



Ann Aponte

April 17, 1964 - January 17, 2020

On Friday, January 17, 2020, Ann Catherine Lardner Aponte, 55, Topeka, Kansas, was escorted to her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ by her late husband, Miguel Aponte, Sr.

Ann was born in Topeka on April 17, 1964, the daughter of Joseph and Donna Eakes Lardner. She graduated from Seaman High School in 1982. Ann attended Washburn University but ultimately joined the United States Marine Corps in 1984 and served until 1989. Ann married Miguel A. Aponte on January 17, 1989.

Ann is survived by her children, Miguel Aponte, Jr. (Bernadette Quinto), Erin and Katelynn Lardner; mother, Donna Lardner; siblings, Diane Westling (Chris), Joseph Kelley Lardner, Jeannie Fairchild (Eddie), John Lardner and Sean Jacob Lardner; and uncle, Beryl Wilson. She was preceded in death by her husband, Miguel; father, Joseph Lardner; and godmother, Phylis Weidner.

Visitation will be 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, January 22, 2020, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614, with rosary to be prayed at 6:30 p.m.

Mass of Christian Burial to be celebrated at 10 a.m. Thursday, January 23, 2020, at Mater Dei Assumption Church, 204 SW 8th, Topeka KS 66603, with

burial to follow in Rochester Cemetery.

In lieu of memorial contributions, Ann asks that you live, laugh and love.

Cemetery Details

Rochester Cemetery

1200 NW Menninger Rd
Topeka, KS 66618

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 22. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
(785) 272-7888
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Rosary

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Mass of Christian Burial

JAN **23**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ann Aponte*



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - January 21, 2020 at 12:49 PM



“ *Ann Aponte*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Miguel and family,*

I am so sorry to see this sad news. Ann was always so friendly and she and her mother so involved at Rochester. Such good mothers always looking out for their kids! I have had you all in my prayers and will continue to keep you close in thought! I am sorry I was not able to attend the visitation or funeral due to illness in my family.

Carolyn Miller, former Para at Rochester Elementary

Carolyn Miller - January 23, 2020 at 09:44 AM

SS

Ann, as I sat in Ohio something told me to check on you via the internet and here I find that you have passed. It is sad in the Marine Corps that even though you make lifetime friends everyone goes there separate ways. Anyhow I will hold you in dear memories of the time we shared and maybe will see each other again one day. Rest easy my dear friend. Semper Fi

Sharon Sunday - May 10, 2023 at 01:40 PM

AG

“ I am very sad to hear of Ann’s passing. She was always smiling. I will forever remember her picking up one of the kids at Rochester Elementary. My thoughts and prayers are with the family & her friends.

Audra Gragg - January 22, 2020 at 05:31 PM

JP

“ I am so sorry to learn of Annie's passing. Everything she endured she always had a smile on her face and worried about everyone else.. She was so proud of her children and family and was always there to help. Condolence to you.

Jude Price - January 22, 2020 at 11:35 AM

DB

“ Beautiful person and beautiful memories we will always treasure til we meet again some sweet day Dale and Donna Baker

Donna Baker - January 22, 2020 at 02:21 AM

MW

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Annie. She was a special person I have known for about 50 years. She was always there for whatever needed done and she will be truly missed. I will miss talking to her but she will not be suffering and she will be watching down over all of us and smiling. RIP Annie.

Marcia (Hansford) White - January 20, 2020 at 04:00 PM

AB

“ Jeannie,
I was so sorry to hear of your sister's passing. You and your entire family are in my thoughts and prayers as you grieve the passing of your dear sister, daughter, wife, mother, and friend. I pray God will bring you comfort and peace.

*Blessings and hugs,
Annette Brownlee*

Annette Brownlee - January 20, 2020 at 03:37 PM

LR

“ Sorry to hear of Ann's passing. She was a customer and friend of mine. I loved to listen to her stories. Ann was passionate about many things in life and always had a lot of things going on at once. She was a true wonder woman. She will be missed by many people.

Lori & Larry Reid - January 20, 2020 at 02:42 PM

JF

“ What a truly selfless soul, wonderful sister, giving and kindhearted. You are already missed. You made us all better people, you made a difference.

*Love,
Jean*

Jeannie Fairchild - January 20, 2020 at 09:21 AM

CS

“ So sorry for the loss of Ann. I knew Ann in grade school , Rochester Grade School, junior high, Logan Jr. High and high school, Seaman High School. I remember playing with her at recess at grade school. She could always run so fast even though she was short like me. Great memories of a sweet lady. Cheryl (Hundley) Soderlund

Cheryl Soderlund - January 19, 2020 at 01:00 PM

RC

Just learned Annie left us. Hurts my heart to know it turned out like this. Annie is soaring with Jesus which gives hope to all of us!

Robbie Chitwood - July 12, 2020 at 04:32 AM