



Anne Marie Bettencourt

May 22, 1953 - May 17, 2020

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“ I am so sorry to Anne's family and everyone that knew and loved her. Such a tragic loss. Anne hired me at Great Western Savings in 1985. She later told me she hired me because of my laugh. Little did we know at that time how many laughs we would share over the years. We became the best of friends and eventually roommates. We had the time of our lives, adventure after adventure. I was Boss Hog in our group "The Pigs" that Gary wrote of. We had an awesome bunch at work that were very close. Anne and I traveled, Bahamas, Cancun, Ixtapa where I was abducted by federales while Anne was in our room sick. What a story that is. We rode my Harley to events, campouts and whatever may have been going on. We weren't bothered by guys because they thought we were a couple, hahaha. It worked for us. We'd load up the car and go camping in Yosemite, cruise up the coast to The River Inn. We went on a cruise with my Diablo Canyon coworkers, had a ball. Met a couple guys from San Francisco on the cruise that became good friends. We'd cruise up to San Francisco to visit them when we'd get a wild hair. Limo rides a plenty with "The Pigs", kidnapped people along the way. So many memories of my friend, these are just a few. We called her Sybil because she could be your boss and your friend and did it perfectly, among other things. We were out hangin at Brubaker's and John (he was a regular that ride his bike everywhere) came in and was just staring at us thinking. All of a sudden he blurted out "Hey, I've got you two figured out. You're instigate (pointing at Anne) and you're follow through (me). We laughed hysterically, he was right. Oh Anne, she made such an impact on my life and I will be forever grateful! I've missed her for years and now I will miss her even more. So blessed to have had her in my life. I will always think of her, I am so sad, all my love to my angel Anne.

Mary Swann - May 23, 2020 at 10:10 PM

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“ First, my condolences to Diane, Mary and Bud.

I have so many thoughts of Anne it is impossible to express any one of them. Her zest, her dedication to friends, her leadership, her smile, just her, it's so cliché to say I can't believe she has passed. My relationship with Anne originated at Great Western Bank downtown San Luis in 1986. As manager she had the respect of her staff who were also her closest friends. Our group was "The Pigs", we worked together and danced together. She created a family, and without effort was the leader. Her genuine warmth commanded without ever being forced. She led with loyalty, equally sharing who she was with everyone.

It was over thirty years ago when our group created life long memories that bonded us forever though as happens we went our separate ways. Even so, every year Anne and I wished each other a happy birthday. Her birthday is today, I will keep last year's message of our intention to have champagne and celebrate the day. I will always miss her, never forget her, and always see her smiling face. No number of words can express how saddened I am, no passage of time will make it less. I love you Hon.

Gary

Gary Freiberg - May 22, 2020 at 10:36 PM