



Betty Ann Gollstrom Gleason

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Our mother, grandmother, and sister Betty Ann Gollstrom Gleason passed away peacefully at home at the age of “21.” She was born on January 10, 1938 in Proctor, VT to Fritz and Anna Gollstrom. Mom’s parents migrated from Sweden to the USA and mom was very proud of her heritage as proven with the threat of a “pisketarumpa” for anyone who was acting up. She married Lawrence Patrick Gleason, the love of her life, on October 19, 1957; they had six wonderful children; Lawrence Gleason Jr., Anna (Mike) Douglas, Pamela (Paul) Brotzman, Gregory Gleason, Michael (Tina) Gleason, Theresa Adams whom all “percolated” 17 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Mom was very involved in the lives of her grandchildren including raising her oldest living grand-daughter Debra Lee. She loved to spend time playing games and cards with her great-grandchildren and later in life her grandchildren took an active role in her care.

She worked over 25 years at the Internal Revenue Service where she created lasting friendships. Once retired, mom was not one to just sit around. She volunteered at Davis Hospital and worked at Sam’s Club as a product demonstrator. Mom had the gift of gab and was known by all as a “nyfiken” for her ability to get information from all. Mom made friends where ever she went with her out-going personality and infectious laughter.

Our mom loved country music. She went to Nashville several times to attend the Country Fan Fest with her sisters and daughter. She loved traveling, going to visit new places and revisiting her favorite casinos. Every year she would go “home” to Vermont for weeks to catch up with family and friends. Mom was very family-oriented and made sure we always got together to celebrate holidays and/or just to party.

She went to heaven to celebrate her 83rd birthday with those who preceded her in death; her husband Larry, granddaughter Nicole, her parents and her siblings. She is survived by her sister



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Donna, her children, 16 grandchildren, and her great-grandchildren.

Graveside service will be held on Tuesday January 12, 2021 at Lindquist's Clearfield Mortuary 1050 South Street, Clearfield, UT at 2:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, please celebrate mom's life with a shot of VO.



Tribute Wall

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LM

Laurel Martinez posted:

I met Betty when she was a volunteer at the Davis Hospital. She was very compassionate and brought joy to anybody she met. She talked about her family with love and pride. God bless you and give you comfort.

January 29 at 4:31 PM

CB

Cheryl Barker posted:

I worked with Betty several years at IRS and always stopped to have laughs with her when spotted at Sams club. She was a bright spot in many people's lives including my own. She always had a smile on her face. Betty was interested in everyone's adventures and loved to share her own. I can imagine her sweet reunion with Larry. My condolences to her family. Cheryl Barker

January 12 at 1:39 PM

GJ

Gloria Stir Land John posted:

I remember when I was in elementary and Jr.high coming home from school and my mom and Betty sitting on the steps in front of her house just laughing and waiting for us to come home from school. Betty was a good friend to my mom. Even when they lost touch after we moved to SLC. She would talk about her all the time. It was nice seeing her at my mothers 70th birthday party. Great memories!!!!!! Gloria Stirland John

January 12 at 10:11 AM

SK

Scott Kennedy posted:

I'm not sure where to start but this lady was amazing. I adopted her about 30 years ago. We had a great friendship and rivalry as she was a patriots fan through and through and I was a Steelers fan and that was the only thing we ever differed onShe will be greatly missed but never forgotten

January 12 at 5:57 AM

MF

Marva Fisher posted:

I worked with Betty at Sam's she was the nicest sweetest lady. Was always smiling and made you feel like you were her best friend. My thoughts and prayers go out to you. Heaven just got a 24 karat gild angel. Marva Fisher

January 11 at 8:49 PM



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BM

Bonnie Lou Morrow posted:

the gleason family my name is bonnie i worked with your mom at sams in layton doing demos she was the niceist person i have know she also hugged me i will miss her dearly my thoughts and prayers r with you

January 11 at 4:45 AM

MB

Mike And Lynn Brown January 12 at 10:03 AM

Our deepest condolences to the Gleason family! Betty will be truly missed! She made the world a happier place to be! We have soooo many memories of her and your dad and I am so happy that they are together again! She missed him so much! Rest In Peace our sweet queeny,God watch over you till we meet again! Brown family

DH

Darin Hoggan posted:

Our prayers are with you Gleason family. Your mom is such a kind hearted, loving, forgiving, generous person. I hope her reunion with your great dad after so many years was a joyful experience. As I reminisced this morning about living next door for so long, I had two fun thoughts. I remember Mike's awesome bike that he got for Christmas one year. I didn't even know bikes like that existed. I also remember eating cereal at your house and having it all be mixed together. Just know that the memories are not just yours but many of us have great memories of your family as well. Glad we lived next door for so many years. God bless your mom and all of you during this time.

January 10 at 2:46 AM

CR

Carissa Rinden posted:

I remember T and I hanging out at Mrs. G's house. Mrs. G's laughter and her direction. She was a nice, strong, and caring person. I loved hanging out with T and her family. The Gleason family felt like home. The three houses on the street made visiting a fun time and hard to leave when I was younger. Mrs. G will be missed. Hopefully, her and my momma will hang out and laugh about the crazy twins who tried not to get into too much trouble. Love you Mrs. G.

January 9 at 6:17 PM

MG

Mary Ann Gleason January 14 at 6:16 AM

I'm so sorry to hear about Betty I was married to Larry brother Jim Gleason we visited with Larry and Betty many times in Utah and Vermont with them Betty was a fun loving person we loved. Her so much. My Condolences & sympathy to her family. Love Mary ann. Culbert Gleason Bradenton florida



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Heather Arrant Hall posted:

Your mama was such a joy. I not only knew her from our school years but had the pleasure of working with her as she volunteered at the hospital. Trips on the fun bus to Wendover with her and the Volunteers will always be a fond memory. Beautiful lady ♥♥♥. I'm so sorry for your loss. Lots of love, Heather

January 9 at 6:12 PM



Debralee Patterson shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Mommy you will be missed. I love you

January 9 at 2:26 PM





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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Betty by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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