at Northern Iowa Die Casting in Lake Park. In recent years, Loretta attended ILCC and earned her A.A. Degree in Accounting.

On December 18, 1993, Loretta was united in marriage to Michael Schweitzer at the United Methodist Church in Ridgecrest, CA.

Loretta enjoyed movies and music, reading books, anything Disney, traveling, especially to Key West, snorkeling, and bicycling.

Loretta is survived by her husband, Michael, of Spencer; daughter, Sarah Schweitzer of Spencer; sister, Annetta (Scott) Petrovich, of Ridgecrest, CA; brother, Robert Lee Keith II of South Carolina; and father, Robert Lee Keith I, of Ridgecrest, CA. She was preceded in death by her mother, Francis;

grandparents; and mother-in-law, Deloris Schweitzer.

A memorial service will be held at 1:30 P.M., Monday, November 23, 2015, at Hope Church in Spencer. Visitation will begin at 12:00 P.M. until service time at the church. Following the service, cookies and refreshments will be served at the church.

Tribute Wall

CW

“ *Loretta Schweitzer*

Carie Woodstock-Newman - January 10, 2016 at 01:08 AM

KM

“ *Loretta Schweitzer*

Kimberly Martindale-Noble - December 03, 2015 at 07:02 PM

DW

“ *Mike & Family, Sorry for your loss. Your in my thoughts and prayers*

Deb Wilcox - December 02, 2015 at 01:19 PM

CM

“ *we are so sorry prayers to the family*

clarence and sarah mitchell - November 21, 2015 at 07:47 AM

HF

“ *thoughts and prayers goes out to he family Loretta was a really nice lady I enjoyed working with her I always was teasing her every time I came in the office for something she always had a smile on her face rest in peace Loretta you will be missed*

harold shear and family - November 19, 2015 at 10:17 PM

SO

“ *Mike and family; Thoughts, prayers, and sympathy to you. It was always great to come into the office and give her a rough time.*

Steven Olson - November 19, 2015 at 08:48 PM

JC

“ A great lady is physically gone but will forever be remembered as not only a great co-worker but a wonderful person with a heart of gold. Mike and family you are in my thoughts and prayers

Julie Christenson - November 19, 2015 at 08:04 PM

DR

“ Loretta Schweitzer

Diana (Grossardt) Rodriguez - November 19, 2015 at 05:25 PM

BH

“ Thoughts and prayers to Mike and the family. She will be missed.

Betsey Heuer - November 19, 2015 at 04:33 PM

KR

“ My favorite memories will always be how much she got down on our level and played when we were all kids... Do you remember Ashley when she would come to visit and play chase with us through Grandma and Grandpa's house? Or how she would actually get into those tiny, blue plastic pools with us LOL?

Kristen - November 19, 2015 at 03:25 PM

JH

“ Heaven has gained one heck of an angel.....we have lost an awesome coworker and friend.....she may be physically gone but Loretta will always be alive in our memories.

Jeanie Hawn - November 19, 2015 at 11:56 AM

RS

“ *Bob and I are so sorry to hear about Loretta passing away. Just know you are all in our prayers!*

Robert & Teresa Smith - November 19, 2015 at 08:39 AM

BW

“ *Loretta Schweitzer*

Bev Wittler - November 19, 2015 at 06:20 AM

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“ *Loretta Schweitzer*

Bev Wittler - November 19, 2015 at 06:10 AM

BS

“ *We spent a summer together with Aunt Lou and Uncle Leonard. We saw Apollo 11 blast off with the first men to walk on the moon. Was a magical summer.*

bruce Scarborough - November 19, 2015 at 01:55 AM

AK

“ *Early this morning my aunt lost her battle with cancer... this woman taught me the electric slide, told me countless stories about how my dad was growing up, she never told me happy birthday but instead sang it to me every year when she would call.. she was smart and strong and had such an amazing attitude even when she was sick and feeling horrible. I'm very grateful to have had this amazing person in my life and it pains me to know I'll never see her again. Auntie lou lou we will miss you.*

Ashley Keith - November 19, 2015 at 12:54 AM

CW

“ *Loretta Schweitzer*

Carie Woodstock-Newman - November 18, 2015 at 08:11 PM

DW

“ *My sympathy and prayers to Mike & Loretta's Family.*

Deb Wilcox - November 18, 2015 at 06:13 PM

CS

“ *Loretta Schweitzer*

Cheryl shear - November 18, 2015 at 06:07 PM

CS

“ *Loretta Schweitzer*

Cheryl shear - November 18, 2015 at 06:03 PM

MI

“ *We are sorry to hear that Loretta is gone. There are many of us with fond memories, and feel her loss deeply. Mike, please accept our most sincere condolences.*

Milt - November 18, 2015 at 05:44 PM

GC

“ *Mike and family. So sorry to hear of Loretta's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Gloria Christenson - November 18, 2015 at 10:05 AM