



## Teresa Marie Meyer

May 11, 1976 - July 14, 2023

Teresa Marie Meyer was born MA 11 1976 to Cliff and Kathy (Hines) Meyer in Grinnell Iowa. She passed away on July 14 2023 in her home in Vancouver, WA.

Teresa grew up in Grinnell participating in the summer and winter swim teams, attending dance classes, playing softball, running track, cheerleading, swimming on the high school team, and dancing with the Tiger Paw dance team.

In 1992 the family relocated to Jackson Tn. She attended Jackson Central Merry High school where she ran track and was on a swim team. Teresa graduated in 1994, and went to the University of Tennessee for her freshman year. She then did the college program for Disney in Orlando for a semester, returning to College for one more semester.

Disney contacted her and offered her a full time job in the summer of 1996 at the Disney Studios in Orlando, so naturally off she went and remained for 3 years. While there she participated in parades, danced in shows, and portrayed characters. Her favorite character was Cruella Deville. She operated the puppet Sebastian in the Little Mermaid Show. She was the first female to accomplish this feat.

She was then offered a job as a magician assistant on a cruise ship in Tahiti for 6 months. Upon her return she went to Europe for 3 months visiting Italy, Austria and Switzerland.

In August of 2000 she was hired as a flight attendant with Northwest Airlinck.

She worked primarily out of Memphis and then transferred to Minneapolis. She ended her airline career in 2009.

In August 2007 she married and in June 2009 her son, Evan DeMott, was born and became the love of her life. She divorced in 2011.

She attended Clark Community College and received an associate degree. She went on to attend Washington State University and graduated 2018 with her bachelor degree.

In 2019 she started her career with Amazon and was still employed there at the time of her death. She made many friends there and was "Momma T" to many.

Her favorite hobbies were plants and she had many! Lawn maintenance was her joy. Facebook was a favorite past time for keeping touch with friends in the US and abroad.

She is survived by her son Evan of Vancouver, Wa, her parents of Mansfield, TX, a brother Jeremy (Tina), nephew Gray and niece Stella of Mansfield, TX and brother Jon of Vancouver, WA.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents, Cliff and Harriet Meyer and Larry and Jennie Hines all of Grinnell, Iowa.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *May 11th is always a special day for those that have met you  
Happy birthday dear Teresa  
From Italy*

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**Andrea** - May 11, 2025 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I got to spend time in TN, CO and IA with Teresa. On a whitewater rafting trip, Teresa, her cousin Camille and I were the only people that didn't get knocked off the two boats in heavy rapids (we paid attention to the instructor). But eventually the two of them jumped overboard to swim down the river for a few minutes. Over the years we kept in touch mostly via Facebook - funny memes, tags, a mutual love for some music and Star Wars. Another light turned off way too soon.*

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**Kim Daub** - August 04, 2023 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Cliff, Kathy, Jeremy, Jon, and Evan,  
My deepest sympathy to all of you during this very difficult time.  
Please know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers. Teresa and I were very close in middle school and high school but lost touch with each other after you moved to TN. We had reconnected on Facebook a few years ago and basically picked up where we left off all those years before. I pray that God wraps his arms around you and gives you strength in the coming days, weeks, months and years.  
Blessings,  
Chanda Snook*

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**Chanda Snook** - July 26, 2023 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Cliff and Kathy, I only knew Theresa through Facebook as she graciously served as a conduit for many of your friends and past co-workers who use Facebook. She was a loving mother to Evan who needs you more than ever. Good health and long life to you as you support your grandson. God Bless your family at this time.*

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**Jim Starkweather** - July 26, 2023 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Evergreen Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Funeral Chapel and Crematory*

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**A Memorial Tree was planted for Teresa Marie Meyer** - July 26, 2023 at 12:00 AM