



Marcia Churchill

September 1, 1938 - March 7, 2017

Marcia Churchill, born September 1st 1938, was the thirteenth dove to Berry E. and Nina M. Boston. A lively young woman, she grew up in the railroad town of Roseville California, with two older brothers, Berry and Ernest. She began in a nursing program at Chico State University, when she met the handsome young Jerry Churchill, whom she married two years later on August 24, 1958. Marcia and Jerry lived their first two years together in San Francisco California, at which time they moved to their life long home of Yreka, California. Happily their children soon followed, Julie, Belinda and Tres Churchill.

Marcia was a longtime volunteer, not only for Siskiyou General Hospital Inc. but also for Fairchild Medical Center board, FMC foundation board and surgery liaison. She brought cheer and enthusiasm to Share the Magic each December. She served on the State Auxiliary board for many years. Other volunteer activities covered St. Mark's Episcopal Church teaching Sunday school, altar guild and as a challis bearer. Recently she helped pass the very useful Measure H funding for Yreka Volunteer Fire Department.

She loved to spend time at her second home in Lake Tahoe, California, where she had been a summer resident her entire life. She loved the summer season in Tahoe City, partaking in local activities such as fishing, boating, skiing, pickleball, and socializing with relatives and old friends from childhood. Marcia and Jerry were passionate about travel and went cross country in their motorhome multiple times finally landing in Surprise, Arizona as snowbirds.

Marcia was most passionate about the arrival of her nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren. They were the loves of her life. From her first to her last, her enthusiasm never waned. She adamantly remembered them at all holidays. Her attendance at sporting events, graduations, horse and pig shows, dance recitals, and birthdays was without question. Charissa, Micah, Stefan, Hannah, Travis, Jonah, Alexis, Chase, Faith Anne, Jaxon and Judah were her pride and joy.

The adventure of being married for fifty-eight years led Jerry and Marcia through many happy ski trips to Bend, OR and Sun Valley, ID and Europe were highlights.

Marcia was a bright star in everyone's life. She never met a stranger that wasn't a friend. When asked how much she was owed for her generousities she'd say, "A dollar, six-eighty and a can of peaches," with a glint in her eye. Marcia returned to her Maker peacefully surrounded by her family on Tuesday, March 7, 2017. She is survived by her husband, Jerry Churchill, daughters Julie and Belinda, son Tres and their families, also, numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. She will be sorely missed.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, March 13, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. in the L.D.S. Church on Miner St. in Yreka. Burial will follow in the Evergreen Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude's Ranch for Children, www.stjudesranch.org or 200 Wilson Circle, Boulder City, NV 89005; St. Jude's Research Hospital, www.stjude.org or 501 St Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105; Fairchild Medical Center Foundation, 444 Bruce St., Yreka, CA 96097 or Saint Barnabas Episcopal Church, 701 Lassen Ln, Mt Shasta, CA 96067 Mt. Shasta, CA 96067.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

Top of Evergreen Lane
Yreka, CA 96097

Previous Events

Funeral Service

MAR 13. 11:00 AM (PT)

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
1001 W. Miner Street
Yreka, CA 96097

Tribute Wall



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marcia Churchill.*



March 12, 2017 at 12:25 PM



“ *Marcia always popped into my office when she came into the bank. She always had a shot to take at the pack of squirrels in the White House. We fixed The worlds problems regularly. I missed seeing her when I retired. She loved to talk about what was happening with her family and Tahoe. My deepest sympathies to all of her family. Loved that lady!! Tracy Louie*

Tracy Louie - March 12, 2017 at 11:34 AM



“ *Joy Carter lit a candle in memory of Marcia Churchill*



joy carter - March 11, 2017 at 05:49 PM

LC

“ *I'm so sad to hear of Marcia's passing. Growing up, she was like a second mother to me. I was actually looking at old pictures last week and came across one of her at my wedding. I have so many great memories of her and Belinda and the whole family. My heartfelt sympathies go out to Belinda and all of the family. Take care and God bless.*

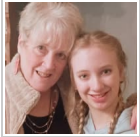
Lori Carlson - March 11, 2017 at 02:58 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Marcia Churchill.*



March 10, 2017 at 08:21 PM



“ *We will miss you in the neighborhood Marcia! Sincere condolences to the family.*

Les and Laurie Helsley

Laurie Helsley - March 10, 2017 at 07:32 PM

JC

“ *1 file added to the album New Album Name*



joy carter - March 10, 2017 at 05:07 PM

JC

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joy carter - March 10, 2017 at 04:33 PM

JC

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Joy Carter - March 10, 2017 at 04:31 PM

JC

Marcia's 10th birthday and Marcia and Joy at about 10 & 11

joy carter - March 11, 2017 at 05:48 PM



“ *Mrs.Churchill will always be in my hart... as a kind and compassionate loving mother and beloved business woman that was always in the down town walking whether it be to the bank or just for lunch with her friend and a huge part of the history of our little Town of Yreka and the mother of my dear friend Belinda and her siblings... I hate that it seems like this is a time in our lives that we at our age are starting to loose parents ... Thank you for crossing my path Marcia I am truly blessed to have had you in it no matter how small it may have been... Heaven has a new angle... Loving prayers to you and your family Love Sarah & Bobby Killingsworth*

Sarah Killingsworth - March 10, 2017 at 11:16 AM

TH

“ *She will be missed , she was one of the sweetest lady's there*

terri hoyt - March 10, 2017 at 08:45 AM

KH

“ *Kathryn Burchfield Handshy lit a candle in memory of Marcia Churchill*



Kathryn Burchfield Handshy - March 10, 2017 at 07:46 AM

RH

“ *My most sincere condolences to Jerry and Family, Marcia will be truly missed.*

Rose Aseltine Harris - March 09, 2017 at 10:15 PM

MV

“ So sorry to hear this news. Such a sweet sweet lady! I got to know her when I worked at Fairchild Medical Center. She always went the extra mile! My prayers and thoughts are with her friends and family.

Marilyn Vasey - March 09, 2017 at 07:44 PM

NP

“ Marcia has been a special friend since we were little girls. Our parents were good friends, and we lived just "around the corner" from each other in Roseville. When I decided to transfer to Chico State, she made sure I had a spot in the same boarding house. Every once in awhile, I would receive a phone call from her, which was always a long and welcome chat catching up on our shared friends. Her infectious smile and laughter will be missed, but Heaven has a special angel.
Nancy Willeford Poe



Nancy Willeford Poe - March 09, 2017 at 07:34 PM

NA

“ She will truly missed around Yreka. Always smiling and so nice to everyone she met.

Naomi - March 09, 2017 at 06:52 PM

PD

“ My deepest felt sympathy for Jerry and children. Marsha always showed so much kindness to our family while we lived in Yreka. She always seemed to be on the move at full speed ahead at everything she was involved in. I know she will be sorely missed by everyone .
Pat DeVault and family

Pat DeVault - March 09, 2017 at 06:07 PM