



## Shirley Teresa Gebhardt

January 12, 1947 - December 18, 2005

Shay Teresa Gebhardt born in Seguin, Texas on January 12, 1947 passed away

December 18, 2005 at the age of 58. She was a 1968 graduate of Texas Eastern

School of Nursing, Tyler, Texas, 1980 Graduate of the University of Texas at Tyler with a B.S. in Political Science and a 1984 Graduate of St. Mary's Law School, in San Antonio, Texas. She was employed in Defense Litigation by Clark and Gamble until 1991. She served as Judge of County Court at Law #3 until 2002. Shay was active in numerous civic organizations related to women and children. Both her parents, Pauline and Edward Collins are deceased.

She

is survived by her partner in love, Dr. Hulan Yarbrough, her two brothers, Thomas Edward Collins of Garland, Texas and John Joseph Collins of Taiwan; daughter, Ashley Ann Gluckman and granddaughter, Hallie Marie Gluckman of

San Antonio; two aunts, Peggy Fitzgerald of Panama City, Florida, Teresa Sexton and husband, Bob Sexton of Manson, Iowa and numerous cousins. Contributions may be made to the charity of your choice in her memory.

Services

A visitation will be held from 5:00- 9:00 PM Tuesday, December 20, 2005 at

Mission Park Funeral Chapels North. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Wednesday, December 21, 2005 at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North.

# Tribute Wall

AG

“ it will be a year on monday and i miss her dearly it is very hard without her and i wish she was here with me.I have lost two people in my life this year and it just gets harder everyday ilovbra3@yahoo.com

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**ashley gluckman** - December 16, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ A beautiful and fun lady was Shay! Even in her last weeks she was in my shop doing what she loved, shopping! I'll never forget her strength about her illness. We should all be so strong! A lovely person inside and out! I miss her!

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**Jo Lynn Swint** - January 17, 2006 at 12:00 AM

GT

“ Tom,  
Our condolences to you and your family.

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**GE Supply Gulf Central Team** - December 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PG

“ Shay was a precious person. It was a pleasure working with her. She was such a fair and honest person in her personal and professional life. She touched so many lives in a positive way. It was an honor to have known her. She will be missed.

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**paula green** - December 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ Please accept our deepest sympathy for your loss. Shay IS a beautiful spirit, beautiful inside and out. She will be missed by all who knew her...she has now journeyed...Beyond Forever...where she is at peace. Shay loved her family and she loved LIFE.

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**Rachel L. Edwards** - December 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ I met Shay in college and remained in contact over the years and always admired her many smart, humorous, strong, and positive attributes. Two years ago she conducted our wedding ceremony on the San Antonio River and all her qualities were apparent, not

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**Gene Burden** - December 21, 2005 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ Dear Ashley And Hallie: I have never met the two of you - but as an attorney I was often in Shay's courtroom or visiting with her at CLE classes. She radiated warmth to all in her courtroom - even when she strongly disagreed with them! Her intelligence

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**Erin McNiece Strimple** - December 20, 2005 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ Ashley, we are so sorry to hear of your mom's death. I remember all of the fun times we had in New Braunfels, and on the boat. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. all the LyBrands

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**The LyBrands** - December 20, 2005 at 12:00 AM

EH

“ I babysat and tutored Ashley after school everyday from 1992 to 1996. I was blessed to become so close to their wonderful family and will keep them in my thoughts and prayers. Shay was a wonderful and giving person and she will be greatly missed.

Ash

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**Elizabeth Haines** - December 20, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Shay married my husband and I in March of 1996. That is on the long list among many other things she has done for my family. She will always hold a special place in our hearts. She will be missed tremendously. Our thoughts and prayers go out to her fami

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**Debbie Roach** - December 20, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Tom,  
Please accept our sincere condolences at this time and know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.  
Let us know if there is anything we can do.

Sincerely,  
Patrick and Debbie

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**Patrick Saladino and Debbie Svrcek** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ We will miss Shay, her warmth, her laughter and her love of life.

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**Suzanne & Ray Hildebrand** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ You do not know me but my mother died three years ago Dec 17.  
Someone shared this poem and I'd like to pass it along.  
*Christmas in Heaven*  
*I see the countless Christmas trees around the world below*  
*With tiny lights, like Heaven's stars reflecting on th*

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**Pamela** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ You will always be in our thoughts and prayers

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**Mike & Kathy Hoffman** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

EZ

“ Ashley-- My heart and prayers go out to you and your family at this  
time of need... I am there if you need anything...

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**Elaine & Chuck Van Zandt** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ Shay stood by me during the most difficult period of my life, offering  
true friendship and sincere consolation.  
Good-bye Sweet Angel--You will be missed.

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**Annette Kaufman Wright** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ We had known Shay for over 20 years and deeply regret that we  
lost contact with her in the last few years. She really touched our  
lives in so many ways and put a smile on our faces! She gave our  
daughter her first piece of artwork; included our son on a f

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**Shelley and Mike Flume** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ Ashley,

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you and yours.*

*Bubba Gaines*

*Apryl Milstead*

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**Brian Bubba Gaines and Apryl Milstead** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *I have known Shay for 20 years but just have not been in touch with her recently and was unaware of her being so ill. She helped me break into the legal field and was truly a good friend. We shared a lot when we worked together at Clark & Gamble. I hel*

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**Donna Funderburg** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Shay was a wonderful person and a super Rotarian. She left an impact on her community, friends and family and her beautiful, genuine smile will be missed. Her family will be in our prayers and we will ask God to bless and comfort them during this time o*

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**G.E. Spanky Spangler** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ *I will miss her more now then before. The Judge was a great boss and a good friend to me. May God Bless her family.*

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**Adri and Lupe Gomez** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *Shirley Teresa Gebhardt*

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**carl & sandy wulfe** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

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PP

“ I never had an opportunity to meet Shay; but I know how much Hulan loved her and I have known Hulan for 35 years. I Share your grief, Hulan, as you once shared mine. Be comforted that she is now free from pain and enjoying the fruits of her earthly labor.

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**Pete Palazzolo** - December 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ I will dearly miss my buddy Shay. We have been through thick and thin over the past 10 years. Through all her pain and suffering she always managed to make me laugh, sometimes crying at the same time! I saw her just hours before her passing, and know in my

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**Bonnie Wright** - December 18, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ I am so sorry to hear of Shay's passing. Shay was truly a fine woman and a very dear friend. My memories of here are too many to speak of here but needless to say I will miss her deeply.

*Bill Aston*

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**Bill Aston** - December 18, 2005 at 12:00 AM