



Dione Elaine Hubred

September 17, 1970 - December 7, 2020

Dione Frigaard Hubred was born September 17, 1970 in Jefferson City, MO. When Dione was 2 months old, her family moved back to Oregon, where she lived the majority of her life. While attending Clackamas High School, Dione spent time as a candy striper, which inspired her desire to pursue a career in nursing. After graduating high school, Dione joined the US Navy and became a Corpman, completing her training as a field medic. She was stationed at Bremerton Naval Hospital in Washington, then moved to Camp Pendleton in California, serving a total of 4 years.

After leaving the Navy, Dione became a mom to Lars Hubred in 1994. Shortly after giving birth to Lars, Dione started working towards her nursing degree at Clackamas Community College (CCC). She was an incredibly hard worker, balancing raising Lars as a single mom and working nights as a CNA while finishing her degree. Dione graduated from CCC in July of 2002 and began working at Portland Providence, where she spent her entire nursing career. Dione continued to work nights as a charge nurse, while building a tight-knit web of colleagues in the nursing field who became close friends.

Her passion for nursing was equally matched by her love of family, friends and her many hobbies. Dione was a fantastic cook and enjoyed sharing recipes at family gatherings. Her enthusiasm for traditions such as quilting, crafting, knitting, cooking, baking, and canning was infectious, inspiring others to take up those hobbies and join in the fun. She was an avid reader and horror movie aficionado.

Always thinking of others, Dione loved spending time with and doing things for the people she loved, whether it was making quilts or scarves, creating a family recipe book as a keepsake or organizing family gatherings. Her best-loved adventure each year was the annual Cotton Family Reunion. Her favorite place was at the coast for this camping trip, surrounded by family and playing games, holding contests, cooking good food and telling off-color jokes that would always inspire her famous booming laugh (uff-da!). Dione was always the life of the party, showing up with card games and encouraging everyone to start playing.

Her love for others and her natural inclination to help others was well-known. She was beloved - everyone who met her loved her, and she made fast friends with anyone. If anyone needed help with anything, Dione would be the first to show up, whether it was to stay a night in the hospital after someone's surgery or just to help with something small - no request was too big or too small.

Dione's fighting spirit helped her beat cancer and heart surgery. In an instant, Dione's full, beautiful life was cut way too short, leaving so many people behind who miss her terribly. She passed away December 7, 2020 at the age of 50. But she loved fiercely and unconditionally, and those who knew her were lucky to be loved by her, and love her in return. She was a beloved mother, sister, and daughter and is survived by her son Lars Hubred, parents Brian and Marilee Frigaard, and siblings Dana Batchelor and Aaron Frigaard.

A memorial service for Dione will be held at a later date due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Please check back periodically for more information.

Tribute Wall

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“ *This breaks my heart. I knew Dione at Hospital Corps School in Great Lakes. We loved hanging out with each other and spending time in Chicago during weekend liberty. Her laugh was infectious and she lit any room she walked in. It's my fault we didn't keep in touch because our careers in the Navy took us to different coasts. She was a blessing to me and I'll never forget her. Bravo Zulu Dione... you're a hero to many. HM1 (FMF) Dondi "Doc" Byrd*

Dondi Byrd - September 12, 2024 at 04:33 PM



“ *Dione Elaine Hubred*

January 28, 2023 at 02:51 PM

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“ *I send my condolences to Dione's family. I worked with Dione for many years at Providence. I will always remember her for her creativity. She would get the staff together to do different crafts. We had a lot of fun with the different activities she put together, like quilting. We enjoyed our time with her. I am thankful to have known her.*

Elnora Grant - January 21, 2021 at 12:35 AM

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“ *I always said she was the best of us. Everyone in our nursing group looked up to her. She was simply the best. With time and life we didn't see each other as often but it never mattered. We could pick up like we never lost time. Dione had a special place in my heart forever as does her wonderful family. Her life was too short but I am so happy I got to be apart of it. I will always remember my good friend fondly with love and I hope she's resting peacefully now. She was a great warrior on earth. Love you friend.*

sarah willett - December 19, 2020 at 02:23 AM

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“ *The first time I met Dione, I knew instantly my life was better with her in it. Although, we briefly shared a zip code we definitely shared many memorable and precious moments. We lost touch for a while and then reconnected through social media. I will miss her wisdom, the beauty of her soul, and her caring nature but most of all I will miss making more memories with my friend. Wishing all that knew Dione, peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead, and loving memories to forever hold in your heart.*

Starling Hathcock - December 18, 2020 at 07:14 PM

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I had the honor and the privilege of working with Dione at BiMart and as a Nurse Aid. She was one of the kindest and wisest people I knew in my life. We went to a couple of Campouts and I also went to the beach with her family and Lars when he was a kid. We got disconnected for a while till we hot reconnected again on Facebook. I will miss the wonderful strong lady. Many prayers to Lars. Her family and Friends.

Lorenzo Medina - December 18, 2020 at 11:34 PM



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Hillside Chapel - December 18, 2020 at 02:56 PM

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This is such a nice picture of Dione. She sure will be missed!

Elnora Grant - January 21, 2021 at 12:25 AM