Deborah "Debby" Ann Gresham

March 20, 1950 - September 13, 2021

Debby Gresham, 71, transitioned into Heaven on September 13, 2021 in Chapel Hill, NC. She was surrounded by loved ones. Debby was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend to so many.

Debby was born to parents Dell and Evelyn Scott in Charleston, WV. She graduated from Marshall University in 1973 and was a teacher at Teays Valley Christian School for before retiring in 2000. In 2020, Debby and her husband moved to North Carolina to be closer to family.

Debby loved the Lord and served Jesus with her whole heart. She loved birds, traveling, her church families (The Summit Church in St. Albans, WV and Trailhead Church in Graham, NC). She was a legendary baker. Many claimed she made the best pies in the world. Debby always looked forward to the fall season, and she enjoyed decorating her home for Christmas with her husband. Debby was a competitive game player – whether it was cards or board games, she wanted to win! Debby's greatest joy was living for Jesus and serving her family through prayer and encouragement.

Debby is survived by her husband of 50 years Hamm Gresham of Elon, NC; her two sons Jeremy Gresham and wife Kristin of Strawberry Plains, TN and Joshua Gresham and wife Anna of Gibsonville, NC; grandchildren Madison, Mason, Caedmon, Cohen, Colton, and Carly; brother Dell M. Scott and wife

Dorothy; and many nieces and nephews.

Services will be held at Chapman Funeral Home (3941 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane, WV). Visitation will begin at 8:30am, followed by a funeral service at 9:30 am. The graveside service will begin at 11am at Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens (5233 Rocky Fork Rd, Charleston, WV).

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be sent to Teays Valley Christian School.

You may visit her tribute page at ChapmanFuneralHomes.com to share memories and offer condolences to the family.

“All praises belong to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. For he is the Father of tender mercy and the God of endless comfort. He always comes alongside us to comfort us in every suffering so that we can come alongside those who are in any painful trial. We can bring them this same comfort that God has poured out upon us.”
2 Corinthians 1:3-4 (The Passion Translation)

Chapman Funeral Home, family-owned and located at 3941 Teays Valley Road, Hurricane is honored to serve the Gresham family.

Cemetery Details

Tyler Mountain Memory Gardens

5233 Rocky Fork Road
Cross Lanes, WV 25313

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **18**. 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home Hurricane
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Funeral Service

SEP **18**. 9:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

Deborah "Debby" Ann Gresham

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM

MG

Hamm, we love you and Debby so much. We are praying for you all. She will be missed greatly. ❤️

Misty, Andy, Isaiah and Gage - September 17, 2021 at 08:46 PM

MH

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Misty, Andy, Isaiah and Gage Holtzman - September 17, 2021 at 08:41 PM

CS

My heart is broken for you all and my thoughts and prayers will be with you today and for the days to come. I think of so many memories.. the smiles, love and laughter. A surprise birthday lunch Debby was a part of...our boys growing up as friends. I'm a better person because of this family who shared values with everyone. Heaven is shining with her smile. I can honestly say that Debby was one of the very best people I have ever met. Love you all!

Christie Skinner - September 17, 2021 at 12:20 PM

LG

Love Charlie, Sue, Pete and Gabriele purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Deborah "Debby" Ann Gresham.

Love Charlie, Sue, Pete and Gabriele - September 17, 2021 at 11:15 AM

TS

Such a sweet loving person. We could talk forever about teaching school and how to help those children . So happy to have known her since our teens. My heart ❤️ will be with all of you. Much love , Theresa & Richard

Theresa Greaham Spelsberg - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM

SL

Debby touched so many lives in the very best way. I'm grateful I got the chance to know her. I will keep each of you in my prayers. I pray God comforts you in the way only He can until you are reunited.

Shannon Zamberlan Louk - September 17, 2021 at 09:59 AM

RS

Debby taught my children in school and was a wonderful blessing of God. The Steadman family grieves with the Gresham family. May you be blessed and comforted knowing how much she was loved.

Rosemary Steadman - September 17, 2021 at 09:26 AM

NS

Hamm, Jeremy, Joshua and family,
My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Debby has been a loving inspiration to all. I am thankful to have known her, laughed with her, talked with her and most of all felt love from her. She will be greatly missed, but we will see her again. Love to all of you.

Nicki Skinner-Wood - September 17, 2021 at 09:00 AM

MG

Hamm, Jeremy, and Josh,

Debby was such a lovely person. I will miss chatting with her at our annual dinners. She always made me laugh. Please know that you are all in my prayers and I am here if you need anything.

Much love and prayers,

Margot

Margot Gresham - September 17, 2021 at 07:58 AM

MG

Hiromi, Matthew and I send our condolences and love. I'm sorry we can't be there with you. Mark Gresham

Mark Gresham - September 17, 2021 at 06:49 AM

Ever Upward Bouquet was purchased for the family of Deborah "Debby" Ann Gresham.

September 16, 2021 at 09:51 PM

YF

Your Trailhead Family purchased the Heavenly S entiments Spray for the family of Deborah "Debby" Ann Gresham.

Your Trailhead Family - September 16, 2021 at 09:38 PM

JC

Hamm and family, John and I were so saddened to hear the passing of Debbie, our thoughts and prayers are with you during this most difficult time. We feel so blessed to have had the privilege of being neighbors with you and Debbie. She was a special lady. May your precious memories be with you through the days and weeks ahead . May She Rest In Peace . 🕊️

John and JoAnn Cosco - September 16, 2021 at 04:44 PM

TS

Teays Valley Christian School purchased the Rai nbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Deborah "Debby" Ann Gresham.

Teays Valley Christian School - September 16, 2021 at 03:27 PM