



Jeanne Lahrman

August 18, 1942 - October 11, 2008

Obituary for Jeanne Marie Lahrman

Memorial services for Jeanne Marie Lahrman, 66, of Roswell will be held at 11:00 am Saturday, October 25, 2008, at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home Chapel with the Honorable Ralph Shamas presiding. Jeanne passed away Saturday, October 11, 2008 at Presbyterian Hospital in Albuquerque, NM.

Jeanne was born August 18, 1942 in Cincinnati, Ohio to Lee and Alice Lahrman. Jeanne received her undergraduate degree from St. Louis University and her Juris Doctorate from Indiana University. She was admitted to the practice of law in New Mexico in 1980. Jeanne loved practicing law, spending time with good friends and showing her Chihuahuas. She was able to travel throughout the world during her life.

She is survived by one sister; Mary Murphy of Chicago, IL, four nephews; Pat Murphy, of Arlington Heights, IL, David Dixon, of Novato, CA, Jon Dixon, of Mill Valley, CA and Robert Dixon, of Nicasio, CA.

Jeanne was preceded in death by her parents Lee G. and Alice L. Lahrman and one sister, Edith Ann Dixon.

In lieu of flowers, Jeanne requested that donations be made to the Roswell Humane Society, 703 E. McGaffey, Roswell, NM 88203.

Please share your thoughts and memories with the family in the online register book at andersonbethany.com

Services are under the direction of Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home & Crematory.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jeanne Lahrman*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Jeanne lived across the street from me when she lived in Roswell. It was always nice to have talks with her and see her with her dogs. She will be missed*

Jeneva Dearing - November 03, 2008 at 02:12 PM



“ *I don't know what to say. My daughter told me of Ms. Lahrman's passing yesterday and I was in such shock. I only met Ms. Lahrman for a brief moment in July. She represented my 21-yr old daughter, who was facing serious charges and a 30-yr prison sentence for something she didn't do. Ms. Lahrman saved my little girl's life. I never thanked her, and I regret not doing so. Thank you, Ms. Lahrman. May you rest in peace in the arms of our wonderful God. Thank you so very much. God be with the family during this difficult time.*

Luciana Carrillo - October 29, 2008 at 10:52 AM

FM

“ *Jeanne was one of the most wonderful people I have ever had the pleasure of knowing. As a newcomer to Carlsbad I had a lot of alone time and Jeanne decided I needed a friend so she gave me a chihuahua named Ryder. Ryder is a terrific dog who is adored by my family. Everytime I see Ryder I think of Jeanne and what a nice thing she did for me. I will greatly miss Jeanne's kindness and sense of humor and I am so sad that she left us too early. Goodbye friend.*

Fred Moll - October 29, 2008 at 10:08 AM

JH

“ *Jeanne was a highly intelligent and compassionate person. She was well respected by her peers and was a worthy adversary in the courtroom. She loved her dogs and was a friend to many. She will definitely be missed by her many friends in Carlsbad and Roswell. My sincere condolences to Jeanne's family upon her demise.*

Joyce Hatfield - October 25, 2008 at 12:34 PM

SA

“ *A formidable opponent in the court room, a kind and trusted friend outside the court..The president of the "women's bar group"..She never failed to reach out a helping hand to young attorneys, myself included...I respected her greatly and will miss her...*

Shelbie Allen - October 24, 2008 at 11:25 PM

KS

“ Even though in years Jeanne was older than me, I never imagined she would leave this earth before me. Her spirit was young and full of spunk. Everyone knew when she walked into the room... even the courtroom, and yes, even if court was in session! Only Jeanne could get away with that..... quiet was not in her vocabulary. I will miss our lunch dates and get-togethers and will always cherish the memories. Jeanne was a good friend to me and many others and will be greatly missed.

Kay Steen - October 24, 2008 at 10:46 PM

NB

“ I will miss Jeanne. She was an independent woman who knew what she wanted and was not afraid to tell you what she thought. If you ever needed help, she was there for you.

Nilda Balderston - October 24, 2008 at 09:53 PM

KS

“ Jeanne was a wonderful, kind soul. A lady who truly loved her dogs and dog shows. I met her many years ago, and she never failed to speak when we would see each other at a dog show! She will be missed!

Karen Sanders - October 23, 2008 at 01:38 PM

JF

“ I had the honor of working with Jeanne when she was the Assitant District Attorney for the 5th Judicial District. We all adored her sense of humor and wit and her love for her dogs. I remember she used to call me Judy wootie and I called her Jeannie weenie! I'll miss you my friend.

Judy Fletcher - October 23, 2008 at 11:27 AM

ST

“ *Jeanne had a heart of gold when it came to animals and would offer help to anyone no matter what. She will have a special place in heaven and will probably be showing dogs there too. My condolences to her family and friends.* ”

Susanne Thiemann - October 23, 2008 at 11:25 AM

DN

“ *Jeanne, was a true friend to me. I will miss her laughter and her beautiful spirit. My sincere condolences to her family.* ”

Debra (Blakeney) Nallie - October 23, 2008 at 10:18 AM

J(

“ *I would like to offer my deepest sympathy to the family of Jeanne. I worked several cases with her and was always treated with the utmost respect. I will truly miss Jeanne.* ”

Jim Estrada Eddy County Sheriffs Investigator (Ret - October 23, 2008 at 09:58 AM

MB

“ *A LADY.* ”

MIKE LA BELLA - October 22, 2008 at 06:58 PM

RH

“ *We'll miss her.* ”

Ron Higginbotham - October 22, 2008 at 06:53 PM

LA

“ I have known Jeanne for quite a few years and used to take care of her dogs while she was traveling to shows. she will be greatly missed. My condolences to her family. L.

Laurie Abbey - October 22, 2008 at 04:59 PM

TS

“ Jeanne...what an awesome person! I owe my career and my first dog show win to her. Jeanne had such a good heart and would do anything to help anyone. It's easy to see why she had so many friends and was such a great friend to so many. I admired her spirit and her sense of humor and will miss her greatly!

Tomma Shumate - October 22, 2008 at 02:15 PM

JB

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.

James L. Bruin - October 22, 2008 at 01:56 PM

TD

“ Jeanne was a good one. Went away too soon. When Jeanne was a Childrens Court attorney for the state, she always did the best job at keeping the child's interests at heart . . . not too much of that prosecutorial attitude except when needed and then boy howdy. Never forget visiting her once in the old Prices Creamery bldg. Dog cages stacked 2 or 3 tall around all three walls. Dogs too. Not all legal offices smell the same.

Tom Dunlap - October 22, 2008 at 11:26 AM

AE

“ Jeanne was our "character" in the Roswell public defenders office. We are all missing her terribly.

Amy Jo English - October 22, 2008 at 09:05 AM