



Diana Byrd Laird

January 4, 1967 - June 12, 2019

Diana Byrd Laird, 52, passed away peacefully on June 12, 2019. Diana was the loving mother to Robert Edwin and Margaret Dorothy Laird, and former wife of Michael D. Laird. She is also survived by parents Edwin and Mary Lee Byrd, sister Catherine Morgan (Arthur), and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Diana was born in Alexandria, VA and grew up in Pittsburgh, PA. She graduated from Penn State University with a degree in mathematics and earned an MBA at George Washington University. She enjoyed a successful career in Information Technology, was a triathlete, an avid reader, and loved to solve puzzles. Diana was quick-witted, perky, and fun to be around.

Family and friends are invited to a Celebration of Life for Diana on Tuesday, July 16 at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Drive, Alexandria, VA 22315. Visitation will take place at 11 am and chapel service will follow at 1 pm. A graveside service will be held at 2 pm at Mount Comfort Cemetery, 6600 South Kings Highway, Alexandria, VA 22306. Contributions may be made in Diana's memory to Reading is Fundamental rif.org/in-memoriam.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Comfort Cemetery

6600 South Kings Highway
Alexandria, VA 22306

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Jefferson Funeral Chapel
5755 Castlewellan Drive
Alexandria, VA 22315
(703) 971-7400
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Diana Byrd Laird*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *I just learned of Diana's passing this summer from a friend. I met her in summer 1988 at the University of Warwick summer program. We became good friends for a few years until life got in the way. I thought about her often and hoped she was well and happy. Here is a photo I took that summer on a castle tour.
If I ever get to meet her family I can only speak with love....my name is Scott Feneck and I have more photos if her family wishes to see them*



Scott Feneck - September 16, 2019 at 07:39 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Diana Byrd Laird.*



July 09, 2019 at 02:08 PM