



## Helen L DeArmond

July 13, 1959 - March 15, 2019

Helen Loraine DeArmond, 59, Passed away peacefully at Central Washington Hospital from complications of an autoimmune disorder affecting her lungs. Her beloved husband Jerry McKinney and son David DeArmond were by her side on March 15, 2019. Helen was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, aunt, and friend.

Helen was born July 13, 1959 in Tacoma WA, to Marian Mathers and Joe DeArmond. Helen grew up in the Chelan valley having a great passion for gardening, canning, and cooking which was passed along to her from mother Marian and her grandma Helen. Spending the day shopping was one of her favorite ways to spend the day. Helen had an amazing acceptance about her, she would welcome and listen to anyone. She loved her family with her whole being, She had a canning sixth sense about her and would often know what her family was up to. Helen meant so much to so many people, she will be forever loved.

Helen was survived by her loving husband, Jerry McKinney of Chelan, son David DeArmond and his wife Truc Phuong Mai, aka Pink, granddaughter Ellie Mai and grandson Ryker DeArmond of Chelan, sister's Jody Ruiz and Greg Isensee of Brewster WA, and Cindy Shehee of Wenatchee WA, niece Rachel Buchanan and Blake Buchanan and great nephew Corbin Buchanan of Moses Lake, nephew Joaquin Ruiz of Brewster, and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces,

nephews, cousins, friends as well as others she made feel like family.

Helen was preceded in death by her mother, Marian Mathers, father Joe DeArmond, grandparents, Lyle and Helen Mathers.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

APR 6. 11:00 AM (PT)

Chelan Eagles  
209 E. Woodin Avenue  
Chelan, WA 98816

# Tribute Wall



“ *Helen L DeArmond*

January 29, 2023 at 08:49 AM



“ *Teresa Crandall lit a candle in memory of Helen L DeArmond*



**teresa crandall** - April 05, 2019 at 02:06 AM



“ *Laurie MacMillan lit a candle in memory of Helen L DeArmond*



**Laurie MacMillan** - April 05, 2019 at 12:32 AM



“ *Candi sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen L DeArmond*



**Candi** - April 04, 2019 at 04:45 PM

CA

*This made me think of you and your passion for your flowers and your garden. I still think I am going to see you smiling face as I turn a corner - things aren't going to be the same. I love you my friend and am certainly going to miss you.*

**Candi** - April 04, 2019 at 04:47 PM



“ *Oh my dear Helen. We are going to miss you. My girls loved you so much and were super excited to see you again. You will always have a special place in our hearts*

**Xochilt Valle** - March 29, 2019 at 02:12 PM

MP

“ *Marie Palmer lit a candle in memory of Helen L DeArmond*



**Marie Palmer** - March 23, 2019 at 10:49 AM

 Cathy Anderson

“ *Helen, you are one of the most genuine human beings I've ever known. I love you dearly. We always had a bond from the first time we met. I will miss you terribly, but will see you in eternity. I'm praying for your family who are left behind missing their most precious one....* 💜

**Cathy Anderson** - March 23, 2019 at 03:02 AM

HH

“ Wayyyy to many thoughts memories and good times to post. My heart is completely broken. Was so counting on spending our golden years together once my life settled down. I'm so grateful we had talked recently and sad we never got to fulfill our trip to Maui together. I will think of you each and every time I'm there and will talk to you every time I'm there. I ALWAYS considered you family ever since we were kids. I still have the gaurdian angel you gave me and will cherish it for ever. You will always be my angel💕💕



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**heidi huxsol** - March 22, 2019 at 09:44 PM

RC

“ Helen...I miss you more each day my dearest friend, life will never be the same without you. If I could have one wish, I would wish for yesterday with you singing some random crazy song to me, of course no one else could hear but, you knew it would stick in my brain for hours until I'd call you and say "I owe you one." Love you always, until we meet again.

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**Ruth Crowe** - March 22, 2019 at 03:31 PM

KN

“ I remember a few years ago Helen was offering rhubarb from her garden, so I took her up on it and went over to her house to get it. She took me through her beautiful garden and before I knew it I not only had bunches of rhubarb, I had all kinds of goodies to take home, including fish and sausage from the freezer! She was a very nice and generous person. Rest in Peace Helen.

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**Kelli Nickell** - March 22, 2019 at 03:30 AM



“ *Janice Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen L DeArmond*



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**Janice Brown** - March 21, 2019 at 10:51 PM

LD

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Leanne Dupuis** - March 20, 2019 at 09:31 PM

LD

*Helen was always game to dress up!*

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**Leanne Dupuis** - March 20, 2019 at 09:32 PM

JP

*Condolences to Helen's family. To a Beautiful person I have known for 55 year's. I loved you as a Sister and friend. Peace be with you Angel. God Bless.*

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**Julie Pelfrey** - March 22, 2019 at 12:55 PM

LD

“ *I can hardly imagine a world without you in it. I will always remember your heart of gold, your thoughtfulness, and caring spirit. Till we meet again.*

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**Leanne Dupuis** - March 20, 2019 at 09:28 PM

SC

“ Shannon Coe-Barnes sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen L DeArmond



Shannon Coe-Barnes - March 20, 2019 at 09:26 PM

SC

Wrapping our arms around Helen's family. Sending strength-healing hugs & prayers. Rest in Paradise Miss Beautiful. So sorry.

Shannon Coe-Barnes - March 20, 2019 at 09:29 PM

AM

“ Godspeed Helen, I will miss you

Alice Miller - March 20, 2019 at 02:40 PM

JT

“ Jan Taverner lit a candle in memory of Helen L DeArmond



Jan Taverner - March 20, 2019 at 12:04 AM

CW

“ Cheryl Williams lit a candle in memory of Helen L DeArmond



Cheryl Williams - March 19, 2019 at 11:44 PM

CW

*R.I.P. Helen..*

**Cheryl Williams** - March 19, 2019 at 11:45 PM

ND

“ *Norma Dunlap lit a candle in memory of Helen L DeArmond*



**Norma Dunlap** - March 19, 2019 at 09:00 PM

LE

*My sincere condolences to family & friends. I did not know her well...I knew her Dad, Joe DeArmond...he was entwined in our family through my Mom, Delores Smith Cox. I remember meeting Helen years ago.*

**Linda Eurto** - March 23, 2019 at 12:19 AM