



Elaine Barber Fuller

November 13, 1960 - April 27, 2019

Elaine Leiman Barber Fuller, 58, passed away at her home on April 27, 2019 following a lifelong struggle with juvenile diabetes. Elaine was born in Tallahassee, FL, the daughter of Oris and Patsy Barber. She attended Leon High School and worked many years as a pharmacy manager for Brown's Pharmacy in Tallahassee and later as an office assistant at the Havana Herald.

In 1982, Elaine married William F. Fuller, her true love, a teacher and coach. They later moved to Lake Tallavana in Havana, FL and enjoyed the tranquility of the lake. Elaine had many childhood friends and together they made many friendships that lasted through her lifetime.

She is survived by her father, Oris Barber, her mother's life partner, Marie Coleman, her sister, Allison Ager and her nephews, Coleman Ager, Conrad Ager and Ben Fuller, her niece, Jordan Fuller and many aunts, uncles and cousins whom she loved dearly. She was preceded in death by her husband, Bill, mother, Patsy Barber and her grandmother Merrill Dulin.

In accordance with her wishes, there will be a celebration of life at a later date. Elaine would appreciate your support to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation or the Leon County Humane Society.

Elaine met her beloved Bill at a very early age, and they were married with a small family celebration on New Year's Eve of 1982. The two were inseparable and enjoyed friendships with many. They loved to host friends and family whenever possible. In July 2016, Bill passed away and it broke

Elaine's heart.

Elaine had one Labrador, Izzy, and two kitties that she adored. These were her “fur babies” and she took great care of them. She loved going to the beach and having shrimp boils with friends and Summers spent at the family cabin in New York. She also loved the Florida State Seminoles and of course, the Lincoln Trojans.

Elaine tolerated juvenile diabetes for most of her life. She always persevered with a smile and a shrug until more recently. Her sight had become severely limited and she endured dialysis three times weekly.

Just weeks ago, she made the anguishing decision to stop dialysis and give way to her illness. Her friends and family supported her decision; however, her maker simply took her home and spared her the suffering. Elaine was a ray of sunshine to many and will be dearly missed.

Breanna Green of Bevis Funeral Home is assisting the family with their arrangements. (850-385-2193 www.bevisfh.com)

Tribute Wall

DB

“ A beautiful, sweet, loving, caring and fun soul...God Bless You Girl...I luv ya!! 🙏 See ya on the other side someday and I know yo'ure at peace and having a grand time with Bill and loved ones reunited....xxxoos! 💕🙏🙏🙏🙏💕

Debbie Belk - May 09, 2019 at 07:58 PM

LE

“ What a beautiful tribute to a beloved friend. I can see Elaine sitting with Bill now - drinking champagne, of course! ❤️

Linda Gay Ellis - May 07, 2019 at 12:13 PM

LD

Andre', of course ☐

Lisa Doxsee - May 10, 2019 at 07:18 PM

LD

“ I loved this beautiful friend! She really was a ray of sunshine! We always laughed and hugged each other so hard, very lovingly! She had the Best Loud And Awesome Contagious Laugh, I can see it and hear it now! I thank her for letting me into her world, and witnessing how truly amazing she was! Loved all the concerts we went to, beach trips and going to lunch to chit chat! The strongest woman I have ever known! Looking forward to helping plan her Celebration of Life ❤️,



Lisa Doxsee - May 06, 2019 at 08:49 PM

DW

“ I shared a lot of memories with Elaine going through middle school and high school with her living across the street being my wonderful neighbor prayers go out to you Allison and your family

Denise wenhold - May 06, 2019 at 07:16 PM

PD

“ As a high school friend and recent closer friend and neighbor of Elaine's, I can tell you that she had that beautiful smile and love for life till the very end. She would want to be remembered as a happy soul and not as someone who struggled in the end. She was so BRAVE and I was so very proud of her making her way in this world as a single woman. She missed her husband Bill so much but I know without a doubt she is with him now. Smiling and laughing. Thank you Elaine for your friendship. Love, Peggy (Dye)

Peggy Dye - May 06, 2019 at 03:21 PM

LD

Beautifully written, and all so true, Peggy!❤️

Lisa Doxsee - May 06, 2019 at 08:30 PM

DA

“ Elaine is now reunited with her much loved and missed husband, and has no pain or sorrow!

Dan - May 04, 2019 at 07:22 AM

OB

In spite of her extraordinary life-long debilitating difficulties she was always the most up-beat person at any gathering and wherever she went. Always.

Oris Barber - May 06, 2019 at 12:26 PM

PD

Mr. Barber, I am sorry for your loss, Elaine spoke highly of you and loved you dearly.

Peggy Dye - May 07, 2019 at 08:55 AM