



Susan Jane Davis

December 19, 2023

Susan Davis was born in Lexington, Kentucky on June 15, 1951 to William Khendale Greathouse and Jessie Lee (Greene) Greathouse and died on December 19, 2023, of congestive heart failure.

Susan grew up in East Northport, Long Island, New York. She graduated from Rider University with a degree in sociology in 1973 and obtained a master's degree in adult education from Colorado State University in 1997.

Susan worked as a Larimer County Deputy Sheriff after moving to Fort Collins, CO in 1975. She later became the manager of the Larimer County Youth Service Bureau and finished her career as a compliance monitor for the Federal Juvenile Justice Department.

Susan married the love of her life Merritt Davis in 1976 and was blessed with two wonderful sons, Jeffrey Merritt Davis and Gregory Lee Davis. Gregg married Melissa Lozano and Susan was further blessed with four beautiful, smart, delightful, fun and energetic grandchildren: Laila, Jude, Cale, and Levi. They, along with her sons, and her wonderful, loving role model Melissa, were also the loves of her life. They have brought her so much joy and love. She had a rich life.

Susan is also survived by her brother Gary (Mary), her sisters Kathy, and

Chris (Kevin) and six nieces and nephews. Her parents preceded her in death.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to the Larimer County Food Bank or to Plymouth Congregational Church.

A memorial service will be held at Plymouth Congregational Church on January 23, 2024 at 1:00 pm followed by a Celebration of Life at the Drake Center at 2:00 p.m.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 23. 1:00 PM (MT)

Plymouth Congregational Church
916 West Prospect Rd.
Fort Collins, CO 80526

Celebration of Life

JAN 23. 2:00 PM (MT)

Drake Center
802 W. Drake Rd.
Fort Collins, CO 80526

Tribute Wall

BH

“ I was so saddened to see that Sue passed away. I was a detective at Ft. Collins PD while Sue did the same thing at the Larimer County Sheriff's Office. We worked several sexual assault cases together, and attended many meetings and training sessions together. I'm not telling you anything you don't already know...she was a wonderful person, extremely bright, compassionate, talented, and fun to be with. My sincere condolences to her family. Brad Hurst. Buffalo, Wyoming.

Brad Hurst - January 04, 2024 at 07:28 PM

SG

I'm so sorry for your loss. I was so happy she wrote me and I at least got to share her uncles past with her before she left this earth. She sure was beautiful. Prayers with her family. Love Jesse Raymond Greene Jr and Susan Greene.

susan greene - January 08, 2024 at 10:09 PM

RC

My first chosen roommate in college and we graduated together! My first time ever on Long Island to meet the Greathouse family and we made curtains that summer of 1970 for our dorm room. I put the pins in. My first caravan on a semester break to see Colorado for the first time and then to meet the love of Susan's entire life Merritt, for the first time. We visited many times after she joined him upon graduation building a lifetime of family and career. And her life was good and generous to all people, And Sue was ever since our first meet, a lifetime of heartfelt, fabulous friendship and admiration for every aspect I grew and learned from knowing her with astounding gratitude throughout our lives. Sue and I share many memories together I could never forget and my life was blessed the first day for meeting her. To all of Susan's family and friends, let the joy of her life replace the deep sorrow for your loss. Rest in Peace Suzy

Robin Conover - January 10, 2024 at 07:32 PM

DE

Susan and I met in college, purely by random dorm placements that colleges do. It was a lucky happenstance, and we were fortunate to have several girls on our floor who became lifelong friends. We basically all grew up together as sassy 17- and 18-year old teenagers finding our independence.

We shared some classes, clubs and cafeteria work, then eventually moved off campus our senior year. It must be bittersweet for everyone when that life stage ends. Before she moved away, we traveled to Greece together and stayed at a hostel in Athens where we heard from other travelers that Nixon had resigned. It was a month-long trip of meeting different people and learning so many things about life.

Susan then went to Colorado, married her high school sweetheart Merritt and had two beautiful sons. Her children and grandchildren were the loves of her life. She was not only a fantastic mother and grandmother, she was also a great worker. She went from dog catcher to Investigator over her years in the criminal justice system in Colorado. She earned every success she had through her intelligence, leadership, quick wit, caring, and great intuition.

We were all so blessed to have her as our friend. I miss you every day Susan. I will love you forever and will continue to look to you for inspiration in my own life. Please keep an eye on us from your home in heaven. I'll be talking to you.

Diane E

Diane Englebert - January 20, 2024 at 03:44 PM

EA

Sue was all of the above... patient, kind, thoughtful, solidly in a friend or family member's corner, and good at accepting people just how they are and supporting the best in them. I remember a few times we got to laughing and could hardly breathe and couldn't stop, particularly on our first and only rollerblading excursion together. Always an adventurer to take a chance and do something you've never done before and aren't good at...yet.

Ellen Audley - January 23, 2024 at 08:18 PM

CM

Sue was one of the smartest, kindest people I have ever met. We have lost a remarkable woman and she will be missed. My love and prayers go out to her boys.

Cherylann Morgan - February 17, 2024 at 11:32 PM