



Deborah Lynn Hardin

February 11, 1956 - December 17, 2017

Deborah Lynn Hardin, 61, of Searcy, died Sunday, December 17, 2017. She was born February 11, 1956 in Searcy, Arkansas to Edward and Juanita (Johnson) Hardin. Deborah is survived by her mother, Juanita Hardin; son, Terrence Berry of Chicago; daughter, LaMonika Bannister and husband, Anthony of Philadelphia; grandchildren, Corah, David and Mikaylah Bannister; brothers, Edward Hardin, Jr., Keith Hardin and Steve Hardin; nephews, Michael Edwards and Jordan Hardin; and nieces, Taya Hardin and Tamara Hardin-Belton. She was preceded in death by her father, Edward Hardin; brother, Raymond Hardin; and sister, Judy Hardin. She attended Searcy High School and went on to Arkansas State University earning a degree in Sociology. Post College, Deborah moved to Chicago where she started a family and raised her two children, while working at the American Library Association. She moved to Atlanta, GA after 20 years in Chicago, and after 5 years in Atlanta she moved to Philadelphia. She was dedicated to serving her community. While living in Philadelphia she volunteered at a local church giving food to those in need. She also worked for the University of Chicago National research center conducting field studies on social issues. She moved back home to Searcy in 2011 where she worked as a substitute school teacher, a volunteer for the National CASA Association, and served on the Searcy Tree board. She was planning a run for city council prior to her passing.

Visitation will be Tuesday, December 26 from 12-2 with funeral service to follow at 2pm, at the Powell Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will be at White County Memorial Gardens.

Tribute Wall

AB

“ *ADDIE BANKS lit a candle in memory of Deborah Lynn Hardin*



ADDIE BANKS - January 03, 2018 at 10:24 AM

BS

“ *B.Mitchell Station sent a virtual gift in memory of Deborah Lynn Hardin*



B.Mitchell Station - December 26, 2017 at 03:14 PM

MC

“ *Michael Caldwell lit a candle in memory of Deborah Lynn Hardin*



Michael Caldwell - December 26, 2017 at 03:11 PM

KC

“ *Kiara Caldwell lit a candle in memory of Deborah Lynn Hardin*



Kiara Caldwell - December 26, 2017 at 03:05 PM

PM

“ *Patreicia Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Deborah Lynn Hardin*



Patreicia Mitchell - December 26, 2017 at 03:01 PM

DC

“ *Donna Caldwell lit a candle in memory of Deborah Lynn Hardin*



Donna Caldwell - December 26, 2017 at 02:55 PM

LG

“ *Lynne Greene sent a virtual gift in memory of Deborah Lynn Hardin*



lynne greene - December 26, 2017 at 01:19 PM

LG

“ *Lynne Greene lit a candle in memory of Deborah Lynn Hardin*



lynne greene - December 26, 2017 at 01:18 PM

GS

“ Greg, Shelia, and Star purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Deborah Lynn Hardin.



Greg, Shelia, and Star - December 24, 2017 at 10:59 AM

BR

“ Deborah was always a light in this dark world. Praying for all of you

Becky Rudesill - December 23, 2017 at 01:30 PM

WF

“ May God Bless And Comfort You All During This Time Of Sorrow.
KEEP GOD FIRST AND TRUST HIM, NO MORE PAIN . GOD WILL
TAKE CARE OF DEBRA . STAY STRONG.

WESLEY" PEEWEE" FORD

WESLEY (PEEWEE) FORD - December 22, 2017 at 11:49 AM

SJ

“ Blessings to entire Hardin family.
Sarah Bowman Jamison



Sarah Jamison - December 21, 2017 at 01:06 PM