



Elsie Jean Stone

November 26, 1945 - June 10, 2019

Elsie Jean Stone of Aurora, CO passed away after 3 months of complications after a heart valve replacement surgery June 10, 2019 with her family surrounding her at her home. She was born November 26, 1945 in El Paso TX to W. Kemp and Mildred Absher. She married William D. Stone (Bill) May 2, 1970. She graduated from Arizona State University, Tempe, 1968 with a degree in business administration. She worked for Petro Lewis as a land secretary and it was here she met her future husband. She and Bill owned the Sunnywood Exploration Corp. and then a mineral business called The Sunnywood Collection for over 30 years

Elsie grew up in Pueblo, CO and had a love for horses, especially Amigo, her palomino. She spent summers with her brother and parents at a family cabin just west of Westcliffe in the mountains of the Sangre De Cristo range. She was an avid swimmer, especially in backstroke, and almost qualified for the Junior Olympic Team! She and Bill spent summers in 'Sunnywood' in upstate NY with extended family. She would often be seen sitting on the porch overlooking the lake with a glass of chardonnay in hand. She was a seamstress early on in life and became a talented quilter. She belonged to many quilting groups in CO and NY. She was a member of P.E.O. a philanthropic educational organization for women after her mother and along side her sister-in-law, Elizabeth Brauer. She was a beautiful skier and enjoyed hiking in the mountains with her family. She and Bill had a love of Siamese cats. She had a playful nature and everyone that ever met her always mentioned how thoughtful and kind she was.

She is survived by her husband William D. Stone (Bill), daughter Pamela (Grady) Turner, son W. Timothy (Alethea) Stone, step daughters Stephanie Huber, Patricia Collins, Robin Stone, grandchildren Eliza Stone, Alex Stone, Connor Stone, step grandchildren Bryan Huber, Jake Huber, Chris Collins, step great grandchildren Aubrey Collins, Rawlind Huber, Axell Collins, brother Kemp Alexander Absher, and KC Stone the cat.

Special thanks to the staff at Swedish Hospital for their careful and loving care of her over the last 3 months.

In lieu of flowers please donate to the Elsie Stone Memorial Scholarship for Women through the P.E.O. Chapter AI in Colorado that Elsie belonged to.

P.E.O. is a philanthropic educational organization for women built upon service and

philanthropy as an outgrowth of its social bonds of love and friendship.

You may donate funds in her memory in 3 ways:

1. Pay by check made out to: P.E.O. Chapter AI. Write "Elsie Stone Scholarship" in the memo line.

Mail to: Debra McCormick

10899 Glengate Cir.

Highlands Ranch, CO. 80130

2. Pay using Venmo.

Account name is: @Debra-McCormick-6

Put "Elsie Stone Scholarship" in the "what's it for" section

3. Transfer money through Zelle to jlmdlm@q.com.

Please make sure you indicate Elsie Stone Scholarship in the "designated location for the transfer".

As said by her brother Kip- "What this world needs is more people like Elsie."

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