

Shelley Ann Statler

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Obituary



Shelley Ann (Longcor) Statler of Cuba, MO was born on Sunday, August 5, 1951, in Burlington, IA to Oliver Bertram Longcor and Bonnie Savage Longcor. She passed away at Phelps Health Hospital in Rolla, MO on Wednesday, June 16, 2021, at the age of 69 years, 10 months and eleven days. Shelley grew up in Burlington, IA and graduated from Burlington High School in 1970. She married her first husband, Michael E. Sink, Sr. on August 7, 1970, and to this union four children were born. She worked as a bartender in Burlington for many years. Then she moved to Blytheville Arkansas where she married her second husband, James "Larry" Statler on April 23, 1988 in Blytheville, AR. In this union one step-daughter . She worked at Borgwarner until the company closed . They lived in Blytheville for 29 years and were members of New Liberty Baptist Church. They then moved to Russellville, Arkansas lived there for 4 years. They recently moved to Cuba this past January as her health declined. Shelley enjoyed crocheting blankets, crafting baskets with lace and bears and making jewelry. She even owned her own earring shop for a few years. She loved getting flowers, reading, and traveling, especially to Branson where she enjoyed seeing the shows and

sights. She always looked forward to traveling back to Iowa to spend time with the family .

She was preceded in death by her parents Oliver and Bonnie Longcor; brother Randy Longcor; brother-in-law Kenny Harryman; special aunt Doris DeFose; and special cousin Gary DeFose.

She is survived by her husband James Statler; two sons Michael E. Sink Jr. of Russellville, AR and Jason (Stacey) Sink of Fort Madison, IA; 2 girls Sarah (Danny) Casey of Blytheville AR and Michelle (John) Kibling of Burlington IA and one step-daughter Tammy (Thomas) Hughes of Cuba, MO; one sister Linda Harryman of Burlington, IA; 31 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; many nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

The family has chosen cremation as her final disposition. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Memorials are suggested to the American Diabetes Association.

All arrangements were under the care of Hutson Funeral Home, Cuba, MO.

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