



Sheila Lynn Schmitt

December 31, 1972 - July 6, 2019

Sheila Schmitt, of Williston ND passed away at her parents' home in Glendive, MT, July 6th 2019 at the age of 46 years old, surrounded by close family, succumbing to metastatic breast cancer after a brave, six-year fight.

Sheila Schmitt is survived by her parents Jerome and Louella Schmitt of Glendive, MT, her husband Matthew Schonert of Williston, ND, her son Anthony Mann of Williston, ND, Anthony's significant other Sally Selensky, her son Christopher Mann of Williston, ND, her daughter-in-law Jenna Mann, her sister Sherry Schmitt-Newman, Brother-in-law Darren Newman, of Lake Elmo, MN, and many nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts and uncles. Sheila is preceded in death by Michael Mann, the father of her children.

Sheila Schmitt was born on December 31st, 1972 in Wabasha, MN. Sheila grew up in Durand, WI, where she graduated from Durand High School in 1991. She married Michael Mann in 1991 who enlisted in the Navy. Sheila moved to Chicago, then San Diego after high school where her first husband was stationed. Sheila's two children, twin boys, were born in 1995, in San Diego, CA, where they were raised until they were 2 years old. She and her family then moved to Glendive, MT, where Sheila worked for Dawson County Veterinary Clinic. In 2004 she moved to her final home in Williston, ND. Sheila separated from her first husband in 2007, and in 2008 Sheila welcomed her second husband Matthew Schonert into her family, whom she considered her soul mate for the last 12 years of her life.

Sheila was a kind, passionate, and funny person, described by many as the

light of their day. She worked for Williston Public Schools since 2007, and as the head secretary of Williston Middle School since 2008. Sheila had an especial passion for music and nature. Her favorite past times were listening to music, playing music trivia, camping and sightseeing tours through Nature and National Parks, especially Yellowstone, which Sheila called her favorite place in the world. She will be missed by all who knew her.

Sheila's wishes were for a private close-family viewing only, without a funeral service, after which she was cremated. Sheila and her family would like to thank all who helped support Sheila through her fight, especially her co-workers of Williston Public Schools who provided numerous fundraisers, the nursing staff of the Leonard P Nelson Cancer Center, her oncologist Dr. Shin Yin Lee, and the Hospice team of Glendive Medical Center.

Condolences can be offered as a comment on Sheila's Facebook page where a public post has been made or at www.silhafuneralhomes.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Sheila Lynn Schmitt*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Sheila Lynn Schmitt.*



July 15, 2019 at 11:14 AM



“ *Sheila has forever changed my life. I will see her in the morning sunrise. Her beautiful blue eyes sparkled when she would talk about her wonderful sons and her love Matthew. We had alot of laughter, tears and life in the office of the WMS and those memories will always be dear to me. Sheila you will be missed by so many and loved more than you know. Forever in my heart love your Terrabeara.*

Terra Ellingson - July 10, 2019 at 12:52 PM



“ *Shelia was such a positive person to work with. She was always ready with a smile, calm demeanor and a willingness to help staff and students alike. My deepest sympathies to her family and friends during this difficult time.*

Deb Roel

Debra J Roel - July 10, 2019 at 09:41 AM

LO

“ Want to send our condolences to the family of Sheila and also the boys Anthony and Christopher. So sorry for your loss. Mike and Lily Bradley

Lillian Olson(Bradley) - July 09, 2019 at 06:39 PM

TB

“ Condolences to Shelia's family' prayers

Thomas Biles - July 08, 2019 at 09:41 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Sheila Lynn Schmitt.



July 08, 2019 at 08:01 PM



Amy Lokken

“ My deepest, deepest sympathies to all. I have such wonderful memories of Sheila during our high school days and the couple times of running into her when back in Eau Claire over the years. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers. Rest in Peace Sheila. Love and Hugs, ~Amy (Fodie) Lokken

Amy Lokken - July 08, 2019 at 05:18 PM

JP

“ Lou and Jerry along with family we are so sorry our prayers are with you take care

John and Judy Parr - July 08, 2019 at 05:03 PM

IC

“ My name Is Ira Compton, a Williston Middle School Teacher. Sheila told me she was going to care for me, when I transferred to the Middle School in 2016. She really did take care of me, as a co-worker, and a friend. I think she was GREAT! She made me laugh when I came in the office. She will always be the caring person, who liked to assist her coworkers and friends, at our school!!
God Bless and God's Speed Sheila
Ira

Ira E Compton - July 08, 2019 at 05:01 PM

BT

“ Lou and Family I'm so sorry for your loss! May she rest in peace and Love!
Becky Tipton

Becky Tipton - July 08, 2019 at 04:50 PM

SN

“ "Nothing Gold Can Stay" God chose the most golden person to enter his Kingdom. Sending prayers , hugs and comfort.

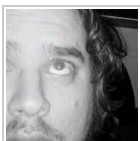


Stephanie Nicholson - July 08, 2019 at 04:30 PM

JT

“ My deepest condolences to the family.

Jeffrey Thake - July 08, 2019 at 01:18 PM



“ Love you forever Sheila. Miss you so much.

Matt Schonert - July 08, 2019 at 07:52 AM



I'm so glad Sheila had you by her side. She always made me feel loved, wanted and needed at WMS. She was truly a blessing to know. My prayers for comfort are with you all.
Francesca

Francesca Scott - July 08, 2019 at 04:33 PM

AB

I worked with Sheila. I gave the office staff stress balls that were balls of sunshine. She was our schools ball of sunshine. She always put a positive spin on things with a smile. Sympathy to the family.

Ann Breslin - July 08, 2019 at 05:06 PM