

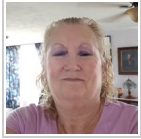


Roxanne C. Aten

April 7, 1960 - December 8, 2020

Roxanne Aten, 60, of Shelby Township passed into the arms of her Lord and Savior December 8, 2020 at Troy Beaumont Hospital with family members by her side after a courageous six-week battle with COVID-19. Roxanne was born April 7, 1960 in Iron Mountain the daughter of the late Clyde and Elaine (Dysktra) Divine. Roxanne graduated from Kingsford High School in 1978. In 1982 she chose to serve her country by joining the Air Force where she would meet the love of her life. On November 12, 1982 she married Samuel Aten in a quiet ceremony in the base chapel of Hill Air Force Base in Utah. Together they raised 4 children on numerous Air Force Bases both here in the United States and abroad. In more recent years she enjoyed spending time knitting socks, fishing, and spending time with her family. Roxanne is survived by her husband, Sam, her children Phillip (Brenda) Aten of Florence, Jasmine (Anthony) Freeman of Shelby Township, Michigan, Kimberly (Kevin) Woolcock of Brown Mills, New Jersey, and Rebecka Aten of Sacramento, California. Her five grandchildren Serenity and Gloria Aten, Johnathan, Hope and Lily Freeman. Brothers Robert Divine, Rev. Michael (Deborah) Divine, and Edwin (Loretta) Divine. Sisters Beth (Kenn) Wittcock, and Patty (Steven) Smith. Also, several nieces and nephews. Roxanne was preceded in death both of her parents. Private family services will be held. In lieu of flowers please make donations to Ronald Mc Donald House Charities of Ann Arbor. 1600 Washington Heights Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104.

Tribute Wall



“ My family met Roxie and Sam on Thanksgiving day 1991. It was our first night in Germany. They lived on the 3rd floor apt. of the stairwell base houseing. We moved into the apt on the first floor of the same building about a week later and became the best of friends. We took a class together to learn how to do ceramics and went up to Ramstein just about every day. We had a lot of fun doing that I think. May you rest in peace old friend and know that you and your family will always in my heart.

LuAnn

LuAnn Breedlove - December 13, 2020 at 11:35 PM

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“ I will never forget the day we went to the Navy recruiters office to see how we could sign up under the buddy program. After talking to the recruiter we decided to think about it a little more. Well she ended up in the Air Force and I ended up in the Marine Corps where we both met our soul mates. We had some great times in Concert Chorale together. You were a good friend and you will be missed by so many. My prayers go out to her family. Rest in peace my friend.

Tina Walstrom Schoolfield class of 78

tina schoolfield - December 11, 2020 at 07:55 AM

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“ I will never forget the giggling and smiles when Roxi told me that her youngest son proposed to my youngest daughter when they were three years old. Despite the travels that took our families in different directions around the world we always managed to meet up and spend a few years together several times during her lifetime. She will be missed by our family and celebrated in our memories.

Mary J Miller - December 09, 2020 at 10:32 PM