



Deb Edwards

Deb Edwards, 51, of 1965 Crooked Oak Dr., died Wednesday at Lancaster General Hospital following injuries sustained during an automobile accident. Born in Buffalo, NY, she was the daughter of the late William G. and Marie R. (McLeod) Elliott. Deb received her Masters Degree in Education and various certifications from the University of Buffalo. She worked at St. Anne's in Buffalo, taught at NY State Dept. of Corrections, Edward Hand Middle School, Sylvan Learning Center as director, Help One Student to Succeed (HOSTS) and currently a reading specialist teacher and tutor at Nitrauer Elementary School. She was a member of, teacher, and a judge for the National Baton Twirling

Assoc., a member of BCA and APA Pool Leagues, and ran her own team. Deb's hobbies included reading, teaching children, playing pool, baton twirling, traveling, being a great friend to everyone, and watching and cheering for her favorite football team, the Buffalo Bills. She was married to Leon A. Edwards for 11 years on December 14th. Surviving in addition to her husband is a sister, Bonnie Elliott, Stevens; an aunt, Mae Balzer, Buffalo; a cousin, Ronald Balzer; children (her cats), Tiger, Spooky, Chappy, Rocky and Callie.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Deb's Life Celebration from the Funeral Home of Fred F. Groff, 234 W. Orange St., Lancaster on Monday at 7:30 p.m. Private interment in Acacia Park, North Tonawanda, NY. Friends may call at Groffs on Sunday from 6:00-8:00 p.m. and on Monday from 6:30-7:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to American Diabetes Assoc., 3544 N. Progress Ave., Suite 202, Harrisburg, PA 17110 or Lancaster Co. Public Library, 125 N. Duke St., Lancaster, PA 17602 in Deb's memory.

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