

Adrienne Gillett

July 23, 1933 ~ April 18, 2024

Adrienne Gillett quietly passed away on April 18, 2024, in Henderson, Nevada. She was born July 23, 1933, in Los Angeles, California, the daughter of George William Brown and Ruth Ardella Watson. Adrienne grew up in rural Arcadia, CA. She loved the area so much because you could have horses. Even though she could not have one of her own, she cleaned out the stalls of a neighbor's horse, which gave her the privilege of riding the horse on Saturdays. Euphoria is not a strong enough word to describe her happiness while riding. She loved horses and really all animals. Graduating Phi Beta Kappa from Occidental college in 1955, she used her degree as a well-loved and enthusiastic elementary and special education teacher in several schools in Southern California and Salt Lake City. Additionally, she cofounded a financial information company, Communiquest, with her daughter Lisa in SLC, UT. While living in Colorado was instrumental in developing awareness about the symptoms and treatment of ADHD. Because of her determination in finding out about ADHD, it has had profound effect on her posterity. Despite these accomplishments, she firmly maintained her most important role was that of a loving mother. She was blessed with four children, Lisa, Casey, Eric, and Shane. She found great joy in all of their academic and sporting activities. Adrienne was the team mom for the La Canada HS Football team, during the time her two oldest sons played. She was able to raise enough money for the team to have a state-of-the-art weight room for them to train. She put her heart and soul into anything she wanted to accomplish.

She enjoyed traveling, sports and cultural events as well as a variety of outdoor activities (water & snow skiing), with a particular interest in whale watching. Being a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints was a big part of her life. Her faith in Jesus Christ sustained her through difficult and happy times. She lived and made friends in Southern California, Oregon, Washington, Utah, Florida, and Nevada, but no matter where she went, family came first.

She is survived by her sons Casey Muehle, Eric Muehle and Shane Weston and was preceded in death by her beloved daughter, Lisa. In her later years, her 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren became the focal point of her life, and she kept up to date on as many of their activities and accomplishments as she could. Without fail she sent Birthday and Christmas cards to each one of them. She will be remembered as an unfailing source of encouragement, her devotion to the gospel and the fierce love she carried for her family.

She will be missed greatly by those who knew her best. She will be laid to rest at the Salt Lake City Cemetery on May 4, 2024.