



Donita Kuhn

March 14, 2017

Donita Kuhn, 64, passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, March 14, 2017. She was born and raised in Gooding, Idaho, the daughter of Donald and Frances Kuhn.

She attended college at Idaho State University earning her Bachelor degree in Business Administration. She had a successful career in healthcare finance for over 40 years. Family, traveling, gardening, sewing, reading, and the arts were just a few of her interests.

Donita will be lovingly remembered by her father, Donald Kuhn of Gooding, sisters, Faye (Quay) Marshall of Buhl and Janice (Jim) Jacobson of Gooding; by her treasured and adored nieces Christina (Kelly) Siwachok, Danielle (William) Link, Jennifer (John) Acha, and Janell (Devin) Omvig and nephews Jeremy (Olivia) Jacobson, Justin Jacobson, Jimmy (Victoria) Jacobson, Joshua Lehigh, and Caleb Marshall; great nieces Aleisha, Alyssa, Dallie, and Kylee and great nephews Mason, Trevor, Matthew, and Hunter.

Donita was preceded in death by her mother, Frances Kuhn, and sister, Susan Lehigh.

A graveside service will be held in Gooding, Idaho, on Wednesday, March 22, 2017 at 1:00 p.m. at Elmwood Cemetery. Friends and family are then invited to a memorial service on Friday, March 24, 2017 between 12:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. in Salt Lake City, at Gardner Village – Archibald's Gear Room. We invite you to join us in remembering the joy and friendship that Donita brought into this world.

In lieu of flowers, consider memorial donations to Primary Children's Hospital or American Heart Association. Condolences may be left in Donita's online guestbook at www.serenityfhs.com or www.demarayfuneralservice.com. Arrangements are under the care and direction of Serenity Funeral Home of Utah.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

MAR **22**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (MT)

Elmwood Cemetery
Gooding, ID

Memorial

MAR **24**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (MT)

Gardner Villiage- Archibald's Gear Room
1100 West 7800 South
West Jordan, UT 84088

Tribute Wall



“ *Donita Kuhn*

October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM



“ *Donita was a work colleague, but most of all a special friend for several decades. We worked together to solve many problem and laughed a lot in the process. She was my go to person for any financial question. You will be dearly missed my friend.*

Jan Boyer

Jan Boyer - March 24, 2017 at 09:54 AM



“ *I first met Donita when she was working at the Idaho Falls hospital and I was sent to help with the year end audit. Got to know her more when we were both now located at LDS hospital and I was doing budgets and she was keeping the accounting office in toe. Donita was always welling take time and explain or work through transactions or answer questions and provide directions so the accounting was done correctly. She maintained a high standard in her work but did not make any one feel small. I appreciated her help and contribution to the office, she leaves big shoes to fill at work and with her family as her family was very important to her. I hope her family know what a dear person she was and this untimely loss is a loss to many.*

Former co-worker
Susan Elmer

Susan Elmer - March 23, 2017 at 10:15 PM

SS

“ Donita was a very special person. I was among the thousands she worked with at Intermountain and I always looked forward to our interactions. She was a straight shooter who was not afraid to say what needed to be said. I know she really cared about me and my little family. Things will never be the same without her.

Steve Sokol - March 23, 2017 at 10:03 AM

DB

“ I have worked with Donita over the past 27 plus years. She was very knowledgeable in her field and I could count on her for answers. Donita is going to be missed not only for work but as a friend as well. May you be comforted with the fun memories you have of her.

Sincerely, Dana Bath Intermountain Healthcare

Dana Bath - March 23, 2017 at 07:48 AM

CW

“ I have worked with Donita for over 20 years. I loved her humor, even as we are both accountants. Who says accountants can't be funny? Donita was passionate about her work and doing what is right. Losing friends is always hard. Losing friends too soon is especially hard. Prayers of comfort for the family. Know that Donita made a difference in this world. She just didn't get to stay here long enough. I will miss her.

Charmaine White - March 22, 2017 at 01:29 PM

RC

“ Donita has always been my go to person at Intermountain for anything and everything payroll, finance, accounting etc. I can not count the times she has been my number one resource. I will miss her greatly and her valuable wealth of information over the past 30 years! I loved talking to her at meetings and catching up with her and she loved supporting Life Flight and being our number one resource for so many years!!!

Thoughts and prayers to all of her family and friends!

Robyn Campbell Intermountain Life Flight

Robyn Campbell - March 22, 2017 at 11:24 AM

SL

“ Donita was a sweet, childhood friend of mine. We grew up in Gooding. I remember her as caring, kind, funny, and smart. She will be missed by many. Thoughts and prayers to her family.

Shawnee Bishop Latimer

Shawnee Latimer - March 22, 2017 at 10:03 AM

CH

“ *Donita was always busy at work but took the time to answer the phone when I had a question or needed help. We had the occasional disagreements on ways to run accounting processes but in the end we always knew that we were strong women who wanted to make things better at work. She was the original GL queen after all and I was her predecessor. We would joke about how we shouldn't care about accounting, reports and miserable allocations yet we did care and always achieved our best. I have missed working with her these past couple of years.*

Donita, thank you for being a part of my life.

*Catherine Hammond
Former Intermountain Coworker*

Catherine Hammond - March 22, 2017 at 01:51 AM

JM

“ *We will all miss Donita. She made the world a better place.*

*Joseph Mecham
Intermountain Central Region Budgeting*

Joseph Mecham - March 21, 2017 at 01:02 PM

AL

“ *I was shocked and saddened to learn of Donita's passing. I remember when Donita came to work in the Finance Department at Intermountain back in the 80's and I've known and appreciated her friendship and great knowledge that she had. She has always been a hard worker and you knew if Donita was in charge that everything would be done right. I will miss her as I know you will and my prayer is that you all will find peace and comfort at this time of sorrow!!
Love to your family. Annette Little*

Annette Little - March 21, 2017 at 12:08 PM

RB

“ I am so saddened with the loss of Donita. She has mentored me for many years as I worked in dialysis and she with Accounting. I enjoyed our friendship and very much respect and admire her in every way. I pray that the wonderful memories you have of her will sustain you in the days and weeks to come.

*Rosemary Bennett
Intermountain Medical Center Dialysis Services*

Rosemary Bennett - March 21, 2017 at 11:42 AM



I also loved having Donita for support in my role as the Director of the Intermountain Child Development Center. I knew if I had a question that I could call Donita and she would answer her phone. She was always very helpful. She will be missed.

Kathie Anderson - March 23, 2017 at 05:25 PM

WL

“ Will miss her at the reunion always pleasant to talk to. U will be missed cus

wanda lew - March 21, 2017 at 07:50 AM

PL

“ Donita was always kind, fair, and helpful to me as I learned the Intermountain "ropes". She will be missed.

Peggy Lee - March 20, 2017 at 05:55 PM