

GayAnn B. Cressy

GayAnn B. Cressy, 57, of Summerset, SD, died Sunday, July 11, 2021, with her husband and son by her side at Monument Health Rapid City hospital.

Ann was born on November 24, 1963, Wyoming and was the daughter of Roland B. and Ruth M. Hallinger. Ann was raised in Spearfish, SD, and graduated high school in 1981. She went on to attend college in Watertown, SD, to become a nurse. After receiving her degree, she went to work at Fort Meade VA Hospital in Sturgis, SD, where she worked for 26 years. After leaving Fort Meade she went on to work at Fountain Springs.

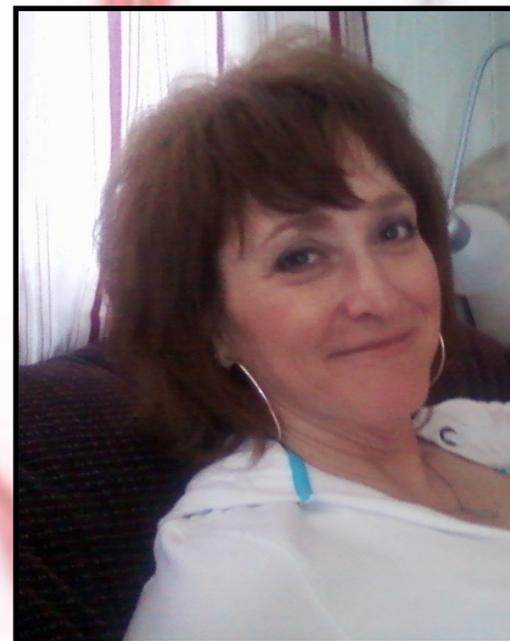
Ann was blessed to have welcomed her first son, Justin in August of 1980, and then her second son, Tyler in December 1991. While working at Fort Meade she met the love of her life, Gene Cressy, and they were married on July 18, 2011, at Lions Park in Sturgis. This marriage brought on 2 more stepdaughters, Khrystyne and Ashley, that Ann loved like her own.

Ann was the type of person that if anyone needed help or someone to talk to, she would be right there for you without any judgement to lend a hand or to just be supportive and give advice. Anyone who knows Ann knew that she had a passion for riding motorcycle, collecting her barbies, playing with her 3 doggies, and spending time with and spoiling her grandchildren.

Ann is survived by her husband, Gene of Summerset, SD; her sons, Justin (Michelle) Keiry of Spearfish, SD, and Tyler Boardman of Pierre, SD; her stepdaughters, Khrystyne (Paul) Hollingsworth of Sioux Falls, SD, and Ashley (Richard) White of Fairbanks, AK; her five grandchildren, Avyona Keiry, Nevaeh Cressy, Jennifer Dummer, Jacqueline Dummer, and Gideon Hollingsworth.

Ann is preceded in death by her parents, Roland (Ruth) Hallinger; her in-laws, Gene (Carol) Cressy.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.



In Loving Memory

GayAnn B. Cressy

November 24, 1963 ~ July 11, 2021

We thank you for your presence and condolences.



***A Wife, a Mother,
A Grandma too***

*A wife, a mother, a grandma too,
This is the legacy we have from you.*

*You taught us love and how to fight,
You gave us strength, you gave us might.*

*A stronger person would be hard to find,
And in your heart, you were always kind.*

*You fought for us all in one way or another,
Not just a wife, not just a mother.*

*For all of us you gave your best,
Now the time has come for you to rest.*

So go in peace, you've earned your sleep,

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Born
November 24, 1963
Wyoming

Died
July 11, 2021
Rapid City, South Dakota

Celebration Of Life
Monday, July 19, 2021, at 10:00 a.m.
Kinkade Funeral Chapel
Sturgis, South Dakota

Officiant
Pastor John Tesnow

Musical Selections
“Heaven” “Have You Ever Seen The Rain”
“Wish You Were Here” “I Want You To Know What Love Is”

Honorary Urnbearers
All Family and Friends

Final Resting Place
Black Hills National Cemetery
Sturgis, South Dakota