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Comments: To begin, my heart has always been in nature. Thanks to the forest service and federal and state protections I have enjoyed a variety of landscapes. I've looked for fossils, walked on cliffs, seen tropical zones arid climates, and everything in between. I've seen oceans that meet mountains. I've foraged for medicinal plants, mushrooms and a bit of meat to sustain myself.

Last week, I buried my husband. Not in the cemetery but in a forest. He is atop a hill with a view of the mountains and a babbling creek. We had camped out just 6 miles away, so I knew he loved the area.

Please protect our lands. There is plenty of love and breath within them.