

The Changing Scene

*Take heart O grieving soul
The reels beneath this blow,
For joy awaits this one who's gone
That living men cannot know.*

*A heavenly chorus of angels
Is singing a song sweet and fair,
And God's mansion resounds with their music
As they welcome her home over there.*

*No more will our hearts know her laughter
No longer on earth will she roam,
She touched us all with her goodness
Now God has called her home.*

Marion E. Lobaugh

In Loving Memory Of



Debbie Houtchens

1967 ~ 2024

Debra Marie was born on July 11, 1967, in Stockton, California to Don Lee and Charlene Faye (McNutt) Houtchens. She spent her formative years in California and graduated from Lincoln High School with the Class of 1985, later attending Delta College. She moved to Altus for a brief time in 2005 but returned to her roots in the sunshine state. Debbie moved back to Oklahoma in 2016, first to Blair, then to Altus where she resided until her untimely passing. She enjoyed taking the dogs to the park, going to church, and talking and spending time with family. She was a lover of classic rock and praise and worship. Debbie was the life of any conversation and get together. Her laughter was infectious when she watched her fur babies playing and when she goofed around with family. Debbie was described as kind, loving, optimistic, and determined. Those attributes were evident in her personal goals of obtaining a motorcycle license, personal trainer certification, and her accomplished steps in Celebrate Recovery and the recovery principals. Debbie's most prized honor was being a mother and grandmother. Debbie passed away August 19, 2024, at her home in Altus at the age of 57. Her adventurous love will be missed by all that knew her.

Debbie is survived by her children, Jennifer Hartman and husband, Corbin, Jeffery Morris, and Myles Connor; grandchildren, Charlie, Scottie, and Pennie; parents, Don and Charlene; siblings, Jeffery Houtchens and wife, Carrie and Donna Houtchens and husband, Dennis; two nieces and two nephews; dogs, Mylo and Harley; cats, Momma Cat and Papa Cat; and many other family and friends.

Debra Marie "Debbie" Houtchens

July 11, 1967 - August 19, 2024

Service

2:00 PM

Tuesday, August 27, 2024
Kincannon Memorial Chapel
Altus, Oklahoma

Officiant

Chaplain Erin Martinez

