



Heather "Honey" Larkin

September 6, 1976 - July 5, 2014

A resident of Albuquerque since 1999, passed on Saturday, July 5, 2014. She is survived by her wife, Maria Johnson "Jayson DaBoi"; parents, Ed and Jean Larkin of Las Cruces; grandmothers, Dorothy Olson of Canby, MN and Joyce Larkin of South Plainfield, NJ; brothers, Allen Larkin and wife, Hillery of Phoenix, AZ and Christopher Larkin and Ashley Clapp of Las Vegas, NV; sister, Angela Larkin of Las Cruces; mother-in-law, Mari Jo Connelley of Peralta; sister-in-law, Karla Gutierrez and husband, Michael of Tucson; brother-in-law, Edward Johnson of Los Lunas; sister-in-law, Kelley Freeman and husband, John of Peralta; nieces, Allison, Sylvia, Addyson, and Manny; and nephews, Michael, Jack, Tommy, Christopher, and David. Honey was active with many charities in the LGBT community. Should friends desire, contributions may be made to Women's Leather History Project, <http://www.leatherarchives.org/wlhpdonation.html>. Cremation has taken place and her life will be celebrated on Friday, July 11, 2014, 3:00 p.m., at FRENCH - Lomas.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 11. 3:00 PM (MT)

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Tribute Wall

DM

“ *Debra Moore lit a candle in memory of Heather "Honey" Larkin*



Debra Moore - July 27, 2014 at 06:38 PM

DM

Jean and Ed. Angela, Christopher and Alan. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. May God bless you, and give you strength.

Debra Moore - July 27, 2014 at 06:44 PM

AF

“ *Her warm smile. Her laugh.the first time we met in Germany where she was born. What a beauty. The story behind her middle name. I still remember that. The family party at Greg house. Dad with all his grandchildren. He has the biggest smile and is surrounded by his grandbabies. He could not be any happier. His arm around heather. What sweet memories. I keep her in my mind and in my heart she is snug and warm.*

aunt Denise foster - July 15, 2014 at 05:50 AM

AN

Love you do much aunt denise

Angela - July 15, 2014 at 11:06 PM

LA

“ *I believe I am a better person for having known you Honey.....I will always be here for Jayson. May you fly high beautiful lady.*

Leslie Anderson - July 11, 2014 at 04:52 PM

BB

“ Though we did not know Heather well, we know the world has lost a sweet spirit with her passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with family and friends in this time of sadness.

Bob and Beckie Boyer - July 11, 2014 at 02:20 PM

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Bob and Beckie Boyer - July 11, 2014 at 02:20 PM

JP

“ It's been almost 10 years since I moved back to Alb, started working at United Concordia and met Heather. She was always happy and smiling and her good mood was easily passed on to those around her. RIP Heather. Very hard to believe you are gone. My condolences to her friends and family <3



Jennifer P. - July 11, 2014 at 01:20 PM

JA

“ Honey thank for your smiles and warm hugs.

just angel - July 11, 2014 at 10:16 AM

SC

“Heather, words cannot express how wonderful of a woman you were! You were my "ray of sunshine" everyday! I will miss you telling me to squeeze my prego belly into get my paperwork from our folder because you are not moving, our wonderful talks, and vent sessions. I know you are watching over us and you are in a better place, heaven gained the most beautiful angel, you were excited about the baby but I know you are playing with my son until he comes into this world. I will miss you very much! I love you!

stephanie curry - July 11, 2014 at 10:13 AM

TY

“Honey, no one has ever touched my heart like you did. In your funny and smiling loving way you taught me that no matter how hard life got for me there was always a smile at the end and a good hard deep breath of relief. I will miss you until my passing and you will always hold a special place in my heart. On a funny note: I will never forget you and the experience with Jayson, Christina and myself when you tried to pluck my eyebrows. No one will ever laugh the way you did. Your video is still haunting me to this day. You left your mark in my heart and memories that I will treasure for a lifetime and more! I love you Honey and always will eternally! Take care of Jayson as you guide her emotionally daily when you walk those fields in the eternal Summerlands.

Toni (Evan) Young - July 11, 2014 at 08:01 AM

SH

“Steven And Hugh lit a candle in memory of Heather "Honey" Larkin



steven and hugh - July 11, 2014 at 06:31 AM

SH

we love you fly be free

steven and hugh - July 11, 2014 at 06:32 AM

RS

“ *There simply isn't enough space here to write all the things I loved about Heather. I appreciated her honesty the most. So many people in this world are not honest with themselves and therefore dishonest with others, Heather never had that problem. She was welcoming to me from the first day we met. She shared who she was, what she thought, and we always shared great laughs together. It was absolutely crushing to hear she has left this world. She always made time for me, and it meant the world.*

Ryan Sampsell - July 10, 2014 at 11:02 PM

AG

“ *Much love to Jayson Maria and to all Heather's many family members, both given and chosen. Such a delightful being will be missed but also remembered. The world is more joyful because she was here.*

amber garland - July 10, 2014 at 10:23 PM



“ *I'm going to miss you so much. You had the biggest heart. I'm going to miss our lunches, now who am I'm going to give my carrots to? I will never forget you Heather! Our talks our jokes are all memories I'll hold onto forever. God bless your family. God gained another angel . "see you next Tuesday " (inside joke) xoxoxi*

April Atencio - July 10, 2014 at 09:24 PM



“ We played song pop during lunch and never could beat you, everytime I thought I had it you'd get the next 3. Miss you my friend loved you dearly. My prayer are with Maria and your family. Never forget you!

Kristy Thomas - July 10, 2014 at 09:16 PM



“ Multicolor Bright Standing Open Heart was purchased for the family of Heather "Honey" Larkin.



July 10, 2014 at 07:30 PM



“ I lost a good friend who gave me laughter when I was down and out or having just one of those days. My Lord is very lucky to have this wonderful women sitting at his feet and telling him some great stories of her beautiful niece addie and jokes to make him smile. I will truly miss her! Love you Heather. My prayers to the family and especially to Maria. See you at the golden gate girl.

Robin - July 10, 2014 at 06:43 PM



“ Honey was such a wonderful person, beautiful smile, warm heart, gentle spirit, and loving support of Jayson. Hers is a devastating loss to those she touched, but more importantly to her loving wife Jayson. My prayers are with Jayson in this difficult time of grief. We will miss you Honey.

Phoenix Benner - July 10, 2014 at 06:06 PM

AN

“ While I can't be in NM in person to be a part of the celebration of Honey's life, I will be there in spirit. I have many wonderful amazing memories of times with her, conversations and the endearments we had for each other. I am grateful to have known her. Blessed to have considered her family. And lucky to have spent so much time with her this year.

I still can't quite believe it. I'll keep her love of butterflies and donuts close in my mind - and keep her alive that way.

Jayson, whatever you need that I can offer, is yours.

With love,

angel

angel - July 10, 2014 at 05:56 PM

MA

“ My condolences to everyone that knew Heather and especially to her family. A huge loss of bright Sunshine. I was shocked to hear this news, I last saw Heather a few years ago at a BBQ she truly was a ray of sunshine and her common sense and fantastic humour is what made her a friend, I am just sorry I had not seen her in a few years. I know that anyone that knew her even just a little bit is feeling this loss very hard. I am honoured to have known her and may the memories you all have shine bright. RIP Heather.

Maddy - July 10, 2014 at 04:23 PM

BB

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Bob and Beckie Boyer - July 10, 2014 at 01:31 PM

SN

Our condolences to all who this is affecting

Snow - July 10, 2014 at 09:16 PM

TH

“ *Heather and I used to listen to '70s and '80s music back in the day and have crazy, wonderful conversations about everything! We will all miss her kindness, her craziness, and especially her laugh and her smile. Jean, Ed, Angela, Allen & Chris, I am so sorry for your loss. May each day before you give you a little more comfort and peace knowing that Heather is free. Rest in peace, Heather. I will miss you my friend. Love you, Theresa (Barnes) Hall*



Theresa Hall - July 10, 2014 at 10:33 AM

AN

“ *Anita lit a candle in memory of Heather "Honey" Larkin*



Anita - July 10, 2014 at 01:35 AM

AN

Heather was one of the nicest people I have ever met. Her beautiful smile and gentle spirit will be missed. My world is better for having met her many years ago.

Anita - July 10, 2014 at 01:45 AM

 Riley Johnson

“ *Anyone who knows me knows I deal with loss in weird ways. In losing Honey, I find it is still so surreal. When I first met her, Honey was like a longlost friend who I'd known all my life. More than that, she became family. She was a hard worker for her community and was someone I could easily depend on, which comes in handy when you organize many rings of a circus. The professional me wishes for a 100 more Honeys to help out, but the personal me knows Honey was one of a kind. My love and thoughts go to Jayson and Honey's loved ones and friends in this hard time. If there are ways to help, I am here anytime (like Honey and Jayson would do and have done).*

Riley Johnson - July 10, 2014 at 12:25 AM

MI

“ *Rest in peace my friend, you will be missed!*
Michelle (Barnes) Marsh And family



michelle - July 09, 2014 at 08:38 PM

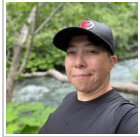


“ In the 3 short years I had the pleasure of knowing Honey she became an indelible piece of my life. She was one of the first faces I'd hunt down when we traveled. Her hugs made the conferences feel like home. Time with her, story hearing and joke passing was the best parts of each of the conferences. The image of her lovely face with the perked eyebrow and pursed lips when telling of something someone did wrong is what will stick with me because it was soooooo Honey. When times got sticky a quick text or phone call made everything alright again. Was hoping to get to share some kitchen time in the future to see just how much trouble we could get in together.



Jayson, my heart goes out to you. I can't imagine the pain you're going through. You and Honey were amazing together. You're the couple I looked up to and wanted to be like. Nothing will replace Honey, I know this, but I do hope the love and support from this community that adores you both so much will help to lighten the pain some.

CandiAnne Shafer - July 09, 2014 at 01:36 PM



“ I remember moving to NM and gravitating to Honey and Maria. They gave me keys to their home when I needed respite from difficult times in life. Honey always listened and made me laugh. When the rubber hit the road she was always available. We became friends and then became family. I can still hear the "don't-cha know" jokes. I remember her rummaging in the kitchen making Maria and I dinner while we played leather on the living room floor. Our birthdays were only days apart and we spent some of them together and many other great times together. She had a thing for Butterfly's and strawberry shortcake occasionally liked being called 'sunshine'. There is a quote my partner shared with me that keeps repeating in my head. "Death leaves a heartache no one can heal... Love leaves a MEMORY no one can steal" I am blessed to have known you, to have held you, to have been touched by your sunshine for the short time you were here. Until we meet again.

RosaLinda Colin - July 09, 2014 at 10:20 AM

DE

“ What a magical moment to cross Honey's path. Enjoy the journey, my sweet sister, until we meet again! Blessings to your family and friends - we will always remember your sweet smile.

Debbie - July 09, 2014 at 08:28 AM

HT

“ I will miss you smile and you kind heart. You always make me smile and laugh when I need it. You will miss.

Hung Tran - July 09, 2014 at 12:17 AM

TO

“ I did not have the honor of knowing Honey very well, but in the times that I was around her , she always had such a beautiful spirit! She made you feel really comfortable in any situation with her beautiful smile and her awesome hugs! Sending love and light to all who love Honey! A candle is lit in our home for her.

Topsbutterfly

Topsbutterfly - July 09, 2014 at 12:14 AM

CO

“ I'll treasure the fun-loving way you introduced me to your mensa-level "butch whisperer" skills earlier this year. And, you probably know this already, but we'll keep an eye out for Jayson down here for you. Of course, you'll be irreplaceable! But we'll do our part.

Colt - July 08, 2014 at 11:24 PM

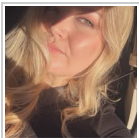
KC

“ Our hearts will be with you on Friday as you gather to celebrate Heather's life, love, and beautiful spirit. She will truly be missed so much.. by so many. Her smile could light up an entire room!!

With deepest condolences -

Kate, Reva, and Jan

Kate Chapman - July 08, 2014 at 07:43 PM



“ Honey had the best sense of humor. She could truly make a person's day. My thoughts and prayers are with Jayson and the family.

Mary Bergman - July 08, 2014 at 02:02 PM

EM

“ *A very sweet, gentle, and beautiful soul. You are, and will be missed.*

Eileen Monte - July 08, 2014 at 11:42 AM

 Nick Elliott

“ *My condolences on your loss - Honey was truly a joyful spirit who will be missed.*

Nick Elliott - July 08, 2014 at 11:23 AM

DA

“ *On behalf of the French Family of Companies, we express our deepest condolences.*

Dante Gutierrez-Zamora and Associates - July 08, 2014 at 10:29 AM