



## Lorraine Day Cockrum

February 9, 1948 - May 6, 2020

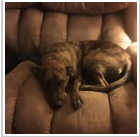
Lorraine Day Cockrum age 72, born in West Virginia, raised in North Carolina and settling in Sweetwater Tennessee lost her gallant battle with cancer on Wednesday May 6th. The former co-owner and operator of the Sweetwater, Madisonville and Athens Tennessee Sonic Drive-In's (1983 - 2010) was survived by her husband of 43 years Jim Cockrum. Lorraine loved and was loved by a large family. Surviving her are children Debra White & spouse Jerry, Sheryl Vincent & spouse Carl, Kelley Avery, Monica Beauchamp & spouse Adam, Mark Cockrum and David Cockrum & spouse Tammy. Sister's Betty Nichols & spouse Bill, Pauline Farley & spouse Steve and Jinny Herndon & spouse Don. Preceded in death by her beloved mother, two sisters and a brother. She was truly blessed with seventeen grandchildren, fifteen great grandchildren, and seven nieces & nephews as well as special friends Randy Reeves and Margaret Cockrum. At Lorraine's request no funeral will be held and her remains are to be cremated. A memorial gathering will be scheduled at a later date. As a lover of animals, especially dogs and cats she asked In lieu of flowers that donations be made to The Monroe County Animal Shelter. <https://www.monroecountyfriendsofanimals.org/> Kyker Funeral Homes, Sweetwater, in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Love you Aunt Lorraine!

Crystal Lilly Arelt - May 11, 2020 at 11:39 AM



“ Lorraine was my sister-in-law my friend and a beautiful out going person. She was always full of life and laughter. If Lorraine loved you she loved with her whole heart. She loved her children with everything she was. She was proud to be their mother. Her grandchildren were all a light in her heart. She loved them very much. It's Mother's Day and the world is a sadder smaller place without her in it. Lorraine I love and miss you very much.

Margaret Resch - May 10, 2020 at 11:18 AM

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“ I loved this lady enjoyed working with her she was an amazing person I will never forget her

Kristi currier - May 09, 2020 at 09:18 PM



“ I didn't know her very well but she made my cousin happy. You could tell by the smile on his face when he talked about her. Jim I'm so sorry for your loss you and her children are in my prayers.

Rene Marion - May 09, 2020 at 12:44 PM

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“ *Debbie W Happy Mothers Day lit a candle in memory of Lorraine Day Cockrum*



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**Debbie W Happy Mothers day - May 09, 2020 at 09:00 AM**

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*Happy Mothers Day*

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**Debbie W Happy Mothers day - May 09, 2020 at 09:01 AM**