



Tamarra Sue Calkins

August 14, 1961 - September 9, 2016

On Friday evening, September 9th, 2016, the day of her brother's funeral, Tamarra Sue "Tami" Calkins passed away quietly at Big Sky Senior Living. Tami was born in Butte Monday, August 14, 1961 to Walter "Red" and Doris Jean (Tritt) Williams. She attended local school and graduated from Butte High School in 1979 where she participated in Swing Choir.

Tami and Chris Calkins were united in marriage on Saturday, August 8, 1987 in St. John's Episcopal Church. Together they had two sons. Tami worked as office manager for Dr. Neil Rogers, Butte Radiology, Roach and Smith Distributing and Express Personnel before having to quit working because of her health.

She loved people, had an infectious laugh and loved to sing. She enjoyed riding her Harley when she was able, and had a commendable love for and collection of bears and tea pots.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Walter and Doris and her brother, Timothy Williams. Survivors include her loving husband, Chris Calkins, their two sons, Kade and Trace Calkins, her sister and brother-in-law, Candi Howe and Ray Guschausky of Missoula, her mother-in-law and father-in-law, Sue and Fritz Calkins of Butte, sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Kim and Mark Dennehy of Kalispell and Mike and Linda Calkins of Seattle, aunts and uncles, Sharon and Pete Pederson, Judy Williams, Arky and Margie Williams and Joyce Danielson as well as numerous nieces, nephews and cousins..

Memorials in memory of Tami may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or

the Bagdad Shrine Temple Transportation Fund, 314 W. Park, Butte, MT
59701.

Cemetery Details

Mount Moriah Cemetery

2415 S. Montana Street
Butte, MT 59701

Previous Events

Service

SEP **15**. 11:00 AM (MT)

Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home
1800 Florence Ave
Butte, MT 59701
(406) 723-3221
<https://wayrynen-richards.com/>

Tribute Wall

Karin
Merrill
Quigley

“ Sue and Fritz - So sorry for your loss she was a wonderful women.

Karin Merrill Quigley



Karin Merrill Quigley - September 30, 2016 at 12:12 PM

DA

“ Chris and boys, Tami was a happy person who always had a smile on her face and was willing to give a helping hand. I had the chance to work with Tami and found her to be one of the most caring and conscientious people I know. She always talked about the boys and how special they were in her life. She will be missed by all who knew her. Remember the special times you shared together and she will never be far from you but she will always be in your heart.

Darlene Allen

Darlene Allen - September 23, 2016 at 10:13 AM

KJ

“ Chris, we were so sorry to hear of Tami's passing. We were out of town, or we would have been at her funeral for support. She's certainly dancing and singing with the angels!

*Sincerely,
Kay and Leanne Jensen*

Kay and Leanne Jensen - September 21, 2016 at 05:29 PM

KB

“ You have my deepest sympathy with Tami's passing. Know that she is at peace and in a much better place. Thinking of the whole family and remembering you and yours in my prayers. Sincerely, Kathy Baker

Kathleen Baker - September 14, 2016 at 07:59 PM

DL

“ A wonderful Swing Choir partner who helped many enjoy music and life. My condolences to her many friends and families.

Don Love - September 14, 2016 at 08:45 AM