



## Denise Elaine Hodges

March 26, 1965 - October 19, 2019

Denise (Dee) Elaine Hodges, age 54, of Grand Island, FL was killed October 19, 2019 in a vehicle accident 6 miles from home. Dee was a loving, giving woman who was always eager to help others. She was a Registered Medical Assistant at Lake Pediatrics in Mt. Dora. Dee enjoyed her animals, friends, gardening, riding her motorcycle, cooking, photography and her many creative hobbies.

Dee was born March 26, 1965 in Sydney, NY. She moved to Florida in 2014 where she completed her Associates Degree for Medical Assistant. She later met Will Hodges and they were married on May 26, 2017. Dee was loved by all who knew her and we were truly blessed to have her.

Dee was the 5th child of Marjorie Jordan Mckown and Douglas Mckown. Dee is survived by her husband: Will Hodges; four siblings: Tom Mckown, Doug Mckown, Donna Saunders, and Cindy Drewes; and other family members dear to her.

Services will be held December 7, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Umatilla, Umatilla, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to MADD or our local animal shelters.