

Glenna Joy Park Barker

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What a wonderful tribute to your mom Mary! Great stories well written. And so glad you included photos from varying stages of her life. I remember fondly her smile and cheery voice whenever she would answer the door or phone. My heart is with you and your family.

- Amy Dixon

Lamento mucho la pérdida de tu mami, siempre recibimos un trato muy cariñoso de su parte. El día que la conocí fue el día que llegué por primera vez a SLC, y yo no sabía ni una palabra de Inglés. Una Dama en toda la extensión de la palabra. Te mando mis sentimientos de solidaridad y espero que encuentren confort con el bello recuerdo de tu mamá.

- Sergio Hernandez Aranda

What a beautiful tribute to your mom, Mary! I'm so sorry for your loss, but was touched to learn so many fun things about Glenna. Sending so much love from me and Mom. Monica

- Monica Pasqual

Mary, I’m so sorry to hear about your mom. When we moved into Yale 2nd ward she was so sweet to me. She was my absolute favorite primary teacher ever. She always took special care of me because my parents rarely came to church. She will be missed. Our families have had a special relationship for many years and I’m so grateful for that. Love Margaret

- Margaret Barnes

First off, we have to say that her childhood picture reminds us of Mary. We enjoyed reading about Glenna's early life. She became a very dear neighbor when we moved next door to the Barker family on Emerson Avenue in the

early 1990's. She was never without a smile and her beautiful eyes reflected kindness, wit, and intelligence. We can still hear her laughter. Since moving away from Emerson in 2011, we have missed the waves, the goody exchanges, the conversations, and just knowing our neighbors were there. We watched out for each other and for our homes when one of us traveled away. Our memories are fond of the Barker family and we mourn with you, Mary and Jim, Marion and Sam, along with the grandchildren and other family, at her loss--hoping that time will give you peace and balance. Glenna gave the best of what she was to others.

- LaRetta and Walter Arabasz