



Andrea DeBolt

March 11, 1943 - February 20, 2006

TORRINGTON, WYO.... Memorial services for ANDREA LEE DeBOLT, 62, will be held at 10:00am on Friday, February 24, 2006 at the United Methodist Church with Reverend Ora Dailey officiating. Andrea died on February 20, 2006 at her home in Torrington. Cremation has taken place. In lieu of flowers, the family would request memorial contributions in Andrea's memory be directed to either the Prairie Haven Hospice or to the PEO Scholarship Fund. Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home and friends are invited to send condolences to the family at www.colyerfuneralhome.com Andrea was born on March 11, 1943 in Torrington, Wyoming the daughter of Andrew and Doris (Brewer) Johnson. She grew up and received her education; graduating from Torrington High School in 1961. She went on to attend the Goshen County Community College. She married Max DeBolt at Hot Springs, South Dakota on February 15, 1963. The couple then moved to El Paso, Texas where Max was in the US Army and Andrea attended Texas Western University. They moved to Laramie, Wyoming and Andrea continued her education; graduating from the University of Wyoming with a B.S. in education. In 1975 the couple moved to Sheridan, Wyoming and Andrea worked as a substitute teacher while also helping run the family's Taco John restaurant. She served as director of Economic Development with the Sheridan Chamber of Commerce and was First Lady of Sheridan while her husband Max served as Mayor. In 1997, Andrea and Max moved to Torrington, Wyoming where they operate 'Smith's Cleaners' and care for Max's

mother, Majel. Andrea enjoyed gardening and flowers. She was a member of the Methodist Church, a past president of PEO in Sheridan and she was active in Republican Women in Sheridan. Andrea lovingly devoted her life to caring for her family. She was a Cub Scout Den Mother for her sons when they were young, and she continued to support them in all their many activities as they grew older. She and Max also opened their home to extended family members, including Andrea's sister, a niece and a nephew. She is survived by her husband Max of Torrington; four sons and daughters-in-law, David and Robin DeBolt of Sheridan, Wyoming; Tad and Betsy DeBolt of Worland, Wyoming; Mark and Connie DeBolt of Canon City, Colorado; and Brian and Synda DeBolt of Lander, Wyoming; three sisters, Patty Wilson and her husband Keith of Cheyenne, Wyoming; Linda Johnston and her husband Bill also of Cheyenne; and Mary Jane Mitchell and her husband Paul of Worland, Wyoming; her mother-in-law, Majel DeBolt of Torrington; and eight grandchildren; Forrest, Mikkayla, Burk, Meg, Allisyn, Dawson, Derek, and Dylan. She was preceded in death by her parents.

Tribute Wall

GN

“ I hit the send button too quickly. I knew several members of Andrea's family. From: Garold W. Newton And Theresa L. Newton Of Gering, Nebraska 69341.

Garold W. Newton And Theresa L. Newton - March 11, 2019 at 01:37 AM

GN

“ This is very late, but I did not know her husband very well. At Goshen County Community College in Torrington, Wyoming, I sit beside her in one class. Her mother, Mrs. Johnson, was my teacher in grade school for one or two years. She will be missed by all her friends and family members. Garold W. Newton And Theresa L. Newton of Gering, Nebraska 69341.

Garold W. Newton And Theresa L. Newton - March 11, 2019 at 01:27 AM

LR

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Andrea was a wonderful, kind and professional lady.

I (Lance) met Andrea in 1991 when she headed up economic development in Sheridan. I was traveling around the states of So.Dakota, Montana, and Wyoming contemplating a move for my forklift business from Minneapolis, MN to a more business friendly location.

Andrea worked hard and long to convince me that Sheridan, WY had the most to offer of all the options I had at that time. My decision to move to Sheridan is a testament to her hard work and efforts. Today I look at it as the best decision I ever made and I am sorry to say that I never really had the opportunity to thank her in that regard.

So Andrea, I know your reading this from above "Thank You so very much & God Bless you!"

Krishell, I and the kids offer our condolences to the entire DeBolt family.

Lance and Krishell Reed - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ *Deepest sympathy to the family.*

Loretta Matheson - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ Andrea was a very special person who did a lot and had a positive impact on many lives. I will never forget the Republican Women's meeting when she demanded attention by taking off her shoe and, in a very lady like but forceful manner, tapped the podium. She got everyone's attention and even got a gavel donated to the organization! Max, special thoughts to you at this time; I hope you have someone at your side right now who is a kind as you were to me. I will never forget.

Jeni Nowak - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ Max, our condolences to you and your family. I remember your parents with fondness. Also, your sister, Elaine, was a best of friend of my dear deceased cousin, Donella Harris Smith. Our Blessings to you.

Stan & Marion (Harris)Weickum - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ My heart and prayers go out to Max and the entire Debolt family. I remember running accross the alley and having Andrea invite me to have lunch with the rest of the Debolt boys. I remember in Sheridan coming by the Debolt house on Loucts and always being welcomed by Andrea. May she be in peace and may peace be with you all.

Mark Davenport - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

FR

“ Dear Max,
We were so sorry to hear of your loss. Andrea was a lovely lady who will be missed by all who knew her. She touched many lives. We are sorry we cannot be with you during this most difficult time. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Fondly,
Frank and Phyllis Rotellini

Frank & Phyllis Rotellini - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ Dear Max and sons,

I was so saddened by your loss of Andrea. She was one of the first people I met when I moved to Sheridan in the Newcomer's Club. We so enjoyed playing bridge together and doing the other activities. The thing I remember most about Andrea was her infectious laugh. No matter where you were when you heard it you laughed with her and knew it was her. I lost touch with her over the years but always think of you when I drive down Loucks and look at your old house each day. May the happy memories of her replace your sadness in your heart as it has in mine. My prayers are with your family.

Sincerely,

Patty Hamilton

Patty Hamilton - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I remember Andrea always being kind and thoughtful. She always made me feel welcome whenever I stopped by to visit Mark and Brian. My thoughts and prayers are with you. God Bless.

Ed Calkins - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GN

“ To the DeBolt Family:
It is with my families sympathy in the loss of your wife, mother, and grandmother that we extend our prayers to you. My family just wanted to express our sorrow and hope that you find peace with the recent loss.

Sincerely,

Greg Newton Family

Greg Newton - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Andrea was like another mother to me, and I knew the sentiment was mutual when she had no problem disciplining me the same as her own boy's. It must have been quite a chore to keep her boy's and their friends in line. Andrea and Max were very good to me when my own parents were having some trying times of there own. When I hear Andrea's name happy memories of my childhood and life will always come to mind. You are all in my prayers's, and if there is anything I can do for you, please let me know. Love, Sean

Sean Wyatt - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KA

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JB

“ To all of the DeBolt family, it is with great saddness to hear of your loss. I will always remember the DeBolt house as a loving and welcoming home to friends and family. My family would like to send our deepest sympathies.

John Bailey - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

EW

“ Dear DeBolt and Brewer families:

I am sorry to hear of cousin Andrea's passing. Please accept my condolences from Pennsylvania...

Eric

Eric M. Walker - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Dear Max and family,
We are very saddened for your loss of Andrea. She was such a classy lady with a zest for life! It is our good fortune to have known her and enjoyed and appreciated her friendship. Our sympathy to you at this time.

Sincerely, Mike and Bev Saxton

Mike and Bev Saxton - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ Tad- I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I haven't spoken with you in a long time, but my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family right now. Take care.

Justin Cooper - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Max,
Our condolences to you and your family.
Though our words of understanding are inadequate and few, our hearts are filled with caring thoughts and sympathy for you and your family.

Bob and Fran Fall - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ I extend my condolences to the family of Andrea. My prayers are with you.

Andrea and Max were in the class ahead of me at Torrington High.

Charles (Charlie) Raffelson - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DZ

“ Our deepest sympathy in the loss of Andrea. Our prayer are with you.

Dewain & Shirley Zeglin - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ I am sorry for the loss this has been for your family. The little I know of Andrea is she was fun loving and very willing to help out family members. There are family members who live were better because of the love she gave them. May God bless you and all family members during this time!

Respectfully,
Lisa

Lisa (Kirchner) Howell - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *Just to relay to each of the DeBolt family that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Jack was in our high school graduating class (1951), so guess our family friendship goes back quite a few years. Our parents shared some fun times, too. Also, we remember our visit to your house in Sheridan when Majel was visiting you. Take care, Max.*

Bryan and Donna Cay Heinz - February 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM