



Debra Sue (Yochum) Delph age 59, of Longville, Minnesota died on May 21, 2013 at the Kylar Glen House in Grand Rapids. She was born on September 23, 1953 in Landstuhl, Germany to Martha and Dan Yochum. Debby grew up moving every two to three years throughout the United States and to Germany, as her father served in the army. After Deb's dad retired, her family settled in Houston, Texas. Debby graduated from high school and worked in Houston using her excellent secretarial and organizational skills in a variety of jobs. She married Dean Eugene Delph on October 19, 1991. In 1992 doctors informed Debby that although pregnant they believed she would not carry to term. Their daughter Shelby was born that December. Debby called her My little Miracle. In August 2001, Debby, Dean and their daughter Shelby, moved to Longville, Minnesota. In 1994 Debby was diagnosed with stage 4 breast cancer and was given a prognosis of 4 years. She was a valiant warrior in her battle and survived 19 years. Debby made many friends in Longville and was active in her church family as well. She especially enjoyed the prayer group that met each week. Debby enjoyed using her creative talents in many mediums-especially scrapbooking her family memories. Debby was preceded in death by her parents. She is survived by her husband Dean, daughter Shelby (SP4Steven) McRae of Ft. Stewart, Georgia; two brothers, Danny (Fay) Yochum of Longville, Minnesota, Kenny (Roxanne) Yochum of Anna, Texas; and one grandson Gannon Dean Thomas McRae. She expressed joy in knowing that she would be with her Lord soon, and great sorrow for those she left behind. She loved many, was a friend to many, and will be greatly missed. To the folks at Kylar Glen, thank you for making her last moments on this earth memorable and for the comfort you gave to friends and family.