



## Lynn Ann Hibshman

January 7, 1953 - February 26, 2021

Lynn Ann Hibshman was born in Attleboro, Massachusetts to Paul and Shirley Surprenant on January 7, 1953. She passed away on February 26, 2021.

She was baptized as one of Jehovah's Witnesses on July 16, 1977 in New Brunswick, Canada. Lynn would snowshoe several miles from her cabin in Colorado so she could attend Christian meetings and share her Christian hope with all those needing comfort and hope. She took a warm, personal interest in everyone she met, especially the young ones in her community.

Lynn married Nathan Hibshman on February 16, 1980 in Paonia, Colorado. She spent over 30 years as a ranch wife, working cattle alongside her husband and often feeding ranch workers on ranches in Paonia, Colorado, Wikieup, Arizona, New Cuyama and Yreka, California. After spending some time in Crescent City, Orick, and Happy Camp, California, she spent two years working for Siskiyou County Transit, driving the transportation bus from Happy Camp to Yreka. Her personal interest in her passengers endeared them to her. Lynn never knew a stranger. Her love for animals was shared with her daughter, Bobbie Jo, and they enjoyed caring for barnyard animals of many kinds. She enjoyed gardening and canning her own food on her woodburning cookstove. Her exceptional knowledge of plants and trees was impressive. There were few plants and trees that she could not name.

Lynn was preceded in death by her parents and her brothers, Herman and Paul Surprenant. She is survived by her husband of 41 years, Nathan Hibshman of Yreka; a daughter, Bobbi Jo Hibshman of Greenville, California; and her sister Judy (Mark) Deslauriers of Sandwich, Massachusetts.

Lynn believed in the Bible's promise of a resurrection from the dead to a paradise earth during Jesus' Millennial rein. Jesus' promise that "the meek shall inherit the earth" was dear to her heart (Matthew 5:3). Lynn will be greatly missed by those that knew her and loved her, but surely not forgotten.

A memorial will be held by video conference on the Zoom app on April 17, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. If you would like to attend, please call or text (530) 905-1874 for the ID number.

# Tribute Wall

TS

“ Love you my sweet cousin!! We cannot wait to see you again and hear your laugh in the new system. Until we meet again you are forever in our hearts!

Tara Benson & Marie Surprenent - April 17, 2021 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ Nathan and Lynn were used by Jehovah to bring me much needed comfort when I was going through some very difficult personal trials. It will be nice to see her finally get her reward. See you in the new system my dear sister.

Mike Dunning - April 13, 2021 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ Nathan and Lynn were always nice to me. We had mountain oysters after the cattle branding and a refreshing swim in the water tank. I look forward to seeing her again. Darrin Kirschenmann

Darrin - April 12, 2021 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ We are very sorry for your loss. We have known Lynn since 1977 in Caribou, Maine when She and I were both new to northern Maine. She loved creation and loved spending time outdoors as they say up here. I regret not spending much time outdoors with her. We enjoyed being in the ministry with her, even on Zoom just prior to her passing away. Lynn always kept things lively and interesting, We look forward to seeing her again soon in Paradise. Love Laurie & Steve Byram

Laurie & Steve Byram - April 11, 2021 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ *Our family is truly sorry you have had to experience the pain of the loss of a loved one . May Jehovah comfort your family .. Tyrone & Shelly Long*

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**Shelly Tyrone Long** - April 07, 2021 at 12:00 AM