

# Jeanne Giselle Vigeé-Le Brun Mattheus

Dr Jeanne Giselle Vigeé-Le Brun Mattheus, 44, BSc-Agric (Cum Laude) UFS and BVSc UP, passed in the early hours of 11 March 2025 due to a lung embolism.

Jeanne was born on 30 September 1980 in Bloemfontein as the daughter of André and Ella Mattheus.

Jeanne was always a sensitive soul, an artist and an animal lover to her core.

She played the violin and viola, sketched and painted beautifully. She rode horses, competed in dressage and was a member of the Free State & Northern Cape Junior Equestrian Team that competed in the SA Junior Championships more than once.

Studying veterinary science, the heavy workload and the trauma she later experienced in some practices caused infinite damage to her health. Little time remained for leisure.

Despite health challenges, she excelled as a veterinarian, obtaining support when necessary.

At the time of her passing, she had a tremendous job offer in Hong Kong, was successfully registered with the HK Veterinary Council and was awaiting her work visa.

Jeanne will be missed by all who knew her.

*Prof Ken Pettey*

