



Debra Ann Sumner

January 20, 1968 - December 18, 2021

Debra Ann Sumner, age 53, of Dublin died, Saturday, December 18, 2021, at her home. She was born in Virginia on January 20, 1968 to the late Eston and Orpha Ratcliff Linkous. She is also preceded in death by a brother, Jackie Linkous. She is survived by her husband, Archie Sumner, sister-in-law, Virginia Linkous. Funeral service will be conducted Wednesday, December 22, 2021 at 2:00 pm in the Fairlawn Church of God with the Pastor Marcus Harrison officiating. The family will receive friends from 1-2:00 pm prior to the service at the church. Arrangements by McCoy Funeral Home, Blacksburg.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Cemetery

501 S. Franklin Street
Christiansburg, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **22**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Fairlawn Church of God
7858 Peppers Ferry Blvd.
Fairlawn, VA 24141

Funeral Service

DEC **22**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JW

“ I am deeply saddened to hear about Debbie’s passing. She was a wonderful colleague and I’m grateful our lives intertwined. Sending my prayers for peace and comfort. I will miss her. Jennifer White, Radford University

Jennifer White - December 21, 2021 at 06:55 PM

ST

“ Archie, hearing of this breaks my heart. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Steven Worrell

Steven - December 21, 2021 at 12:22 PM



“ I am in shock having just read the email from Radford University. Since the merger from Jefferson College to Radford University Carilion, I have emailed with Debbie so many times about invoices that had been approved and ready for payment. Had never seen her face but felt like I knew her. She was always kind and patient as I was learning how to use a new system for payments and orders. Debbie, may you have a wonderful Christmas celebrating Jesus' birthday with Him in heaven. My heart just aches for her family.



Lisa Graves
Administrative Assistant
Clinical Health Professions
Radford University Carilion

Lisa Graves - December 21, 2021 at 12:22 PM

JD

“ *Debbie I am so sorry to learn of your unexpected passing. I am sending prayers for your husband and family. Thank you for all your help at the office. Your confident and steady guidance will be greatly missed. I am sure you are spending Christmas in heaven. Rest In Peace.*

Joni Dadras - December 20, 2021 at 09:36 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss....you are in my prayers.. Debbie was always so helpful when we dealt with invoices at work. I was shocked to hear of her passing. In an email I received from her on Thursday, she wrote, "If I don't talk to you again, have a happy holiday."*

Peggy McCue - December 20, 2021 at 04:40 PM

SL

“ *Thoughts and Prayers. Debbie, we rode the same bus all through school. You were so kind and helpful to me when I was at Radford University. With deepest sympathy,*

Sheri Witten Light

Sheri Light - December 20, 2021 at 03:48 PM

AD

I just can't believe Debbie is gone.I remember her as a little girl when me and Jackie was first married she was so sweet we would bring her up to our place.It hasn't been long since we talked on the Phone.Well Debbie you will have to watch over your nephews from heaven now.We all love you and will miss you sister in law .My heart goes out to Archie and family.Sending prayers.

Annie Darnell - December 21, 2021 at 02:59 AM

LG

“ *Debbie I'm in shock. I just talked to you Thursday at work. You were always so kind and helpful to me. I will miss talking to you, but I know I will see you again in Heaven. I pray for peace and comfort for all of Debbie's friends, family, and fellow coworkers. Fly high my friend and we will catch up one day soon.*

Laura Gibson - December 20, 2021 at 03:06 PM

AS

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Archie Sumner - December 19, 2021 at 06:53 PM

LG

love these pictures. I'm so very sorry for your loss. Your wife was an wonderful person whom I will miss.

Laura Gibson - December 20, 2021 at 03:08 PM

SL

Thoughts and Prayers for you and your family. Debra was a wonderful and Kind person. I went to school and rode the bus with her. Debra worked in payables when I was at RU.

Sheri Light - December 20, 2021 at 04:00 PM

DH

Archie and family so sorry for your loss, Debbie was such a kind person and always loved to cook. She was always posting things on our facebook page that she had cooked. Precious in Church.

Donna Hager - December 20, 2021 at 05:38 PM

AL

Archie and Family, I am so sorry for your loss. Debbie was such a nice person. So humble and sweet. I will remember you all in my prayers.

Arthur Lewis - December 21, 2021 at 10:06 AM