



## Debra Susanne Stubbs Cottam

January 17, 1956 - May 8, 2026

Debra Susanne Stubbs Cottam, a vibrant free spirit who lived life on her own terms, passed away on May 8, 2026. She was born on January 17, 1956, in Boulder City, Nevada, to Ephraim Glade Stubbs and Mary Kathleen Tomsik Stubbs.

Debra married Charles Cottam and together they enjoyed many years of happiness together on Smith's Mesa until his passing on August 31, 2021. The youngest of seven children, Debra carried a lifelong love for nature and adventure.

She was a dedicated marathon runner who thrived in the outdoors. Her varied paths in life included serving as an EMT, a park ranger, a rancher, and a devoted homemaker. Deeply involved in the Patriot Movement, she was a loyal and proud supporter who stood firmly for her beliefs.

Debra was never shy about speaking her mind, yet she possessed a kind heart and a genuine willingness to listen to those who needed to be heard. Her compassion encouraged people to open up to her. She touched many lives and will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

She is survived by her son Erik Landaker, her sister Sheila Tomola (John), and her brothers Gary Stubbs (Gloria) and Richard Stubbs (Carol).

Debra's love of nature, her strength, her compassion, and her unwavering convictions leave a lasting legacy. She was loved, and her loss is felt deeply.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m. Thursday, May 2, 2026, at the Springdale LDS Church 1584 Zion Park Blvd. Springdale, Utah. A viewing will held one hour prior to the service at the church. Burial will follow at the Toquerville Cemetery. Service are under the direction of Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah.

# Upcoming Events

## Viewing

MAY 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (MT)

Springdale Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Chapel  
1584 Zion – Mount Carmel Hwy  
Springdale, UT 84767

## Funeral Service

MAY 21. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

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## Burial

MAY 21. 12:45 PM - 1:00 PM (MT)

\*\*\*Toquerville Cemetery\*\*\*  
1186 S. Toquer Boulevard  
Toquerville, UT

# Tribute Wall

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Larry Hansen - Yesterday at 05:10 PM



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Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah - Yesterday at 02:06 PM

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“ *My Mother was the strongest person I knew. She never stopped fighting. We were a team, thats what we always said. I'm still fighting Mama. Nothing is as it should be now. I love you Mom and I'm proud of you. I'm truly honored to be your son. There will be a Reckoning!*

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Feral (Erik Landaker) - Yesterday at 12:57 AM

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*Sorry Erik. She was a kind loving person. 💔*

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**Lenny Brinkerhoff** - Yesterday at 11:15 AM