



Christine Turk

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Christine Turk, Age 60, affectionately known as Gobbie to her grandchildren, passed away too soon. Born January 14, 1962, in Parma, Ohio, she died at home on October 31, 2022, in Cleveland, Ohio. She is the daughter of Daniel and Jane (nee Dorko, deceased). She is survived by her father, Daniel of Findlay, Ohio, daughter Danielle of Cleveland, and grandchildren, Anela, Shogun, Takara, Ronin, River, and brothers Daniel (Stacy) of Bay St Louis, Mississippi, David (Dawn) of Findlay Ohio and Jeffrey (Kim) of Alma, Michigan. Christine attended Normandy High School in Parma and received her BSN in nursing from Cleveland State University, going on to become a U.S. Army nurse in Hawaii. She was dedicated and enjoyed her profession, striving to be the best nurse she could be. Unfortunately, her Army career was cut short after the onset of a mystery illness, Multiple Chemical Sensitivity (MCS), sensitivity to a wide range of chemicals found in everyday objects and the environment. It was not diagnosed until several years later and persisted throughout her life. An unfortunate encounter with ticks during an extended camping trip added Lyme disease to her troubles. Being unable to work or attend family gatherings kept her isolated much of the time. She loved her family, animals, traveling, and nature, but she especially loved spending time with her grandchildren. She supported and donated to many environmental causes. Her favorite places were the woods, the beach, and the mountains. She loved traveling and was most fond of shell hunting and hiking. She had a passion for music and shared tunes with others regularly. A contagious laugh

with a twist of dark humor endeared her to family and friends. She will be lovingly remembered and missed by all.