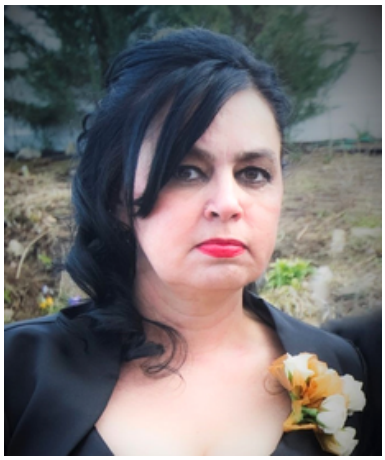


Joey Luke

July 6, 1961 ~ February 21, 2021

On February 21st, 2021, our beautiful, loving and gentle mother Laurie Jo “Joey” Luke left us too soon, after suffering a severe stroke. Joey was born on July 6th, 1961 in Walnut Creek, California, to Steve Luke and Norma Rae Randle. She grew up in Salt Lake City, with her brother Adrian, where she graduated from East High school in 1979.

Joey had four sons who she loved deeply and unconditionally. Her family was her light, and she beamed with joy whenever she spoke of them. She opened her home to all her sons’ childhood friends, and always made them feel like they were family.

She loved music, movies, her extensive knick-knack and doll collection and always found joy in the little things in life . She had an infectious laugh that she often couldn’t control, leaving her unable to stop giggling long after the humorous moment had passed. She had a creative and poetic spirit that she wore on her surface.

She worked at the Utah State Tax Commission for over 20 years as a state tax collector. Although her quiet and gentle disposition wouldn’t seem to make her well suited for this role, she excelled and enjoyed her job greatly.

Joey was a loving grandmother, doting mother, adoring daughter, sister, aunt, and friend who will be deeply missed and loved by all who knew her.

She is survived by her four sons: Jesse (Teashia), Jared, Jonah, and Journey; six grandchildren: Ignacio, Sheena, Elias, Xylia, Sadie, and Birdie; her father Steve (Joan) Luke; her brother Adrian (Angela) Luke and niece Andrea.

She was preceded in death by her mother and best friend Norma Rae Randle Hill and her granddaughter Hypatia.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, March 6th, 2021 at 260 E. South Temple in Salt Lake City, Utah at Noon. A viewing will be held from 11 AM to Noon. Interment will follow at Larkin Sunset Gardens in Sandy, Utah at 1:30 PM.

The services were recorded and can be viewed here:
https://us02web.zoom.us/rec/share/6Qema3KShmTWYIOAaMRKz8uFrEvfQUbH0O11sCmcMo50IGf2e8WypCcaXk73KbA