



Denise Lynne Franks

November 9, 1959 - November 16, 2024

On Sunday, November 17th, 2024, Denise Franks, wife, mother, grandmother, and daughter passed away suddenly in her home at the age of 65.

Denise will forever be remembered by her husband of 46 years, Mike, sons Derek (Sarah), Kevin (Rose), and daughter Courtney (Curtis Hettich). She is also survived by her mother, Dottie Russell, grandchildren Joni Franks, age 11, Cal Franks, age 9, Ty Franks, age 6, and Abigail Hettich, age 4, and step-brothers Mike Kreger, Pat Kreger, and step-sister, Christie Mendes.

Denise was born on November 9th, 1959, to parents Kenneth E. Brown & Dottie L. Brown in Livermore, Ca. She was raised in Castro Valley, Ca. and attended local schools, graduating from Castro Valley High in 1977. She moved to Avenal, Ca. to live with her father in the Fall of 1977 and attend California State University, Fresno in January 1978. She met Mike during her time there and they married in August 1978. They lived there until 1987 and moved to Fresno when Mike changed careers. They relocated to Kingsburg in November 1988, where they raised their family. Denise will be remembered for her sense of humor, her skills in interior design, her gourmet cooking and baking skills, devotion to family, and her strong Christian faith.

A Memorial Service to celebrate her life will be held on Wednesday December 4th at 11:00 a.m. at Kingsburg Community Church, located at 1532 Ellis Street

Kingsburg, Ca. 93631. Memorial donations in memory of Denise can be made to Kingsburg Community Church.

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Creighton Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto www.salseranddillard.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 4. 11:00 AM (PT)

Kingsburg Community Church
1532 Ellis Street
Kingsburg, CA 93631

Tribute Wall



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