



Dawn Hirschi Nguyen

January 31, 1957 - July 25, 2021

Dawn Hirschi Nguyen, age 64 of Kearns, Utah passed away July 25, 2021 after a short battle with cancer, surrounded by her loving family.

Dawn was born Jan. 31, 1957 in Brigham City, Utah, number 5 of 6 girls. She grew up in North Salt Lake City, Utah where she attended Davis County schools, graduating from Viewmont High School.

Dawn worked for O.C. Tanner Company, Bard Access System (where she met Tai in 1995) and most recently was the warehouse tech in shipping and receiving at Stryker Neurovascular. She was looking forward to retirement at the end of this year.

She was married to Butch (Charles DeLorne) Thomas, later divorced. She married Tai Van Nguyen May 28, 2004. Between them, they raised 5 children.

Dawn loved to decorate and recently remodeled and redecorated her whole home. Fishing and football were her favorite sports. She was an avid Denver Broncos fan. One of her dreams came true when Tai took her to Denver to see the Broncos play. Tai taught Dawn how to fish and they went together often. Strawberry Reservoir was their favorite spot. When she out fished Tai, (and there were plenty of times when she did) she would say, "Daddy would be proud!"

She liked to play Candy Crush, watch Wheel of Fortune and LOVED Christmas, especially the stockings.

Dawn experienced some difficult challenges in her life, but she faced them with courage. She was loving and loyal to her family and friends and she would do anything for them. She always had a smile and a song in her heart. At age two, she made up her own little song. As far as we know, she was the first official stalker in the Hirschi family, running through Grandma Davis' house with just her hightop shoes and socks. Dawn was a fighter, stubborn to her last breath....

Her passion was her family. She loved all her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren and looked forward to trips to Hawaii to visit some of them. She loved to tell her grandkids secrets, give them lots of cuddles, have sleepovers, go to the beach and always told them, "I love you to the moon and back."

Dawn is survived by her husband, Tai; sons Nick Thomas, Jeremy Thomas (Angelina Paul), and Tyler Thomas (Dari Thomas-Erickson); daughters Tiffany Thomas, Clair Nguyen (Javier Solis), Jade Nguyen (Cesar Aguilar); grandchildren Skylor, Devyn, Xavier, Breanna, Aryanna, Alina, Betty, Joanne, Lucas, Janessa, Cesar and Mateo; great grandchildren Jack, Paisley, Easton and Kaireece; sisters Delene Anderson (Joe), Eileen Fausett (Rick), Peggy Kerby (Keith), Pamala Shaw (Chris), Alison Haas (Jeff); Mother-in-law Ngoc Thi Nguyen; sisters in law Nguyet Borja (Ralph) ,Trang Nguyen and Thuy Nguyen,;. brother-in-law Dai Nguyen.

Dawn was preceded in death by her parents Dellas Rulon and Barbara Davis Hirschi, father-in-law Tam Van Nguyen and brothers in law Duc Nguyen and Doung Nguyen. Services will be held Saturday, July 31, 2021 at Premier Funeral Services 67 E 8000 S, Midvale, UT. Visitation begins at 11:00 a.m. followed by services for family and close friends at 1:00 p.m.

Comments



“ I'm going to miss her. I am missing Dawn along with you. With heartfelt sympathy!

Hau Ho - August 02, 2021 at 07:37 AM



“ I remember playing fun games at Tiffany's with her. I know she dearly loved her family. She was always there to help. She will be missed.
Mickey MiMi Winter

michela winter - July 30, 2021 at 06:41 PM



“ I loved running into Dawn in the Stryker breakroom and chatting about our t-shirts. She was upbeat and fun. RIP!

Julie Hellstrom - July 30, 2021 at 06:26 PM



“ Tai,
Cannot imagine the the pain and anguish of your loss, my heart aches for you at this difficult time. May you be blessed with comfort and peace through this difficult mourning process. My childhood memories are flowing with thoughts of swimming/sitting, in the plastic swimming pool, Dellas and Barbara set up in the front yard for all of us neighborhood kids, while in the heat of the summer. Beautiful red and white Tulips, blossoming every spring on the side of the Hirschi driveway, all of the Hirschi girls, trying to babysit the wild Thompson kids, what a fiasco.

Summer vacations at Bear Lake, camping, the paddle boats, waterskiing, Pineview resevoir, where Dawn stepped on some glass in the sand, needing stitches. Fishing with Dellas and Uncle Max, at Strawberry, oh, the strings of fish we would hold up for pictures in the front yard, I hold them so dear. It did not matter sun, rain, snow, fog, we fished. Yes, Dellas would have been proud of Dawn's superiority and love of fishing. Words do not adequately express sorrow and pain, but the memories will forever be etched in our minds memory, the sweet memories will last forever and carry us through these difficult times. My sincere love to you and your family, and to the Hirschi family, that we all call our own. Rest in peace dear friend.

Michael Thompson - July 30, 2021 at 11:11 AM



“ My deepest condolences go out to Dawn's husband Tai, and her beautiful children and grandchildren, I only met Dawn a few times but when we did, she always greeted me with open arms and a kind smile, Dawn is now a guardian angel that will forever protect and comfort you all.
Jeremy and nick I am here for you both for anything you need, RIP Dawn I promise to watch over Jeremy like he's my very own.
Geneal herrera (Angelina's mom)

Geneal herrera - July 29, 2021 at 08:05 PM



“ So sad to hear about Dawn , my memory of her is playing cards with her and Tai and Trang , boating, I also worked with them a Bard . May she Rest In Peace . My deepest sympathy to her family as she will be missed , may the lord be with them at this time and always
Sincerely
Diana Lozano

Diana friend of family - July 29, 2021 at 07:00 PM



“ Many fond memories with the Hirschi Family. Love and miss Dellas and Barbra. Fun times up at Bear Lake. Enjoyed being neighbors as our children grew and moved on. So very sorry to hear of the loss of Dawn. Love, Comfort and peace to the rest of the girls and their families. We love the Hirschi "Kisses", Robyn Thompson and Family

Robyn Thompson and Terri James - July 29, 2021 at 06:56 PM



“ Troy Boone lit a candle in memory of Dawn Hirschi Nguyen



Troy boone - July 29, 2021 at 05:56 PM