



Diane Eloise Henderson

August 23, 1948 - September 14, 2024

Diane Eloise Henderson of St. Louis Park, MN, formerly of St. Anthony, MN, passed away on September 14, 2024. Diane was born in Fargo, ND on August 23, 1948, graduated from Fargo North High School, and completed coursework at Interstate Business College from 1966-1967 before moving to Minneapolis to begin her career.

Diane worked as a secretary and later as a legal secretary at companies including Peavey, PWC, and various law firms. Diane enjoyed participating in music, including playing viola in the Fargo Moorhead Symphony during high school. She also sang in church choirs throughout her life.

In 1993, her mother, Ethel Henderson, moved to Columbia Heights to live with Diane, and the pair lived together there and later in St. Anthony until Ethel's death in 2021. During those years they developed a very special mother-daughter bond.

Diane is survived by her brother David (Kris) of Edina, MN; brother Donald (Linda) of Brooklyn Park, MN; nephews Brandon (Lindsay), Chris, and Ryan (Jessica) Henderson, nieces Melissa (Dan) Farrell and Erin and Megan Henderson, and great-grandnephew and nieces Bryce, Gwendolyn, Aubrey and Nora. She was preceded in death by her parents Daniel and Ethel Henderson, and her infant brother, Dennis.

Diane's memorial service will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, October 12th, with visitation beginning at 10:00 am, at First Lutheran Church, 1555 40th Ave NE, Columbia Heights, MN. A brief graveside service will take place in Fargo, ND at a later date.

In lieu of flowers the family requests memorials be given to First Lutheran Church, 1555 40th Ave NE, Columbia Heights, MN, 55421 or the American Lung Association.

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Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **12.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Lutheran Church of Columbia Heights
1555 40th Avenue NE
Columbia Heights, MN 55421

Memorial Service

OCT **12.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

MW

“ *Diane always had something nice to say about people. She was very kind.* ”

Margaret A Watson - October 18, 2024 at 12:15 PM

CM

“ *It was always a joy to see Diane (and Ethel) at the clinic. They could always put a smile on your face no matter what kind of day you were having. Think of you often. You will be missed.* ”

Carolyn Weiss, MA - October 17, 2024 at 08:35 PM

CS

“ *Diane (and Ethel) were a couple of my absolute favorite people during my time at Columbia Heights/Fridley clinic. Fun loving and gentle. I miss you ! David, you were so fantastic with them both when more was needed. Great family!!!* ”

Carol Schoonover - October 17, 2024 at 08:20 PM

LJ

“ *Diane's family, I have known Diane (and Ethel) for years from First Lutheran Church and I lived at The Landings with them for a number of years. Wishing you comfort and peace as you remember these two lovely ladies.* ”



Lois Johnson - October 10, 2024 at 05:21 PM

JC

I have known Diane for over 37 years. We hired her at Price Waterhouse to fill in for me when I went on maternity leave.

I'm saddened to hear of her passing. I had tried to reach out to her a few times in the past year. I recently sent her some photos from our years at PW, but they were returned to me.

Diane was a very conscientious worker and always put in her best effort. We had a lot of good times together.

My condolences to all the Henderson Family.

Jayne Case

Jayne Case - October 17, 2024 at 03:51 PM