



Cynthia Ellen Falkenstein

January 24, 1957 - August 29, 2017

It is with great sadness that the family of Cynthia Ellen Falkenstein announces her passing after a short illness on August 29, 2017 at the age of 60 years. Cindy will be lovingly remembered by her husband of 41 years, Daniel Falkenstein and their children, Jacob (Andrea), Andy and Ryan (Sierra). She will also be fondly remembered by her grandchildren Emilee, Hanna, Haylie and Colton; her Mother, Linda Smith; her Sister, Patricia (Jerry); her brothers, Steve (Fran), Mike (Elvia) and David (Patty) and 12 nieces and nephews and almost-adopted children that she inspired.

Cindy was predeceased by her Father Melvin E Smith and Step Father Kenneth Ramage.

Cindy was born on January 24, 1957 in Placerville (HangTown) California. She spent her childhood years growing up in small communities all over California and spent some time in Oklahoma. Her dad worked for Federal Highways and the family lived along the Klamath River most of her childhood. She graduated from Clovis High School in 1975. While spending a summer with her sister in Somes Bar, she met a boy and promptly told her Mom at the end of that summer that she was going to marry that boy.

On June 26, 1976, she married Daniel Falkenstein. She and Dan had three sons and she supported them in anything they did while growing up. School, Scouts, sports and even after they moved out on their own, Cindy was the anchor of our family, keeping unruly kids and husband in check when necessary. Her main occupation was a domestic engineer which she

performed exceedingly well and if that was not enough work she also helped manage the family business, from bookkeeper to gopher to laborer.

Cindy loved horse and back country camping with family.

Her laughter was infectious and her kind and gentle nature will always be remembered.

She will be greatly missed by all and her love and inspiration will be with us forever.

We love you Cid, rest in peace.

Funeral Services, in memory of Cindy, will be graveside on Saturday, September 9, 2017 at 1:00 pm at Happy Camp Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Happy Camp Cemetery

Happy Camp, CA 96039

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP 9. 1:00 PM (PT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ We are so sorry for your tremendous loss Dan. Our heart goes out to you, your family, and friends. Keeping you in our thoughts. Much love.

Jim, Joyce & Taylor Jo Hammon - September 15, 2017 at 01:41 AM

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“ Lorna Blackford Warren purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Cynthia Ellen Falkenstein.



Lorna Blackford Warren - September 08, 2017 at 12:12 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ellen Falkenstein.



September 07, 2017 at 07:24 PM

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“ Susan McCarthy purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Cynthia Ellen Falkenstein.



Susan McCarthy - September 06, 2017 at 10:31 PM



“ *Lindsey Falkenstein lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Ellen Falkenstein*



Lindsey Falkenstein - September 06, 2017 at 10:28 PM



“ *Will miss our Reno trio's , pizza night's, and talks at the post office, catching up on kids & grandkids always so much fun. Love the smile.*

CAROL - September 06, 2017 at 04:48 PM



“ *I will miss her smile, her laughter, and our roadside conversations.*

Karen Derry - September 06, 2017 at 02:16 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ellen Falkenstein.*



September 06, 2017 at 10:22 AM

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“ Thanksgiving...Cindy's pies, I can still see her pinching the crusts ever so perfectly, while kids, and adults, ran in and out of the kitchen. "Close the door.!" She was always the last one in the dimly lit kitchen, loading the dishwasher. Of all my memories of her, spending the Thanksgiving holiday with her remains one of my favorites. She loved her family and her home and she will always be a presence with them. It's said that people come into your life for a reason, and I am forever grateful that Cindy came into mine. May your memories of Cindy bring you peace and comfort in the days to come. Much love, Ilene

ilene falkenstein - September 06, 2017 at 02:04 AM

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“ Dan and family, she was a joy to be around and her laugh was infectious. She always was kind and spoke good of everyone. I loved that lady and so saddened for your family. From the McLane family <3

Toni McLane - September 05, 2017 at 11:51 AM