



Christia Parr Mitchell

November 1, 1955 - January 23, 2006

Christia Parr Mitchell

Christia Chris Parr Mitchell, 50, of San Antonio, Texas, died Monday, January 23, 2006. She is survived by her children Kate Richardson, Betsy Antolik, Mitchell Antolik, Allie Antolik; parents, Gerald and Nedra Mitchell; fiancé Masoud Rasti and his children Jonathan and Jennifer Rasti, Jason Rasti, Mason Rasti, and Mari Rasti. Surviving family also includes brothers Gerald Mitchell Jr. and wife Kathy, Andrew Mitchell; aunt Enrica Ramey; uncles John Mitchell and wife Kathleen, Robert Mitchell and wife Margaret; and grandfather Robert Mitchell, Sr. She was preceded in death by grandmothers Annie Laurie Mitchell, Melba Ramey, and grandfather Robert Ramey.

Chris was born in Memphis, Tennessee, November 1, 1955. She was a 1973 graduate of Denton High School. She earned a Bachelor's in Business Administration from Texas Tech University in 1977, a Master's in Business Administration from West Texas State University in 1984, and was employed by EDS as a systems engineer. In 1992, she earned a Doctor of Jurisprudence from St. Mary's University School of Law. She was admitted to the State Bar of Texas in 1992. Her law practice included the firms of Wright and Greenhill, Lane, Gannon, and Taliaferro, and Ball and Weed. She began her private practice in 2004. Her memberships have included the San Antonio Bar Association Employment Law and Family Law Sections, the Bexar County Women's Bar Association, the Texas Association of Defense

Council, and the honorary legal fraternity of Phi Delta Phi. She won superior awards and recognition in local, state, and national mock trial competitions while attending St. Mary's University School of Law.

She was a Texas delegate to the Republican National Convention in 1980, managed and chaired local and state Republican campaigns, and continued to be involved in local political activities. Chris and her family were active members of Coker United Methodist Church where she volunteered on various committees.

Chris had an energy and enthusiasm for life and possessed a spirited approach to all her endeavors. She deeply loved her family and was a devoted, loyal friend. Her humor, warmth, and compassionate nature touched all who knew her. The family will receive friends from 9:00 - 10:30 AM on Friday, January 27 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Funeral Services will be held at 12:00 PM on Friday at Coker United Methodist Church, 231 E. North Loop Road, San Antonio, Texas with interment to follow at Mission Retama Burial Park.

Tribute Wall

RT

“ I remember while working at the Law offices of Lane, Gannon and Taliaferro Kristia asking me to walk with her to her car because she was afraid of her husband. I did that routine for quite a while. Can't believe law enforcement has done NOTHING about this !!!!!!!

Ron Thompson - September 21, 2024 at 02:57 PM

JS

“ This is a late signing. A dear friend of mine had passed away that previous June. His nickname for me was "the chicken". I was there one morning to clean and I had asked her if there was anyone still asleep in the house. She responded "No, it's just us ch

Jennifer A. Stuart - April 17, 2007 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ I will always have wonderful memories of Chris. She was a bright and charming person with a character that I always admired. I will miss her dearly and send my prayers to her family.

Jonathan Ashkenaze - March 01, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ I worked with Chris in the early 1990's at Wright and Greenhill, and have nothing but the best memories of her. Please accept my deepest condolences on such a terrible loss.

Dana Harrison - February 08, 2006 at 12:00 AM

FW

“ Jerry and Nedra-
Our deepest sympathy extended to you-
Our thoughts and prayers to you.
Please feel free to let us know if there is anything we can do for you
or your family.

Freda and Jim Wetzel - February 01, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GH

“ We have no words to express our thoughts in your loss. We wish
we did.

George and Jane Hopkins - January 31, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Dear Nadra and Jerry,
I am so sorry to hear about your precious daughter. I am John's first
wife, Diane. My Jennifer sent me the sad information. I can not
imagine your sorrow. Please know that you and your family are in
my thoughts and prayers as you go

Diane Brushe Mitchell Faris - January 30, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ We are sorry we were not able to attend the services, as I was ill.
But Michael and I want to share our sincerest condolences with the
family, especially Betsy with whom I had the pleasure of spending
time over the Christmas holiday and who has shared this

Amy & Michael Main - January 28, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *Masoud,
My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May you find
some comfort in the kind words and sincere wishes from all those
who care so much for you and your family. Lissette*

Lissette Bearden - January 28, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Christia Parr Mitchell*

JOHNNY SHRADER - January 28, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ *Our deepest condolences and prayers go out to Christia's family,
especially her children. We worked with her at Ball & Weed and she
tirelessly fought for her clients. She was a beautiful person, inside
and out and will be deeply missed. Heaven has been*

John and Debi Trevino - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

VW

“ *You are all in mine and my family's thoughts and prayers. I love all
of you very much.*

Valerie Waggoner - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ *Christia Parr Mitchell*

Lisa Wilson - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ I have only met Ms. Mitchell once on a phone call made to Priscilla and Nicole Henning office a couple of days before the incident. Well I must said with the small conversation we had I could tell she was a sweet and caring person and my regards go out to

Gilbert V. Gallegos - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ I know just how much Chris loved and lived for her children. I can remember many occasions sitting in her office and looking at photographs and albums of her children. They were her life. We will all miss her in our lives.

Geri L. Sherman - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ My sincere sympathy to all of Chris' family and loved ones. She was a wonderful person and will be greatly missed. May you feel God's comfort as He holds you close to His heart.

Sheila Joseph - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Words fail me –

My deepest sympathies to Chris’s family. A good friend and loving Mother, is lost. You will be sorely missed, Chris Mitchell.

Jack Kay - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Chris,

I weep not so much for you as for the loved ones you left behind. You had it all figured out. You knew what life was all about and how to live it and you lived it to the fullest. In your half-century here on earth you accomplished much more than

John Swiger - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ *My sincerest condolences on the loss of Chris. I was one of her first secretaries at Wright & Greenhill and it was a pleasure working for such a hard dedicated person. I was her secretary when she was pregnant with Allie, and Chris, being the hard worke*

Annette Garcia Basaldua - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ *When I moved to Denton in 10th grade, I didn't know a soul. Christy rescued me by inviting me to a slumber party where she made me feel welcome and introduced me to all her friends. Whenever I think of Christy, the first thing I always remember is this ki*

Regina Addis Courtney - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ *My sincerest sympathies to the family. I particulary send this to Nedra and Gerry Mitchell who were dear friends when I lived in Denton. Christie was such a beautiful and successful young woman. I am so sorry for your loss.*
Ruth

ruth tansey allison - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ Chris was like a second mom to my son, he stayed at her house visiting Mitch many times and he was treated with so much love. I am shocked and saddened and will miss Chris terribly. She was a kind and gentle soul. Our sons were the best of friends and I w

Sharon POsey - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ My deepest sympathy to the family. I briefly met Chris when we were in law school. As others have said, she was a very talented and well-liked person. May God bless and comfort during this difficult time.

Randy Mowery - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Nedra and Jerry we can only offer our most heartfelt condolences and prayers at such a difficult time.
We so fondly remember Christy from her time in Denton and her activities in the Republican Party.
You know how much we are indebted to your entire

Mary & Jim Horn - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ Heather and I offer our sincerest condolences and pray that God will see you through. Please know that your family loves you and we will always be there for you.

Sean & Heather Golden - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ Christy and I were classmates at Denton High School. We hardly knew each other except for a class here and there. But what I do remember was that she walked the halls very tall and I wished I had her great blue eyes and perfect smile. After reading all the

Gay Floyd - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ My deepest condolences to Christy's family now and always. Christy and I were active together in high school activities including the Drill Team where her enthusiastic spirit and sincere love of all she knew make my memories of her very special ones.
I

Susan Davis - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Words just don't convey the loss you have had. Christy and I reconnected a couple of years ago. It was so wonderful to see her and know that she was doing well. I felt settled as I had always wished that we had stayed in closer to

Rachel Laiche Krezer - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ Many of us from Denton High Class of 1973 wish to express our condolences at this time. Christia's charming and beautiful presence will be greatly missed- DHS Class of 1973 Bronco & Horseshoe photographer

Phil LeRoux - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ To the Mitchell family,

My mom and I send our deepest sympathies through these troubled and difficult times. Rest assured that Chris is with her loving Lord and Savior in heaven. Although the years have passed, we have not forgotten your family,

Jackie & Sylvia Rosener - January 27, 2006 at 12:00 AM

WC

“ *My heartfelt condolences to Chris' family. As a fellow member of the bar, I mourn the loss of a colleague. I did not know Chris other than having a case or two together many years ago but it is obvious from everything I have heard, she was an incredible*

Wayne Colodny - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ *I had the pleasure of meeting Chris professionally as she helped two friends go through rough divorces. She was so warm, smart and professional. My prayers are with her family at this time.*

AnnEliz Harford - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ *Dear Kate, Betsy, Mitch, and Allie*

May you hold your mother close in your hearts forever. May your happy memories of her soften the edge of the sharp grief you are feeling today. If tears cleanse the soul, we know yours would be spotless. If love he

Cindy & Ric Antolik - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *Jenifer&Jason,
I am so sorry for your loss.
Aunt Kay Wogstad*

Kay Wogstad - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ *Masoud - We extend our deepest & heartfelt sympathy to you and
your family. Lana & Steve Murray*

Lana & Steve Murray - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ *I remember Christia so well from Denton High School and her
brother, too. I was so sorry to hear about this and even though her
immediate family doesn't know me, I just would like for them to
know that Christia was a special person and that I remember he*

Georgianne Burlage - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *My deepest condolences to the family, and especially Mr. Masoud
Rasti whom I work with at Randolph AFB. May God bless all of you.*

David Mazzara - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ *Only God knows the reason.*

LeRoy W. Mink - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ To Chris' family: The Blessing of knowing Chris is a very special one. I can still hear her wonderful laugh. It breaks my heart that she will not get to enjoy the happiness of a life with Masoud that she so greatly deserved. I will keep you all in my

Anne Hoover - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Masoud - Our prayers are with you in this critical time of need. It is never easy to see such a young person depart this earth.

Len and Phyllis

Len and Phyllis Borchers - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Masoud and family, our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. We are truly sorry for your loss. Mick and Jules

Mick and Jules Michelini - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Mitch,
Although I did not know your mother very well it was easy to see what a beautiful and kind person she was. I am so sorry for your loss and my thoughts go out to your Mom, you, and your wonderful family.

Chrissy Harwell - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“*Kate, Betsy, Mitch, and Allie,*

I had the privilege of knowing your mom through my dad. She was an awesome lady whom I got to know well. I will never forget the times when my sister, dad and I would go over there and hang out with you all. I love you gu

John David Swiger - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

RS

“*Betsy and family,*

Know that you are loved by many who care about you. You and your family are in our prayers. God bless Mrs.Schuh

Richard, Carol and Jeni Schuh - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

NR

“*Dear Kate, Betsy, Mitchell, and Allie.*

This is your cousin, Nathan Ric and Cindy. I heard the news on Wednesday and cannot find the words to describe what has happened. Although we these days are all busy people, I am always available if you want a k

Nathan Ruiz - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

VM

“*We will all miss you very much, we will miss your cheerfulness and your never ending smile and wherever you are now we hope you are well.*

love vinny

Vinny Mendez - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ Our deepest condolences go out to the family at the untimely death of Christia. May God give them strength during this trying time and help heal the pain they must feel from the separation from their loved one. If there is anything we can do to help pleas

Joyce & Pat Golden - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ I was saddened to hear of Christie's death. We were friends at Denton High School, and I remember her spirit and zest for life. My thoughts and prayers are with this dear family.
Dani Magee Van Wig

Dani Van Wig - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ Masoud, our sympathy and warmest thoughts are with you now. May the comfort of friends and family be your strength in the days ahead.

Trong Phan - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Dear Betsy and Mitch,
You are in everyone's prayers and hearts at CCS. God bless you and your family, Christina

Christina - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

FU

“ On behalf of the staff at Funeralsoft.com, we extend our sincerest condolences on the loss of your loved one.

Funeralsoft.com - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ *the love of god is great enough to grant all people peace and strength.*

Jessica Antolik - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ *I meet chris when she became my lawyer through a mutual good friend and in the very first meeting we became wonderful friends. She was a beautiful person inside and out and I will miss her very deeply. The mission I had included a personal one of her ow*

Andrea Williams - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *I AM SO SORRY FOR THE LOSS OF SUCH A WONDERFUL ATTORNEY AND FRIEND. CHRIS WILL BE SORELY MISSED.*

LINDA BEALL

Linda Beall - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *Chris made me believe that anything is possible. I will always treasure everything she taught me. You will never be forgotten.. My thoughts and prayers are with her family.*

Godbless

Deanna Miles - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ Chris and I originally knew each other in Denton and became reacquainted as law students when Chris was my teaching assistant for Legal Research and Writing. Chris was not only a talented litigator but also and more importantly a warm and compassionate p

Gayla Corley - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ I will never forget the wonderful images I have of Chris from law school. She was eloquent and elegant, and had the respect of all of my classmates. I wish her family peace and good memories.

Mary Belan Doggett - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ When I think of Chris I think of a lady with a heart of gold. She was my attorney and I couldn'tve chosen a better person. When I met her I didn't realize how strong-willed she was I didnt know if she would be able to go in and get the job done, but she co

Stephanie Roberts RN - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Mitchell,

My heart goes out to you and your family. The prayers of many people are lifting you up in your time of sorrow.

Your mother was a bright and beautiful person. Grab a mental picture of your favorite time with her and carry it in your hear

Mrs. Weaver - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

OS

“ CHRISTIA, I ALWAYS ENJOYED HAVING YOU IN OUR COURT. YOU WILL BE MISSED....SLY

officer sly - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ *Sorry isn't enough, but no other words come to mind. Our sympathy and thoughts go out to you and your family during this terrible time. All I can say is to try to remember the good times and don't dwell on the sadness.*

*Bob Watson
FPMI*

Bob Watson - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KE

“ *Christia - you did a GREAT job of lighting up the place everytime you were around. Sorely missed. Bless you. We'll see ya!*

Keith E. - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *I had the honor of meeting Christia through a friend that recommended her as a trusted and highly regarded attorney. I was amazed at her grace and presence with everyone she met. I am so very sorry for your enormous loss.*

Linda Brown - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ We know there are no words that can be spoken that can ease the pain that you are all feeling - trust in the care of our Lord to see you through - Our prayers for you are of comfort, understanding and healing. We love you dearly - and we are here for you

Jeanette and Steve Francis - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Kate, Betsy, Mitchell & Allie,
Pam and I met your Mom and you guys at Coker UMC. She first impressed me with her beautiful smile and genuine appreciation of our singing. She also said you fell in love with Phantom our black lab when we brought him to the

Pam & John Fosdick - January 26, 2006 at 12:00 AM