



## Deborah Lupkes

December 14, 2015

Deborah Lynn Lupkes, 60, of Houston Texas died Monday morning December 14th 2015 in her home after a courageous battle with cancer. She was the beloved wife of David Lupkes.

Debbie was born February 5th, 1955 in Houston Texas, the daughter of Mavis and Wesley Elrod. She grew up in the Houston area and attended Sunday school and Youth group at Ascension Lutheran Church where she met David. They dated thru middle and high school and married in June of 1973 after Debbie's graduation.

David and Debbie shared a love for music together and led church worship teams as well as wrote their own music and formed a few Christian bands. Debbie was a strong woman and the true heart of her family, a loving mother and even more so a wonderful and loving grandmother who loved her grandbabies with all her heart! She insisted they stay with her everyday rather than going to daycare and she kept and cared for them daily until she was physically unable to due to her illness. Still even from her chair or her nursing home room stayed a strong loving part of their lives.

Debbie was diagnosed with breast cancer in August of 2013 and began treatments. She fought strong thru treatments, a surgery, and then thru other multiple treatments for brain and lung cancer with family by her side helping her along daily until her passing on the morning of December 14th.

Debbie is preceded in death by her father Wesley Elrod and daughter Lisa

Denee Lupkes.

She is survived by her husband, David , daughter Shannon (husband Jim), son Jeremy (wife Fatima), grandsons Jordan Lupkes and Jase Hoover, Mother Mavis Elrod, Brother Ronnie Elrod (wife Karen), Sister Ronda Austin (husband Frank), step grandsons Cole Deleon and Kyle Hoover, and many nieces and nephews.

# Tribute Wall

LH

“ I am honored and blessed to have known Debbie for many years. She was truly a blessing in so many lives. Now Debbie has finally made it home! My sincere sympathy to her beloved family.

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**Lonna Holder** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ Lonna Holder lit a candle in memory of Deborah Lupkes



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FM

“ Our condolences for your loss, Debbie was an Amazing person that touched our hearts. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. The Moreno Family

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**Fred Moreno** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ I'm so sorry that this world is losing Debbie Lupkes. She was an amazing woman who taught me so much about grace, vulnerability, and the beauty of an open and true heart. She will have a special place in heaven and will always hold a special place in my

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**Lisa Guess** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ I am sorry I can not be with you all for the service. I always looked up to Debbie for the talented, fun, strong, and caring person she has always been. Hugs to Everyone.

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**Cindy Sanchez** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Dave , sorry I can't be there , I will have you and your family in my prayers . May God be with you all in this time of need !

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**Steve Bonnette** - August 08, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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BB

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