



Mary Ann (Gann) Shannon

November 26, 1967 - March 31, 2023

Mary Ann (Gann) Shannon, age 55 of Dayton, passed away on Friday, March 31, 2023. She was born in Ooltewah on November 26, 1967, the daughter of the late Walter Gerald Gann and Mattie Lee (Brown) Gann.

Mary attended Chattanooga Central High School and was employed by Dayton Walmart for the last seven years. She loved Harry Potter, Twilight, shopping, hiking, putting puzzles together, watching paranormal programs, and collecting Christmas items.

Mary is survived by her two sons, Mark (Traci) Gann of Dayton and Carlos (Melissa) Gann of Soddy Daisy; her two daughters, Mattie Gann of Bradley County and Sarah Shannon of Rhea County; her eight grandchildren, Logan Clark, Logan Jordan, Jesse Pendergrass, Emmy Gann, Autumn Gann, Riley Gann, Bryson Gann, and Victoria Gann; and her three brothers, Danny Lee (Derenda) Gann of Bryant, AL, Dennis Dewayne Gann of Meigs County, and Walter James Gann of Rhea County.

Funeral services for Mary will be held on Wednesday, April 5, 2023, at 3:00 p.m. in the funeral home chapel with Rev. John Fields officiating. She will be laid to rest in Rhea Memory Gardens.

Please share your memories and photos of Mary on her online guest register

at www.vanderwallfh.com.

The family is being cared for by Vanderwall Funeral Home in Dayton, TN, where they will receive friends on Wednesday, April 5, 2023, from 1:00 p.m. until the time of the service.

Cemetery Details

Rhea Memory Gardens

Hwy 27
Dayton, TN 37321

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 5. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Vanderwall Funeral Home
164 Maple St
Dayton, TN 37321
(423) 775-2662

Funeral Service

APR 5. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

APR 5 (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ 31 files added to the album Memories Album



Vanderwall Funeral Home, Inc. - December 19, 2023 at 11:28 AM



“ I used to work with Mary at Walmart in Dayton Tn we used to talk all the time about her pregnancies and her life and about me and my pregnancy she was always there for me and asking when the baby would be here and can't wait to meet my boy and she was still there for me after I had him to and helping and covering for me with work bc she knew I had a hard time finding a baby sitter for my son so she would have my back at work during and after to make sure I didn't lose my job to take care of my family. She was the best I didn't find out that she passed till yesterday so I am so sorry for y'all's loss and praying for her kids, She talked about you to me a lot when we worked together. I Miss Her & Love Her Dearly. She was the BEST!!!! Rest In Peace MaryAnn Shannon 💕💕



Tiffany Goins - July 12, 2023 at 11:00 PM

KM

“ Mary was a very dedicated Walmart Employee,,, always welcomed me, (as a faithful Shopper) with a Smile and an offer to HELP,,, very kind and friendly,,, Prayers for her Children,,, God Bless each of you, Kaye Miller

Kaye Miller - April 08, 2023 at 04:29 PM

LY

“ Lillian Young lit a candle in memory of Mary Ann (Gann) Shannon



Lillian Young - April 07, 2023 at 01:04 PM

KA

“ Kellie Aslinger lit a candle in memory of Mary Ann (Gann) Shannon



Kellie Aslinger - April 05, 2023 at 08:53 PM

DM

Mary was such a cheerful, kind, friendly and helpful person. I pray for all of you that love and miss her. May you find comfort in the peace of joyful remembrance.
Deborah

Deborah Mitchell - April 06, 2023 at 10:07 AM

BC

“ I worked with Mary for almost a year, and from my first day she was always friendly and fun. I remember her telling me how much she wanted to go to universal studios to visit Hogwarts in Orlando. Mary will be missed, this world is alittle emptier now that she is no longer with us. Mary, this is not goodbye this is see you later. Thank you for being a friend.

brandi campbell - April 05, 2023 at 04:58 PM

DS

“ Mary was a wonderful and loving person. I will miss her greatly.

Debra Smith - April 05, 2023 at 11:13 AM

DB

“ My sweet friend Mary....one of my favorite people at Walmart. This makes me so sad. 💔

Drue Burton - April 04, 2023 at 09:17 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Ann (Gann) Shannon.



April 04, 2023 at 08:52 PM

WP

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss prayers for your family!*



Wanda Pelfrey - April 04, 2023 at 08:32 PM

SB

“ *Oh Sweet Sarah, you are in my prayers. I love your mama she was funny to work with. Love you sweet girl and praying for y'all. Ms Suzanne*

Suzanne Bounds - April 04, 2023 at 07:39 PM

IR

“ *A great friend , we both love our family and love finding a good deal, and our pets are part of our family the last time I saw her she loved all over my puppy and told me to text her his picture with the easter bunny as soon as he saw him but unfortunately I wasn't able to and when he won cutest dog she would have been so excited but she passed the day before both events happened and it is hard not being able to see her and talk to her every day. I pray for her children and grandchildren to find peace they lost a mother and grandmother who loved them more than they will ever know.*

Ida Rogers - April 04, 2023 at 03:50 PM

MY

“ *She always had a smile for everyone when you walked into walmart*



Myrna - April 04, 2023 at 03:04 PM

CS

“ I remember us working together at walmart in Ooltewah. We became close like family. I hanged out with her and her family. She is my sons aunt he loved her. I love her kids they are still my nieces and nephews. Love all of u.

Christy staggs - April 04, 2023 at 02:51 PM