



Vivian L. Muhs

May 5, 1941 - July 2, 2019

Vivian Muhs, 78
Kearney resident

Vivian Muhs, 78, of Kearney died Tuesday, July 2, 2019 at CHI Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney. A memorial service will be held 2:00 p.m. Thursday, August 29, 2019 at the First United Methodist Church in Hastings.

Memorials are suggested to Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, 60 Walnut Street, Wellsley, MA 02481 or www.jdrf.org. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Vivian was born May 5, 1941, in Neligh, Nebraska to William and Lillian (Coolidge) Ragland. She attended Page High School, graduating in 1959. On June 7, 1964, Vivian was united in marriage to John Howard Recroft. John passed away in September of 1973. She then married Mylon Muhs on August 2, 1975. Mylon passed away in 1998.

Vivian worked for Antelope Memorial Hospital, Contois Motor Company (Neligh) and was an Avon Representative for Avon Cosmetics from 1975 – 2018. Vivian moved to Kearney in 2015 to be closer to family.

Left to cherish her memory are her sons, Sean Recroft and his wife, Susan Only of Gloucester, MA and Jason Recroft of Kearney; grandchildren, John

Recroft of Gloucester, MA, Jaxson, Jazmin and Jillian Recroft all of Kearney; brother, Royvan Ragland and his wife, Karma of Red Cloud, NE; as well as, two step-children, many nieces, nephews and extended family and friends.

Vivian was preceded in death by her parents; husbands, John Recroft and Mylon Muhs; sister, Junita Miller; and one stepdaughter.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG **29**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Hastings First UMC
614 N. Hastings
Hastings, NE

Tribute Wall



“ *Vivian L. Muhs*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *I will remember our fun times at the movies, road trips to Lincoln for shopping, the trip to Mac's Vineyard and lots more; and these will be remembered with smiles and maybe a giggle or two. We did have fun.*

Blanche Thorson

Blanche Thorson - July 22, 2019 at 05:39 PM



Thanks for writing, Blanche. Mac's Vineyard?? Hmm...

Sean Recroft - August 01, 2019 at 12:31 PM



“ *Love and hugs to all of Aunt Vivian's family.
You're in our thoughts.
Mark and Doris (Adams) Verplank.*



Doris Verplank - July 16, 2019 at 02:41 PM



Thank you, Doris & Mark. We love you, too.

Sean Recroft - July 20, 2019 at 07:24 AM

DW

“ Viv was one of my Avon Representatives during my career as Avon District Manager and thoroughly enjoyed her and her work ethic. Then I got to know her more when we started having lunches together once a month - there were 6 of us total in the beginning. we traveled to lots of restaurants in the area, some not even open anymore! We started this around 1996. She was a neat lady and talked highly and proudly of her family. My prayer is that God will give you peace, strength and comfort today and in the days ahead.
Donna (Babcock) Wilton

Donna Wilton - July 10, 2019 at 09:35 AM

SR

Ms. Wilton, thank you so much for sharing your memories and for the encouraging words. My mother mentioned you very often. Sean

Sean Recroft - July 12, 2019 at 06:39 AM

LC

“ Loved your mom. She was our Avon lady and I worked at K N with Mylon. RIP Vivian.
--Lael Churchill

Lael Churchill - July 09, 2019 at 04:37 PM

SR

Lael, thank you for writing. Mom loved selling Avon, but she loved her network of friends even more. Sean

Sean Recroft - July 12, 2019 at 06:42 AM

CK

“ We always enjoyed visiting your mother. She was a great friend. We are so sorry to hear of her passing. Sincere sympathy to you and your families, Sean and Jason.

Chuck and Jo Koos - July 08, 2019 at 02:35 PM

SR

Hi Chuck & Jolene, it is so nice to hear from you and to receive your encouraging words. Many thanks for your long friendship with our mother. Sean

Sean Recroft - July 12, 2019 at 06:43 AM

DH

“ Vivian was my neighbor and friend for years...she will be missed. Thinking of you Sean and Jason and families.

Denise Hitchcock - July 06, 2019 at 11:41 AM

SR

Hi Denise, it is so nice to hear from you and to be remembered at this time. Thank you for writing. Sean

Sean Recroft - July 12, 2019 at 06:44 AM

MJ

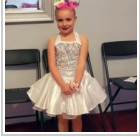
*“ It has been my pleasure to be an Avon Rep. working beside my friend Viv for so many years. We had so many good times and she always uplifted our spirits when we were down. She will be missed. God bless her family and stay strong for each other. She would want it that way.
Mary Jane Jensen*

Mary Jane Jensen - July 05, 2019 at 11:01 AM

SR

Ms. Jensen, your kind words mean so much to us at this time. Thank you for writing. My mom's Avon network of colleagues gave her comfort...and challenge! Sean

Sean Recroft - July 12, 2019 at 06:48 AM



“ *Sean and Jason I'm so very sorry to hear of your mom's passing. Your mom was a treasured friend. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

Bonnie Thiel LeFevre - July 04, 2019 at 10:38 AM

SR

Hi Bonnie, it is lovely to hear from you. Thank you for writing and for sharing encouraging words. I hope all is well with you and your family.
Sean

Sean Recroft - July 12, 2019 at 06:49 AM