

Christine Convey Cummings

CUMMINGS, Christine Convey 40, passed away January 14, 2004 at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon, NH, from complications of melanoma cancer. Born September 24, 1963 in Berkeley, CA, the daughter of Kathryn (Weber) and the late Robert Convey. Chris lived in numerous places around the country including New Jersey, Chicago and Denver before her family settled in Barstow, CA, where Chris graduated from Barstow High School. Chris continued her education at University of the Pacific's School of Engineering, Stockton, where she met her future husband Richard Cummings December, 1982. Rick and Chris were married September 2, 1990 in West Dover, VT. Chris worked at Circle T Insurance in Stockton after leaving UOP. She worked for California State University, Sacramento after moving to Sacramento September, 1988. Upon settling in Santa Rosa December, 1995, Chris was employed by North American Mortgage Company before finding her niche at Next Level Communications as an editor and technical writer. Chris is survived by her husband, Richard Cummings of Santa Rosa; mother, Kathryn Convey of Provo, UT; grandmother, Barbara Salisbury of Diamond Springs; brother, Michael Convey of Los Angeles; sister, Safini Convey of Los Angeles; step-mother, Peggy Convey of Los Angeles; nieces, nephew, aunts and uncles. She was preceded in death by her father, Robert, and brother, Brian. Chris was a loving wife, extensive reader and avid traveler. She thoroughly enjoyed living in Sonoma County. Her favorite places to visit were California and Hawaii beaches. She will be remembered for her beautiful

smile and uplifting spirit. A memorial service will be held at LAFFERTY & SMITH COLONIAL CHAPEL, 4321 Sonoma Highway, Santa Rosa on Saturday, January 24 at 11:00 a.m. Her family would like to thank all of the health professionals at Redwood Regional Oncology Center, Santa Rosa Memorial Hospital, UCSF Medical Center and UCSF Melanoma Center whose combined talents and inspiration allowed Chris to live a full and productive three years with her cancer. Donations can be made in Chris's name to the UCSF Melanoma Center, San Francisco (<https://advancement.ucsf.edu/makeAgift/>).

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