



Devona L. Sever

October 3, 1959 - March 15, 2021

Devona L. Sever, age 61, of Kearney, passed away Monday, March 15, 2021 at her home. A Celebration of Life Service will be 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 23rd, 2021 at the Eustis Fair Building in Eustis, Nebraska with Chaplain Lonna Grabenstein officiating. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Please visit www.hlmkfuneral.com to leave a tribute or message of condolence. Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services in Kearney is in charge of arrangements.

Devona Lane (Richardson) Sever, 61, was born on October 3, 1959, to Melvin and Betty (Fields) Richardson. Devona was raised in Dupree, SD and graduated from Dupree High School in May 1977. Devona married Lamont "Monty" Sever on May 30, 1980. They resided on the Sever Ranch south of Dupree raising registered Charolais cattle. The family moved to Eustis, NE in May 1993. While living in Eustis, Devona worked at Nebraska State Bank in Cozad and then as the business manager at Eustis-Farnam Public Schools. In 2005, Devona and Monty moved to Kearney where Devona worked at Platte Valley State Bank and Bruning Bank. Devona took great pride in her career and was noted as an exceptional team player by her colleagues.

Devona was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother. Her children and her "little angels", as she called her grandchildren, made her very proud in all their accomplishments. Devona's notoriously tidy and welcoming home was full of cherished treasures made especially for her by her loved ones. In her free time, she delighted in hearing and telling jokes, playing cards and Words With

Friends, reading, crocheting and spending time with family and friends. She was selfless, loving, strong, and kind. When it came to her family, she gave it all. Devona was beautiful inside and out. She poured out love, demonstrated incredible strength, and was an inspiration to all.

In November 2019, Devona was diagnosed with ALS and braved the progression of this disease with grace and dignity until she passed away on March 15, 2021.

Left behind to mourn her passing are her husband, Monty Sever, and children, Barry and wife Somer Mraz of Cozad, NE; Ryan and wife Jacqueline Mraz of Sutherland, NE; Tanya and husband Kip Holbrook of Livingston, MT; Megan and husband Jerad Hutchens of Platte, SD; and Tell and wife Ryan Sever of Eustis, NE. Also, her grandchildren, Morgan and Cody Mraz; Rylee and Jeremiah Mraz; Dallas, Aubrey and Sam Weitzel and Ava Naylor; Erik, Ariel and Elvee Hutchens; and Paisley Sever. Her sisters, Dondra (Bob) Menzel of Dupree, SD; Debbie (Mike) Burgee of Black Hawk, SD; her brother, Larry (Pam) Richardson of Fayetteville, AR; her step-mother, Pam Richardson, of Siloam Springs, AR; mother-in-law, Connie Sever of Dupree, SD; Aunt, Verla (Hollis) Barker of Lincoln, AR; Uncle, Ron (Eva) Fields, of Washington, AR; and many cousins, nieces and nephews.

Devona was joyfully met inside heaven's gates by her parents, Melvin and Betty Richardson. Also gone ahead are her father-in-law, Dallas Sever, her grandparents, and many dear aunts and uncles, family members and friends.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

MAR **23**. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Eustis Fair Building
110 East Allison Street
Eustis, NE 69028

Tribute Wall



“ *Devona L. Sever*

January 29, 2023 at 11:14 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 22, 2021 at 10:10 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 22, 2021 at 09:51 AM



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 21, 2021 at 09:50 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 20, 2021 at 11:08 AM



“ *Nebraska Brand Committee purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



Nebraska Brand Committee - March 19, 2021 at 04:49 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 19, 2021 at 03:22 PM



“ *Tanya and family, I wanted to share my condolences. You are all in my thoughts and hope you find comfort in your memories you have of your mother.*



Cassy Kvasnicka - March 19, 2021 at 11:23 AM

JK

“ *Joelle, Danielle, Bobbie & Kristi purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



Joelle, Danielle, Bobbie & Kristi - March 19, 2021 at 10:49 AM

BC

“ *Thoughts and prayers to the Sever and Richardson family. We will miss & remember Devona's smile: that will strengthen you in the coming days & nights.*
Sincerely, Betty Carmody

Betty Carmody - March 19, 2021 at 10:25 AM

MR

“ *Mike & Melinda Russman purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



Mike & Melinda Russman - March 19, 2021 at 09:21 AM

PS

“ *So sorry for your loss. Devona was a wonderful person. Friend to all she met. I met her through Platte Valley Bank, as a customer. God Bless all your family , Patty from Sumner*

Patricia Stevens - March 18, 2021 at 12:02 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.



March 18, 2021 at 11:40 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.



March 17, 2021 at 08:36 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses* was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.



March 17, 2021 at 04:01 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.



March 17, 2021 at 02:26 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 17, 2021 at 02:15 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 17, 2021 at 01:06 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 17, 2021 at 12:10 PM



“ *Treasured memories of this beautiful women. She will forever be my sweet and loving little cousin.*

Maddie Balk - March 17, 2021 at 11:12 AM

MC

“ *Much love ~ Joel, Claudine, Josh, Tori & Cal purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



Much love ~ Joel, Claudine, Josh, Tori & Cal - March 17, 2021
at 10:53 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 17, 2021 at 01:33 AM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 16, 2021 at 10:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Devona L. Sever.*



March 16, 2021 at 10:52 PM