



Debra Michelle Spann

February 28, 1954 - March 23, 2022

Debra Michelle Parish-Spann

Sunrise - 02/28/1954

Sunset - 03/23/2022

Debra was very loved by all who knew her from childhood through her adulthood. Born and raised in Adrian, Michigan to Robert and Harriet Parish, Debra was known for her passion for music. She was a trained Opera singer and was a part of local and state Opera Companies in Michigan and South Florida. Adrian High School, Class of 1972 and Siena Heights Undergraduate and Masters Graduate, Debra respected not only her education but also assisting young adults into understanding the importance as well. Working within the College (Adrian College and Florida International University) and High School systems (Cranbrook Kingswood) for over 20 years, Debra impacted many during this time.

Family was a big importance to her, being the oldest of 6 children, Debra known as Debbie to most, cherished the responsibility of being the big sister and carried that role to her last day with her living siblings Robin Parish (Portage, Mi) and Greg Parish (Adrian, Mi).

Debra has one daughter, Dawn Parish-Spann who many know how much she truly loved her 'Dawnie'. Dawn is married to Quincy Pierre and Quincy

became the son she always wanted. They gave Debra six beautiful grand children, Denise (24), Daishon (20), Dominique (19), Destyni (17), Qyrah (16) and JahRee (11) who all will truly miss their 'Papaw'.

Debra is preceded by her Mother Harriet (Carter) Parish (2008), Father, Robert Parish (2009), brothers Scott Parish (2020), Jeffrey Parish and Troy Parish. In addition Debra is survived by her nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, great-great nieces and great-great nephews, her family line is strong. Debra was caring and only wanted the best for everyone she came in contact with. Her smile and HUGE laugh that would light up the room will be greatly missed.

Her wishes were to have a Memorial Service/Celebration of Life in the summer in Adrian where she will always called home, June 25, 2022, additional information will be shared soon.

Tribute Wall



“ *Debra Michelle Spann*

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“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Debra Michelle Spann.*



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