



Mrs. Jen Gary-Baker

March 19, 1971 - January 12, 2021

Jen Gary-Baker, 49, of Lithia, Florida, born in Spartanburg, South Carolina on March 19, 1971, entered into eternal rest on January 12, 2021. She was a 1989 graduate of Tarpon Springs High School, and a 1993 graduate of Converse College, Spartanburg, South Carolina. Her passion in life was being a military wife and mother. She is survived by husband of 23 years, Spencer L. Baker; children, Reilly Alexander Baker, Easton Spencer Baker, Camelia Ellis Baker, Duncan Murphy Baker, and Reece McKinley Baker; mother, Dianne Saunders Gary of Palm Harbor; brother, Nathan Gary (Jen) of Santa Monica, California; parents-in-law, Marilyn Studemeyer of Charleston, South Carolina, and Skip Baker (Debbie) of Bluffton, South Carolina. Expressions of condolence at HopewellFuneral.com.

Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Jen Gary-Baker



Hopewell Funeral Home - January 16, 2021 at 04:36 PM

NP

“ We knew Jen and Spencer when they lived in Virginia Beach. Her enthusiasm and infectious joy for life is what I will always remember. My son, James, loved to play at her house because it was full of rambunctious boys! My heart is broken for her family. Heaven must have really needed a rock star angel! We send our love and prayers for healing and courage during this difficult time.

Nancy & Eric Pouliquen - January 18, 2021 at 07:08 PM

AF

“ I met Jen at a Mom's group and tot club in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. We were both pregnant at the time with our second children and Easton was born the same day as my son, Cole. Jen had an infectious laugh and a passion for life. She was so creative and funny and one of the best and most fun loving moms I ever met. She was dedicated to her family and she and Spencer shared such a special bond that was beautiful to witness. Gone way too soon. Sending loving thoughts to Spencer and their beautiful children. May you rest in eternal peace, Beautiful Jen.

Amanda Fader - January 18, 2021 at 07:16 AM

CC

“ Met Jen and her beautiful big family on our exchange posting to Maryland. Jen welcomed me and my girls with her megawatt smile. She encouraged me to go for number 4 and showed me how not scary and beautiful a big family can be. So very sorry and sad this bright lite has gone from this world. Thoughts are for her family.

colleen conlin - January 17, 2021 at 04:09 PM

TH

“ I am so very sorry to hear of Jen's passing. I met Jen my Freshman year of high school. We quickly became close friends. I moved to TN after my first semester, and we stayed in touch. When I moved back to Tarpon Springs the second semester of my senior year, Jen was one of a few people who remembered me and took the time to catch up. Jen was so energetic, fun, and loving. She will truly be missed. Prayers and hugs to the entire family!

Tracy Harding - January 17, 2021 at 01:42 PM

AA

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Jens passing, we were stationed in Athens GA together at the beginning of their Navy adventure.. I have amazing memories of our walking club with Jen carrying Reilly in the backpack and playgroups. Jen had such a beautiful smile and contagious laugh, she will be missed 💔!

Andreya A - January 17, 2021 at 12:31 PM

BS

“ I'm so sad to hear of Jen's passing!! She was such a source of light and had such a joyful spirit!! Prayers and hugs to all her family!!

Beth Strickland - January 17, 2021 at 12:11 PM

GS

“ I am heart broken to learn of Jen’s passing. Although we had not been in touch for years, I have fond memories of her. My thoughts and prayers go out to Spencer, the beautiful kids and all of the family. God bless.

Gaby Sifter - January 17, 2021 at 08:57 AM

CM

She was such a sweetheart.

Candy Moore - February 12, 2021 at 03:21 PM

CM

Jen was such a sweetheart. I will be praying for her family. God bless.

Candy Moore - February 12, 2021 at 03:22 PM

SF

“ Jen you were/are an amazing person. You took care of us all and put everyone 1st. I am truly grateful to be able to call you my friend. With all our hone moves we have stayed in touch and I am so lucky when I flew to FL I got to see you for lunch and even got to talk to Riley on the phone. My heart ❤️ goes out to each of the kids. You were/are truly loved 😊



Suzanne Foulkes - January 17, 2021 at 04:50 AM



Marilu Wages

My condolences to her beautiful kids and family. Jen was a caring loving person who loved her kids to the max and always brought smiles to her friends. Jen you will be missed.

Marilu Wages - January 17, 2021 at 02:06 PM

MF

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Meredith Watts Fincher - January 16, 2021 at 11:18 PM

LF

“ *I am so saddened to hear of Jen’s passing. She always had such a fun and upbeat personality that was infectious. She was a ray of sunshine that loved to encourage and support others. She will be greatly missed.*

Leah Fuller - January 16, 2021 at 10:37 PM

SB

“ *So sad to hear of Jen's passing. Prayers to Spencer and each of your children. May you find peace in all of your wonderful memories. I was Lucky to have known Jen, if only for a short time.*
Stacey Berryman

Stacey Berryman - January 16, 2021 at 10:26 PM

AI

“ *Andria Impson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jen Gary-Baker*



Andria Impson - January 16, 2021 at 09:11 PM

TP

“ *My family and I are so sorry to hear of Jen’s passing, she was a bright light and will truly be missed. May happy moments fill your hearts at this time.*

the Griffin Family, Blue Bell Pa - January 16, 2021 at 08:48 PM

KH

“ *I’m so sorry to hear of Jen’s passing. She was always so fun to hang out with in the va beach moms group when we all lived in va beach. She exuded light.*

Kristen Howard - January 16, 2021 at 08:39 PM

MW

“ *I’m so sorry to hear of Jen’s passing. She was the most loving mom. She was a fun and caring friend and will be greatly missed.*

Mindy Weldon - January 16, 2021 at 08:33 PM

KA

“ So so sad...front row family love from way back!



Kathryn - January 16, 2021 at 07:19 PM



“ 43 files added to the album Life Tributes



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SF

Beautiful photos ❤️

Suzanne Foulkes - January 17, 2021 at 12:32 PM

KA

“ Kimberly Renee Arnold lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Jen Gary-Baker



Kimberly Renee Arnold - January 16, 2021 at 12:15 PM



“ *Cousin, you are loved now and forever.* ”



Mercer Reeves - January 16, 2021 at 11:47 AM