



Name: Dawn Lou Burkhard

Age: 57

Hometown: Bad Axe

Funeral Date: June 19, 2024

Date of Birth: October 21, 1966

Date of Passing: June 12, 2024

Funeral Home: **Kaufman Funeral Home**

Funeral Information

The family will receive guests for visitation on Wednesday, June 19, 2024 from 2 – 7 pm at the Kaufman Funeral Home in Bad Axe. If you wish to offer your condolences to the family. Please go to www.kaufmanfuneralhome.com

Family of the Deceased

She is survived by her husband Robert Burkhard of Bad Axe. Two children, Tiffany Burkhard of Bad Axe and Raymond Burkhard and his partner, Jodi Patrick of Lynnehaven, FL. She is also survived by her parents, Earl Vuillemot of Bad Axe and Janet Vuillemot of Bad Axe. Two brothers, Earl (Pam) Vuillemot of Elkton and Kevin (Justin Moore) Vuillemot of Greensboro, NC. Dawn is also survived by her pets, two dogs Betsy Sue and Stewart Markus, four cats Aiden, Little Mama Odie, Scarlett, and Stitch.

Biography

Dawn Lou Burkhard, age 57 of Bad Axe passed away from stage four cancer on Wednesday, June 12, 2024 at her home surrounded by loving husband and caring child. She was born on October 21, 1966 in Bad Axe to her parents Janet and Earl Vuillemot. Dawn married her husband, Robert Burkhard, in the Log Cabins Church in Bad Axe on August 4, 1990. Dawn gave birth to Raymond Burkhard in 1991 and

Tiffany Burkhard in 1994. She called them her Holiday Babies. No one who met Dawn will forget her fiery passion for her family and close friends. She had many "children" that called her mom and she embraced them all with open arms and a stern don't mess with mama bear attitude. Dawn was a well-known by many as a kind and caring individual. She was a co-owner of the Burkhard Window Cleaning business alongside her Husband. Dawn also graduated Baker College in 2017 and proceeded to have a career as a child educator. She had many special hobbies and interests such as crocheting, reading, collecting gnomes and fairies, collecting Teapots, taking pictures, and riding her bike. She loved to garden and her favorite plants were her rose bushes and Lilac bush. Dawn enjoyed traveling. Frankenmuth was her favorite place to visit. She was an avid animal lover and over the years had many pets including rabbits, dogs, cats, parakeets, and the occasional fish.