



Lynette Wasden

December 31, 1953 - August 9, 2018

Lynette Thornton Wasden of Orem, Utah returned to her Heavenly Father on August 9, 2018 surrounded by her loving family.

Lynette was born in American Fork, Utah to Lynn and Marie Thornton on December 31, 1953.

Lynette was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and friend. She was the life of the party, humorous, full of joy, loved unconditionally, genuinely cared for everyone, and her laughter was the most contagious laugh around.

With having all boys, she learned to have extreme patience, was the 'team mom' at many sporting events, quick-witted with a little bit of sarcasm, and a peacemaker.

Lynette had many talents and hobbies. Some of her favorites were cooking, service, crafting, anything Christmas, and most importantly her family.

Lynette graduated from Pleasant Grove High in 1972, she went to Utah Technical College at Provo for her LPN in 1974 and finished her nursing degree at Weber State University and received her R.N in 1985. She attended University of Phoenix and attained her B.S.N in 2010. She worked for 45 years as a nurse and served the Utah county area the entire time. She mostly cherished her time working on the rehab floor where she was able to spend quality time with her patients and see them progress from one of their hardest trials in their life. She loved every place that she worked and would talk about the people she worked with the highest regards.

She received many awards and certificates ranging from faithful attendance to the Royal Order of the Paw from Weber State and many other awards from work. She strived to be the best at whatever she could and always taught her family the same.

She is preceded in death by her parents and her brother John Thomas Thornton (Tom).

She is survived by her sweetheart Russell Wasden, her children David Wasden, Michael (Ashlee) Wasden, and Chris (Erin) Wasden, 9 grandchildren: Koby David Wasden, Alexis Kay Wasden, Rylie Lynn Wasden, Braydon Heath Wasden, Kylee Marie Wasden, Teagon Zachary Wasden, Hailee Lynn Wasden, Ryder Michael Wasden, Bridger Russell Wasden, her siblings Gary (Jennifer) Thornton and Sherri (Lynn) Minchey, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral Services will be held Thursday, August 16th, at 11:00 am, at the Aspen 6th Ward, 1546 North 1100 West, Orem, Utah, where a Viewing will be held prior from 9:00 to 10:30 am. Interment in Orem City Cemetery.

Funeral Directors: Utah Valley Mortuary.

Cemetery

Orem City Cemetery

1520 North 800 East

Orem, UT, 84097

Events

AUG **Viewing** 09:00AM - 10:30AM

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Aspen 6th Ward

1546 North 1100 West, Orem, UT, US

AUG **Funeral Service** 11:00AM - 12:00PM

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Aspen 6th Ward

1546 North 1100 West, Orem, UT, US

Comments



“ I grew up living across the street from Lynnette, husband and three boys in Orem in the mid 80s. I was friends with David and spent a lot of time with her wonderful family. Lynnette was an angel from God. I don't know why I thought of the Wasdens recently because I haven't seen them in 35 years but I thought of them out of the blue and did some poking around on the internet before stumbling upon this sad news. I wish her family the best and cherish the memories I have of her growing up as a neighborhood mom.

Chad - November 19, 2018 at 06:23 PM



“ So very sorry to hear of Lynnette's passing! I didn't find out about this until today and so I will not be able to make it to the funeral tomorrow, but I will forever wish I had known sooner so I could have. Having known her in her younger years more so than the older ones, I've enjoyed the relationship we had as cousins. I haven't had the opportunity to meet any of her children, but am sure that they reflect her goodness and I send my condolences! Most recently I had her on my facebook page and enjoyed her posts, but regret the fact that I did not take the time to private message her and reconnect that way after so many years. A learning moment for sure, if you have a thought to act upon, do it! I will now not have the opportunity to speak to her in this life. I am very sorry I have let that slip by me! From what I do know, she was a wonderful person!

And to Gary and Sherry...I am so sorry for yet another loss for you! Memories and thoughts of long ago are precious!

May God be with each of you who are so closely connected to her!

Love to all,

Cosette (Cozy) Rasmussen

Cosette Rasmussen - August 15, 2018 at 06:44 PM



“ I worked with Lynnette in the Rehab unit. We both got into Stamping and would spend great times scrapbooking and stamping. She was a true friend. Loved her guts!!

Kimberly Syme - August 15, 2018 at 02:57 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of Lynette's passing. I had the opportunity to work with and learn from her in Revenue Integrity. She is an amazing person and will always hold a special place in all our hearts.

Bradley B. - August 15, 2018 at 01:27 PM



“ David, Michael, & Chris, and Russel, Know that your mom was and is a wonderful loving, kind happy person. She loved her boys very much. She was proud of all the wonderful good things you have accomplished. We knew you better than you know us. She worked with your mom on the Rehab unit for many years. She was the most compassionate person we ever met. We used to go to lunch with her every quarter. Some times, after Carolyn Schultz, Els-Britt Johnson and I would have attended a session at the temple. Wesley Whitby and your mom would join us to eat and share our lives. We would tease her about when she went to the Temple we would all be there with BELLS on, as we knew that is where she belonged. We will truly miss her, laugh, smile and the way she always found the good in others. My heart and Love go out to all of you.
Wilma Carlsen, Payson, Ut.

Wilma Carlsen - August 14, 2018 at 12:31 PM



“ What a sweet woman! She was always so kind to our family and I loved that. Have really fond memories of "Survivor Night" at her house, and those amazing Peanut Butter-Chocolate balls she would always make at Christmas time. Condolences to Russ,
Dave, Mike, Chris and your families. Will really miss our wonderful Aunt Lynette.

Gary Thornton - August 14, 2018 at 10:58 AM



“ I went to nursing school with Lynette and worked with her some at American Fork Hospital. I will always remember her sweet smile and how much she loved her boys. So sorry to hear about her passing, and send my love and condolences.

Ann Topham - August 13, 2018 at 12:44 PM



“ A wonderful woman. Lynette had problems with her knees and had a hard time walking, but when we first moved across the street from here 23 years ago, Lynette was out with her boys shoveling everyone's walks. This is just how she is, and always will be, happy, loving, caring, believing in our Savior. God bless her family here and where she is. Our Savior is taking care of her.

Michael Thompson - August 12, 2018 at 01:49 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Russel and his family at this time of great sorrow. We have many fond memories of Lynette when her family would come to Canada for family reunions. We will treasure these times always for she was a wonderful person. With deepest sympathy.
Doug and Cheri Crowe and family.
Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, Canada

Doug and Cheri Crowe - August 11, 2018 at 06:44 PM



“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this very sad time. We had so many fond memories of Lynette spent at family reunions in Canada. thoughts and prayers at this time.
Bonnie and Garth Fowler and family.

Bonnie Fowler - August 11, 2018 at 06:25 PM



“ Oh how I wish I was in Orem right now instead of Houston. I can't get back to come to the viewing or funeral in time. Lynette was a light in my life during high school at PG. She was always so sweet and kind to me and all who were around her. I was so glad that we both enjoyed Thespeans so we could get to know each other. It was a blessing to have her in our Amway successline for a time. I was thinking of her in July while in Virginia and then did not follow up when I returned--that is something Lynette would not have done. Sending my love and prayers for you all. May God bless you with sweet memories of life with your mom and grandmother. My friend she will always be and I look forward to feeling her presence now and seeing her in the eternities. Love, Cecile Jackson Thomas

Cecile Thomas - August 11, 2018 at 12:51 PM



“ I am so sorry to see that Lynette has passed away. Our families were friends from the time we were little kids. Thinking and saying prayers for you all.
Sharon Moore Chidester

Sharon Moore Chidester - August 11, 2018 at 09:03 AM



“ Very sorry to hear this. I grew up with her. Love and prayers to her family.

Linda Moore Gross - August 11, 2018 at 08:10 AM



“ Trudy Thompson lit a candle in memory of Lynette Wasden



Trudy Thompson - August 10, 2018 at 07:10 PM