



Shawna Anne Sugimoto

December 14, 1972 - November 24, 2018

It is with deep sadness in our hearts that we inform you of the passing of our loving mother, grand-mother, daughter, sister and friend.

Shawna Anne Sugimoto was born to Steven T. Sugimoto and Marie Weston Ward on December 14, 1972. She was a loving and selfless person who often put others needs before her own.

Shawna attended Roy High School and graduated with a bachelor's degree from Weber State University. She worked as a contractor at Hill Air Force base for many years and was a volunteer with Americorp working as a Student Advocate.

Shawna adored all children which was reflected in the many hours that she spent working with students at Roy High School, The Boys and Girls Club of Roy and especially the students at North Davis Jr. High. She absolutely loved her nieces and nephews. She had established a food pantry at Roy High for students in need and hoped that it would eventually grow to serve her community. Shawna was a strong and active supporter of NAMI and NUHOPE. She was a hardcore Dallas Cowboys fan and lover of all things Elvis, Winnie the Pooh and Hello Kitty.

Shawna is survived by her son Colton (Jamie) Sugimoto and daughter Kiersten (Jake) White. She is also survived by her mother, brothers Scott (Heather) and Aaron (Sunny) Sugimoto, stepsister Guillian (Joey) D'Alessandro, stepmother Vicki Sugimoto, grandmother Ruth Sugimoto, many nieces and nephews, aunts and uncles and her sweet little dog Snuggles.

Shawna was preceded in death by her father, grandparents George Sugimoto and Heber and Mary Weston, and her precious grand-daughter Isla Michelle Sugimoto.

A celebration gathering of family and friends will be held at the Ogden Buddhist Church, 155 North St., Ogden, Utah on December 15, 2018 from 1:00-3:00 pm.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been set up in Shawna's name at America First Credit Union to help with funeral costs.

Cremation under the care of Premier Funeral Services of Roy

Comments



“ Shawna's friends at NAMI Utah miss her terribly. She was such an advocate for mental health awareness. We feel blessed that she was a part of our community.

Robin Holcomb
NAMI Utah

Robin Holcomb - December 13, 2018 at 02:33 PM



“ Here's a poem I wrote for our sweet friend. Miss her so much

Her Wings Of Love

How can I write your poem today? It's too hard to refer to you in past tense. I'd like to continue to refer to you in the now, please let me have this pretense.

Because you ARE the sweetest most kind and caring person I know, and HAVE the very best heart! I can't handle thinking of you anywhere else so with me you will never part.

You ARE an angel as you've always been, you earned your wings a long time ago.

Under those wings you've nurtured many and helped them as they grow.

They say "Fly High" my dear friend and I should too. It hurts, but you deserve far better than this world could ever offer you.

Fly into your Daddy's arms, I'm sure he can't wait to hold you tight. Kiss the head of your darling granddaughter, look into her eyes and see her light!

Let our Creator lift your burdens and heal all of your Earthly wounds. You've done such valient work here, I'm sure he's been waiting to Honor you!

I know I don't have to ask it, but please don't leave, fly free but by our sides. We're selfish and still need you and not ready to say goodbye.

I love you, my sweet friend, and will say "Be seeing you" for I know we will. You'll find a way like you always have, to gently remind and send sweet messages of love still

Holly Murphy - December 13, 2018 at 03:40 AM



“ We love you Shawna and miss you so much.

Grandma, Uncle Danny, Aunt Karen



karen Downing - December 13, 2018 at 01:11 AM