



Paula Anne Parks

October 14, 1955 - January 10, 2016

Dateline: Godfrey

Paula Anne Parks, 60, died at 2:43 p.m. Sunday, January 10, 2016 at her home in Godfrey with her loving family by her side. Born October 14, 1955 in Alton, she was the daughter of Frank P. and Bertha M. (Jungk) Riskorski. Paula graduated from Alton High School in 1973 and earned her teaching degree from the University of Texas in Arlington. She taught elementary school in Texas from 1986-2000. She later worked as assistant manger for the Godfrey Schnucks store from 2006-2014. She married Karl Leno Kaumo. He preceded her in death. On February 14, 2011 she married Larry J. Parks in Alton. He survives. Also surviving is a son Karl Leno Kaumo Jr. of Midlothian, TX, three step children, Rick Parks of Alton, Mike Parks of Alton and Sherry Dill of Godfrey, and a brother and sister-in-law John and Peggy Riskorski of Denver, CO. Private burial will be at a later date. Memorials may be made to the 5A's Animal Shelter. Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Paula Anne Parks*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *I want to offer my condolences to the Parks family. It is a painful thing to lose a love one in death; even Jesus, when Lazarus died, "gave way to tears"(John 11: 35). It pains our Creator, too, and he has promised to bring our love one back to life at Isaiah 26:19 "Your dead will rise ...Awake joyfully you residents in the dust! ...the earth will let those powerless in death come to life" then "he will swallow up death forever ..." (Isaiah 25:8). I hope these words give you comfort.*

VScott - January 19, 2016 at 02:24 PM



“ *John, I remember being in grade school with you, and with Paula just behind us. And in later years seeing Paula at Schnucks grocery store. She was so kind, and funny. I am so sorry for your loss. Our mothers (mine, MaryAnn Kelley) were friends for many years. Take care. Donna (Kelley) Mikoff*

Donna Mikoff - January 15, 2016 at 10:55 AM

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“ *Paula was my Aunt. She lived next door to us for many years when I was a child. I remember her loving smile. She kept an immaculate house and was a wonderful mother to her son, Karl!!! I loved going over for an unlimited supply of fruit snacks and cereal. Aunt Paula, I love you!!! I know I will see you again!!!
To all of the family and Karl - you are in my thoughts and prayers!!!*

Jennifer Kaumo Fann

Jennifer Fann - January 13, 2016 at 03:39 PM

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“ *The world lost a Great person....
Larry, you're in our thoughts and Prayers.
Lori & Kary Smith*

Lori Smith - January 13, 2016 at 12:44 PM