



Anne Freitas Gomes

June 29, 1944 - February 24, 2022

Longtime Vallejoan, Anne Freitas Gomes passed away on February 24, 2022, leaving a legacy of love and compassion generously shared with her cherished family and circle of dear friends.

Although Anne's illness chipped away at her memory, she maintained her gracious spirit and affection for those she treasured. She leaves behind her devoted husband of 17 years, W.R. (Reg) Gomes of Vacaville, son Bret Freitas (Christina) of Chico, daughter Jill Freitas Theobald of Heber City, Utah, stepson John Gomes of Richmond and stepdaughter Regina Gomes of Emeryville. An adoring Nana, she created lifelong memories for grandchildren Jack, Finn and Cash.

She was loved by her brothers Eugene Griswold Jr. (Holly) of Moiser, Ore., Lynn Griswold of Vallejo, and family including Tom Freitas (Claudia) of Santa Clara, Jolaine Freitas Collins (Rob) of Fair Oaks, and many nieces and nephews who were all special in her eyes.

Anne was born in Ogden, Utah on June 29, 1944 to Arlene Rampton Cherry and Cleo J. Cherry. She moved to Vallejo as a child with her mother and was adopted by Eugene Griswold. Anne graduated from Vallejo High School in 1962, where she served as Student Body President. She was married to Vallejo Realtor Jerry Freitas from 1968 until his passing in 1999.

Anne embraced opportunities for adventure, travel and time spent together with her family and longtime friends.

Always organized and gifted at details, Anne worked in administration for The Doctor's Company, the Law Office of Lionel Rodgers Jr., and she began her career at Vallejo's Wilson Russell Ford Dealership. As a young mother, Anne was active in the Children's Home Society Little Mermaids Chapter and more recently, the Vallejo Piecemakers Quilt Guild.

There will be a private inurnment at All Soul's Cemetery in Vallejo, followed by a celebration of Anne's life this summer. In lieu of flowers, please consider honoring Anne with a contribution to the Dementia Society of America, www.dementiasociety.org.

Cremation and arrangements entrusted to the direction and care of Twin Chapels Mortuary, Vallejo (707) 552-6696. www.TwinChapelsMortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

All Souls Cemetery

550 Glen Cove Road
Vallejo, CA 94591
(707) 644-5209

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

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“ My Uncle Reg has always been someone very special in our lives. When he married Anne and she joined our family it was as though she had always been there. She was special from Day 1 too. I always knew that I was welcome any time I wanted to stop by and would hopefully be spending the night (according to Anne). We had many wonderful times together and a couple of scary ones too. Anne will be greatly missed by us all. Jaime and Leanne Zuniga

Leanne Zuniga - March 14, 2022 at 11:10 PM

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“ A life long friend, always there for every happening in our lives. I was a bridesmaid in her marriage to Jerry, our kids grew up friends. We lost parents and shared in sorrow. Watched our children marry and raise their own families. We watched Anne and Reg find joy in their marriage and loved him for the care he gave her to the end. Years ago Anne gave me a shadow box with a print and the words to the Beatles song, In my Life, those words keep coming to mind as I think of her every day. They say it all?, in my life, I loved them all.

Sharon Kent Harris - March 14, 2022 at 04:21 PM

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Ann was a joy to our families, always with a gracious greeting and hugs. She brought light & life to our family gatherings. She has been & will continue to be missed! Rest in peace ♡♡
Dave&Betty basehore

Dave & Betty Basehore - March 14, 2022 at 10:35 PM

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The day Anne became my sister was a very happy one. I have such wonderful memories of the good times I had with her and my brother. She will be truly missed by all her friends and family. RIP ❤️🌸

Lynda Conklin - April 05, 2022 at 04:54 PM