



## Phaedra Gale Boothe

January 30, 1971 - April 6, 2014

A spirit of light and hope, Phaedra Boothe, joined her eternal family on April 6th. Born in Lubbock January 30, 1971, Phaedra lived most of her life in Lubbock. She lived in Santa Fe, Taos, Los Angeles and Aspen for most of the 1990s.

Phaedra graduated from Lubbock High School in 1989. She obtained her cosmetology license in 2003. After working at the Bijou for 8 years, Phaedra became her own boss, working for herself most recently at Salon Sculpt. From the time she could walk, Phaedra's athleticism was apparent. She played soccer from the time she was 6 years old until graduating from high school. During her three years playing goalie for Lubbock High School, Phaedra was never scored upon. Concurrently with her pursuit of soccer, she played slow-pitch softball for nationally ranked Lampe Green. She was a pitcher, a first base player and homerun hitter. Phaedra was an avid skier. While living in New Mexico and Colorado, she was able to pursue her passion for powder every winter. More recently, Phaedra skated Roller Derby for the West Texas Roller Dolls under the moniker Cool Rockin' Rolleta. Her friends and fans called her Ro or Ro Ro.

Throughout her life, Phaedra supported live music and the arts. As a natural outgrowth of her love of music, she began following the Grateful Dead in the 1990s. She traveled all over the US to see shows. After Jerry Garcia's death in 1995, she began to follow various bands led by Bob Weir and Phil Lesh, including Further, Ratdog and others. She had friends from all over the US

and several in other countries through the Deadhead community. Our Phaedra should have had wings. It would have saved her so much money in air fare and car rentals!

Phaedra worked very hard and was a successful hairstylist. It was almost impossible to be around her for long before she was playing with your hair and giving you tips on how to style it. Phaedra also played very hard. Phaedra was generous to a fault, with her time, her artistry and her money. She was who she was: authentically, unapologetically and lovingly. We have only begun to feel the impact of her passing.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **11**. 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM (CT)

Sanders Funeral Home  
1420 Main Street  
Lubbock, TX 79401  
(806) 763-6433  
director@sandersfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.sandersfuneralhome.com>

## Celebration of Life

APR **12**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Forrest Heights United Methodist Church  
3007-33st St.  
Lubbock, TX 79410

# Tribute Wall



“ Sanders Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Phaedra Gale Boothe



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**Sanders Funeral Home** - April 12, 2014 at 10:43 AM



“ Phaedra was a beauty inside and out. It was such a pleasure to be in her company. We shared a lot of dances, a lot of laughs and some serious talks, too. If there was anyone I looked forward to seeing at the "next" show, it was Phaedra. I will miss her big, beautiful smile and awesome hugs. And I hope I see an owl in some shape or form every day for the rest of my life :-)  
Much love, light and peace to all of the family. xoxo

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**Chris Kilis (CMK)** - April 14, 2014 at 05:19 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Bill Brennan** - April 14, 2014 at 06:37 AM



*Phaedra was so special, we were blessed to have known her and are comforted knowing that she spent her last moments surrounded by those who loved her and loving those she was surrounded by.*

**Bill Brennan** - April 14, 2014 at 06:40 AM



*Yes indeed... so blessed to have been with her for a solid three days.*

**Robin Goolsby** - April 14, 2014 at 02:23 PM



*Having her at my side for "Turn Turn Turn" = Priceless. Her last conversation with Jo Ann and I early on 4-6 was so heartfelt. Made plans we'll have to finish on the other side. Glad to meet you Robin, and Meredith as well. It was a blessing indeed from coast to coast.*

**Stuart Doss** - April 29, 2014 at 10:09 PM



“ 3 files added to the album *New Album Name*



**Robin Stettner** - April 13, 2014 at 11:24 PM



“ <http://www.ustream.tv/channel/gr8flsky>  
*This is the celebration of Phaedra's Life from the east coast to "ya'll in the west <3"*

**Robin Stettner** - April 13, 2014 at 11:06 PM

AN

“ 3 files added to the album *New Album Name*



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**andrew** - April 12, 2014 at 12:39 PM

BE

“ *There's nothing you can hold  
for very long  
And when you hear that song  
come crying like the wind  
it seems like all this life  
was just a dream  
PBoo  
Not Phaed Away <3*

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**Becky** - April 12, 2014 at 03:22 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of  
Phaedra Gale Boothe.*



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April 12, 2014 at 03:18 AM

JD

“ I met Phaedra at Berkeley last year though it seems I have known her my whole life. Her smile, laughter, kindness and love for everyone and life made her beautiful inside and out. I feel blessed that our paths crossed. My heart goes out to her loved ones.

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**Jo Ann Doss** - April 11, 2014 at 11:48 PM

BR

“ "All I know is something like a bird  
within her sang  
All I know she sang a little while  
and then flew on...."  
I will miss you sweetie! You were a shining star..... xxoo

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**Brandi** - April 11, 2014 at 09:54 PM

VH

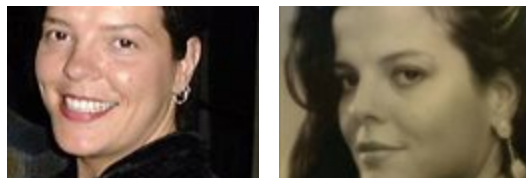
“ Victoria Hastings lit a candle in memory of  
Phaedra Gale Boothe



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**Victoria Hastings** - April 11, 2014 at 04:34 PM



“ 2 files added to the album New Album Name



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**Sanders Funeral Home** - April 11, 2014 at 09:49 AM

MO

“ *It's spring love, I will miss our dancing to music in the texas heat and winds with our bare feet touching the red soil. Alas I know see you as a beautiful butterfly. ...come visit me soon sweetie. ?*

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**Monica** - April 10, 2014 at 09:25 PM

JK

“ *With my deepest sympathy and gentle thoughts?  
"And close your eyes, child, and look at what I'll show you;  
Let your mind go reeling out and let the breezes blow you,  
Then maybe, when we meet, suddenly I will know you.  
If all the things you see ain't what they seem,  
Then don't mind me 'cos I ain't nothin' but a dream .  
And you can follow; And you can follow; follow..."*

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**jill kobletnz** - April 10, 2014 at 04:46 PM

CM

*Jill. This is perfect. Love. And I have been playing that song for the last 2 days... CMK*

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**CMK** - April 14, 2014 at 05:10 PM

DG

“ Val, James and Family,

*Sunshine daydream  
Walking through the tall trees  
Going where the wind goes  
Blooming like a red rose  
Breathing more freely  
Lite out singing  
I'll walk you in the morning sunshine  
Sunshine daydream  
Walking in the sunshine*

*"Sugar Magnolia" Lyrics By: Robert Hunter and Bob Weir / Music  
By: Bob Weir*

*Sincerest Sympathies,  
Dave*

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**Dave Gentry** - April 10, 2014 at 04:06 PM

VS

*Thanks Dave.*

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**Val shultz** - April 13, 2014 at 04:30 PM

MW

“ *I'll never forget how she made me feel so welcomed and excited to be part of something new. She beamed a giant light of positivity and her beautiful soul will never be forgotten. My heart hurts for her family and friends. Till we dance again~ love you p!*

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**Monica Whitlock** - April 10, 2014 at 04:06 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Phaedra Gale Boothe.*



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April 10, 2014 at 03:32 PM



“ *Such a long long time to be gone and a short time to be there....~?~*

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**Addie Corn** - April 10, 2014 at 02:48 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Erik Eaton** - April 10, 2014 at 02:23 PM



“ *I Luv ya kid*

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**Erik Eaton** - April 10, 2014 at 02:21 PM



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**Kelly Gonzales** - April 10, 2014 at 01:15 PM

ML

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Mitch Lerner - April 10, 2014 at 01:14 PM



Love!

Val Shultz - April 13, 2014 at 04:30 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Phaedra Gale Boothe.



April 10, 2014 at 12:56 PM

TW

“ Phaedra was indeed kind, it was true joy to be in her company. We met at Lockn' Festival in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains late summer of 2013. Her bright spirit then welcomed me into what I thought couldn't be any more magical and yet meeting and spending time with Phaedra made it that much more special. I send love and light to her family, friends and pets.

May the four winds blow you home again,

Tony Wagerman

Norfolk, Virginia

Tony Wagerman - April 10, 2014 at 11:01 AM

RS

“ I am very sorry for your loss! Phaedra was always kind, warm and caring to me. We enjoyed sharing stories about our animals and various home improvement projects. She always seemed so happy. I will miss her sweet smile and her amazing talents!  
Rhonda Shooter

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**Rhonda Shooter** - April 10, 2014 at 09:05 AM

LG

*I, like so many other people, LOVE Phaedra!! From the very first time I met her - I knew she was full of love. She always told me how beautiful my hair was, and always touched my hair when we were together. She had plans to visit me this summer, and I'm so sorry she won't be here - at least not in her physical body. I do know she's now happy - flying and dancing - and visiting all of us. Such a LOVE she is and she will be greatly missed. LOVE YOU PHAEDRA!! :) <3*

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**LYNDA GRANDINETTI** - April 11, 2014 at 01:32 PM