



Deborah Page Short

August 22, 1951 - January 26, 2024

Deborah “Debbie” Page Short, passed away peacefully surrounded by her family on Friday January 26, 2024. Debbie was born August 22, 1951, in Alexandria, Virginia, the daughter of James Garrison Jewell and Margaret Virginia (Patterson). She was the youngest of 8 siblings.

Debbie grew up in Manassas and graduated from Stonewall Jackson High School. Throughout her lifetime, she held several jobs and her most recent job was with the Fairfax County Animal Shelter where she retired. She cared deeply for her co-workers and was a champion of animals who needed kindness.

She had three children, Michelle, Jason (Erin) and Ashley (John). Debbie was a loving and devoted mother, who did everything she could for her children. She was passionate about being involved in her children’s lives and enjoyed attending their activities and sporting events. She showed and taught her children about unconditional love and made sure they knew how much they were loved.

Debbie was blessed with 6 grandchildren, Preston, Payton, Camden, Paige, Cooper and Abigail. She showed that same unconditional love for her grandkids. They became the center of her life, anyone that talked with Debbie would be sure to get an update on her grandkids. She enjoyed nothing more

than being a grandmother and spoiling them.

Debbie had a passion for life and generosity for everyone she ever met. She was full of life and always willing to give a hug to show her kindness. Her smile and personality would light a room up and put a smile on any face. Even if you only met her one time, she left an impression.

She was beautiful, caring, kind, fun, loving, and will be missed so much. She set an example for all of us to follow.

She is now reunited with her parents in heaven and will look forward to the day we meet again. Until then, we know she is driving around in heaven with her convertible top-down listening to music.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 3. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall

LL

“ Absolutely, the sweetest, kindest, loving and caring lady. I was blessed to know and spend time in High School together. She was talented in so many ways, she loved her family, children, and her friends, i cannot remember seeing her many times when she was not smiling, truly a beautiful lady that I wastruly blessed to know. Heaven has gained another Angel. Sorry i am so late, we have been in Florida for two weeks, Just got back today. So sad to see this news. God Bless her Children and her entire family always. She will be greatly missed.



Lester M Leonard - February 10, 2024 at 07:27 PM

AM

“ Michelle, Jason and Ashley we are so sorry for your loss. We have wonderful memories of your mother and she will be missed.
Love
AC and Dee.



AC and Dianne Murray - February 04, 2024 at 06:37 PM

SC

“ I'll never forget Debbie, she was a riot to work with at the animal shelter and very motherly to everyone who worked there.



Siobhan Chase - February 04, 2024 at 09:54 AM

BF

“ Brett F. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Deborah Page Short.



Brett F. - February 04, 2024 at 08:13 AM

GM

“ Graham M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deborah Page Short.

Graham M. - February 03, 2024 at 10:28 PM

VK

“ Vernon and Nancy Kincheloe purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Deborah Page Short.



Vernon and Nancy Kincheloe - February 02, 2024 at 06:00 PM

VK

“ Vernon and Nancy Kincheloe planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deborah Page Short.

Vernon and Nancy Kincheloe - February 02, 2024 at 06:00 PM

CS

“ I remember Debbie very fondly from my volunteering in the cat room of the Fairfax County Animal Shelter many years ago. I always enjoyed talking with Debbie who was friendly and welcoming and cared deeply for the well-being of the animals. My sincerest condolences to Debbie's family and friends at this sad time.
Cindy Stewart

cindy stewart - February 02, 2024 at 01:35 PM

AM

Please accept our deepest condolences for your loss.

AC and Dianne Murray - February 03, 2024 at 01:54 AM



“ Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Deborah Page Short.



February 02, 2024 at 11:19 AM

LW

“ Lynz & Dale Humphries & Betty Whittemore purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Deborah Page Short.



Lynz & Dale Humphries & Betty Whittemore - February 01, 2024 at 06:27 PM

AV

“ *Deborah was such a kind person. She will be missed. Anna Vrana* ”



Anna Vrana - February 01, 2024 at 03:02 PM

KF

“ *Karen Diviney, former director, FCAS purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Deborah Page Short.* ”



Karen Diviney, former director, FCAS - February 01, 2024 at 01:01 PM

BH

“ *Brooke Hoover purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Deborah Page Short.* ”



Brooke Hoover - February 01, 2024 at 09:13 AM

ES

“ *Earl & FCPD Wildlife Section planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deborah Page Short.* ”

Earl & FCPD Wildlife Section - January 31, 2024 at 09:14 AM

ES

“ Earl & FCPD Wildlife Section purchased the *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* for the family of Deborah Page Short.



Earl & FCPD Wildlife Section - January 31, 2024 at 09:14 AM

DF

“ Doug Jewell & Family purchased the *Arrive in Style* for the family of Deborah Page Short.



Doug Jewell & Family - January 30, 2024 at 09:57 PM

DE

“ I have known Debbie since she was a child running around the house. We reconnected through Facebook several years ago. She was a beautiful and loving person who will be missed. See you before too long kiddo!

Diane Eisman - January 30, 2024 at 07:13 PM

JA

“ Joseph A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deborah Page Short.

Joseph A. - January 29, 2024 at 07:06 PM

DT

“ David Shall, Ron Kerrigan & the CK Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deborah Page Short.

David Shall, Ron Kerrigan & the CK Team - January 29, 2024 at 03:21 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Deborah Page Short.



January 29, 2024 at 03:21 PM

FT

“ Ford Global Safety Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deborah Page Short.

Ford Global Safety Team - January 29, 2024 at 01:59 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Deborah Page Short.



January 29, 2024 at 01:59 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Deborah Page Short.*



January 29, 2024 at 01:57 PM



“ *Mike & Andrea Vencak purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Deborah Page Short.*



Mike & Andrea Vencak - January 29, 2024 at 01:47 PM



“ *Condolences to your family...Jeff, Roxanne and Jeffrey Bunn*



Bunn Family - January 29, 2024 at 01:46 PM



“ *John & Suzie Good purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Deborah Page Short.*



John & Suzie Good - January 28, 2024 at 08:36 PM

JG

“ *Debbie always celebrated life and added flare to our lives! We now celebrate your incredible journey in heaven ❤️*



John Good - January 28, 2024 at 08:35 PM

DB

“ *Michelle, Jason, Ashley and all of Grandma Debbie's grandkids. You know our thoughts and prayers are with you. I know you can find a little comfort knowing Grandma Debbie is in Heaven driving a brand new convertible with the top down and it probably has those crazy eyelash headlights. We love you all so much. Mawmaw and Gramps Berger*

Don Berger - January 28, 2024 at 06:53 PM

BG

“ *I knew Debbie from 6th grade til high school graduation and on Facebook. It was apparent how much she loved her kids and grandkids. She will be missed.*

Brenda Gard - January 28, 2024 at 04:48 PM

AM

Please accept our deepest condolences for your loss .

AC and Dianne Murray - February 03, 2024 at 01:58 AM

AM

Please accept our deepest condolences for your loss.

AC and Dianne Murray - February 03, 2024 at 01:59 AM



“ Love Mary Z planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Deborah Page Short.

Love Mary Z - January 28, 2024 at 02:40 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deborah Page Short.



January 28, 2024 at 02:40 PM