



Charlene Rae Wendel

June 23, 1948 - May 20, 2012

Charlene Rae Wendel was born on June 23, 1948 in Hawthorne, California and went to her Heavenly home on May 20, 2012.

Charlene was a caring, sensitive person who loved God, her family and her church family. She was a friend to all, loyal: forgiving, kind, and she loved unconditionally. She will be greatly missed; heaven is a richer place because she is there.

She is preceded in death by parents Ray Shepley and Buhl and Edna Countryman and brother Gary Countryman. She is survived by her daughters Chandra (Jeff) McCool of Reno, NV; daughter Charla (Bill) Riley of Carson City, NV, and grandson Jonathon Riley.

She worked for Bently-Nevada when she lived in Douglas County. She took classes in accounting and did very well. She helped out in the family-owned tax business for over twenty years. The last few years she worked for Harley-

Davidson in collections.

Thirty-five years ago, the downstairs of Charlene's house was used to hold church services and VBS programs. She was a children's Bible teacher for several years. She loved doing craft projects.

She was this year's president of her church's women's group and organized the group to prepare fleece blankets for folks undergoing chemotherapy at a local cancer center.

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“ *It broke my heart when I received the news of Charlene's passing... I have so many fond memories of her as I was growing up. She was an awesome confidon and we could talk to her about anything and she never judged, if she didn't think we were making a good choice she voiced her opinion but, always gave us the space to rethink our choice!!! Charlene will be dearly missed but she will always be loved and never forgotten Charla, she will always be the angel resting her hand upon your shoulder!!!! Love and prayers to all of you during this heart wrenching time and I pray for comfort & healing to your saddened hearts....*

Kara Thaw (Shumaker) - June 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM