



Mrs. Ava Monique Smith

October 22, 1958 - July 15, 2023

West Union , South Carolina

Ava Monique Cohen Smith 64. wife of Shawn Smith, of West Union South Carolina, passed away Saturday, July 15, 2023, at Oconee Memorial Hospital.

A native of Colorado, born in Denver and living in many states as a child traversing from California to Florida and grew up in Littleton Colorado, married and moved to Parker Colorado. She was an avid sportswoman in fly fishing and competition horse riding disciplines where she trophied many times. She raised her children Benjamin and Gus in Parker teaching them how to ski, a love of the mountains, hospitality and the importance of family. She loved traveling to Cabo, Mexico where they made annual visits. As a younger woman Ava was a "stewardess" for Continental Airlines and was married to her sons' father David Cohen. Ava was socially involved in fund raising as a young woman and was surrounded by many friends.

Ava and her husband Shawn recently moved to West Union ,S.C. from Elizabeth, Colorado to be closer to her son and sister in South Carolina.

Mrs. Ava Smith is survived by her husband Shawn Smith and sons: Benjamin Louis Cohen (Adriana) and Augustus David Cohen; brother Luis Rocky Flores (Carol); sisters: Veronica Thomas (Jim), Lola Rusin (Paul), Tina Bataska

(Mark); and nieces Tammy Korte (Joey Cannon), Andrea Rusin, Rachel Maxwell (Jeff).

Deceased parents are Luis Sebastian Flores and Frances Gartner.

A graveside service will be conducted at 10 a.m. Sunday, July 23, 2023 at Evergreen Memorial Gardens, Walhalla, SC.

A memorial event celebrating Ava's life will be held in Colorado. (to be announced)

The family is at their respective homes.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Memorial Gardens

970 Highlands Highway
Walhalla, SC 29691

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall



“ *Kathy addis lit a candle in memory of Ava Smith* ”



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