



## Jerie Ann McFarland

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Jerie Ann was born on July 17, 1947 in Tillamook, Oregon to Betty and Gerald Nicklaus. She passed away early Wednesday morning, August 5, 2020, in her home surrounded by her loved ones after her battle with cancer.

She married David McFarland, April 4, 1968 and just celebrated their 52nd wedding anniversary. From daughter, to sister, to wife, to mom, to grandmother and even to great-grandmother. She was an amazing person who would want me to remind all who read this, that she had a long and amazing life.

She always put others first, even at the end. She loved to travel. Jerie and Dave traveled to the Galapagos Islands, Mexico, and many other places with her sister and brother-in-law, and other family members. One of her favorites was their trek to the top of Machu Picchu.

She is survived by her mother, Betty Nicklaus, her husband, David McFarland, sister, Jonie DeNault, brother-in-law Jim DeNault, daughter Debra & Garth Sigleer, grandchildren, Amy & Kasey Riddle, Casi & Kasey Begley, Erin Oliver, Zak Shroyer, and her great-grandchildren Braelynn Riddle, Dacadin Riddle, Kolton Begley, Nora Begley & Tanner Begley. Jerie left a huge impression on all the lives she touched and will be greatly missed by all.

In lieu of flowers, a donation to the Samaritan Pastega Regional Center in her name would be greatly appreciated. Please share your thoughts and memories for the family at [www.demossturdan.com](http://www.demossturdan.com)

# Tribute Wall

BK

“ I grew up across Beaver Creek from where Jerie Ann grew up with her family in the 60's. We had about 30 acres and they had a little bit bigger place that provided us with a Huckleberry Finn childhood. Our families were very close and we were constantly busy outdoors tending to farm chores with the cows, riding horses, building rafts, peeling chitum bark, hunting, fishing, and swimming. I recently talked to her and we both said it's too bad more people could not have had that experience. I know she cherished it to the end. She was as good a person as you could find.

*Barry Kellow*

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**Barry Kellow** - August 23, 2020 at 08:51 AM

CW

“ This message is from Martha Walker of Tillamook.

*"I always called Jerie to find out how her mother was doing. I am so sorry about your loss. I am sure she took very good care of her mother."*

*(Miss Martha is now a strong and cheerful 94 years young. Although she unfortunately broke her hip a few months ago, she is working hard to recover and still has "the gathering place" on Alderbrook Road, where I met her one day when we were both out for a morning walk. She has macular degeneration and glaucoma, so doesn't read well. I am just the privileged helper. May God surround your family with His loving arms as you grieve this great loss.)*

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**Carolyn Window** - August 16, 2020 at 04:55 PM

JN

“ I remember the first time I met Jerie Ann. She was getting on the school bus in Beaver headed for her first day at Nestucca High School after having moved from Tillamook. I introduced myself and gave her a quick tour prior to the beginning of class. Through the years I got to know and admired Jerie Ann for the way she faced life challenges with pragmatism. I will always be great full for the support I and my Sister, Sally, received over the years from her and David and value all the memories. Sending healing thoughts and comforting hugs to the family.

*Jan Nims*

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**Jan Nims** - August 15, 2020 at 10:20 AM

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*Frances Noble Bush*

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**Fran Noble Bush** - August 16, 2020 at 11:04 PM

KM

“ One of my favorite memories of Jerie was not long after we became neighbors 27 years ago. I was out pulling weeds in the flower bed and Jerie came over to help. We discussed the therapy of weed pulling. Ted and I will cherish those memories of our shared neighborly chats through the years.

*Our Deepest Sympathy to Dave and Family.*

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**Kris Mitchell** - August 06, 2020 at 10:50 AM