



Nina Ann Merrick

December 7, 1938 - August 6, 2021

Nina Ann Haynes Merrick, of Senoia, Georgia passed away after a sudden illness on August 6, 2021 surrounded by family. Ann was born on December 7, 1938 in Margaretville, New York, the youngest of four girls. She grew up on her family's dairy farm in Dry Brook, New York, in the heart of the Catskill Mountains and graduated from Margaretville High School in 1956. Following graduation, Ann moved to New York City where she initially worked as a secretary. In 1959, she was hired by Delta Airlines as a flight attendant and subsequently relocated to Atlanta. While at Delta, she met her husband, Jack Merrick, and they married in 1962. After some time away from working to have children, she returned to Delta and retired with 30 years of loyal service. In retirement, Ann enjoyed volunteering with the Senoia Area Historical Society with events such as progressive dinners. Ann was introduced to New York Yankees baseball by her Dad and loved following the game. On October 8, 1956, she was in attendance at the historic game five of the World Series when Don Larsen pitched a perfect game, evidenced by the ticket, scorecard and program she kept that night and shared with her family years later. She was also a faithful, unwavering Braves fan, rarely missing a game. Finally, Ann had endless compassion for dogs and delighted in adopting many strays over the years who became part of her family. She is survived by her husband of 58 years, Jack, daughter, Kelley Ann Merrick of Senoia, daughter Dorcas Merrick Morris (John) of Roswell, Georgia, son, Jonathan Merrick (Kelly) of Sharpsburg, Georgia, eight grandsons, Michael, Christopher, Nicholas,

Jonathan, William, Connor, Jack and Samuel as well as many friends and neighbors. Ann will be buried in Haynes Cemetery, Dry Brook, New York. Private family services have already been held. Condolences may be expressed at www.McKoon.com. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Ann's memory to the Newnan-Coweta Humane Society.
McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

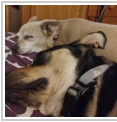
Tribute Wall

MK

“ *Michelle Krueger lit a candle in memory of Nina Ann Merrick*



Michelle Krueger - August 15, 2021 at 05:07 PM



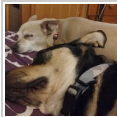
Thank you for your thoughtfulness

Kelleyann Merrick - August 18, 2021 at 02:07 AM

DF

“ *Debbie Finch-Starring, I am so grestful to have been able to enjoy all of the smiles and laughter that we had together. If there were to be a family reunion now all of the faces would be very different. I am very sorry for your loss, and my loss.*

Debbie Finch-Starring - August 13, 2021 at 01:01 AM



Thank you Deb for your sweet sweet words, we are all saddened and miss her... I miss her every minute of everyday... but thanks she will be missed greatly. Kelley Merrick

Kelleyann Merrick - August 18, 2021 at 02:09 AM

DG

“ I did not know Nina but worked for and with her husband Jack for several years and would know through him that she was an outstanding woman and another member of our Delta family has crossed over to be with the Lord. Jack and her family and friends will miss her but allow the Lord thru His SPIRIT to give you the peace that passeth all understanding.

With Love

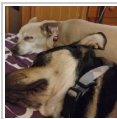
David and Dianne Gilmore

David Gilmore - August 10, 2021 at 01:12 PM

SM

“ Kelly Merrick was my best friend while she lived in East Point. I was at her house a lot . Ann would take us to Dairy Queen , to Girl Scouts and even to basketball which we were in a short time. She loved her family and her dogs. She had beautiful children. I remember she and Jack watching “Mash” on tv together while Kelly and I played board games. I would listen to them laugh not understanding the humor of the show then. She was always kind to me when I came over . I remember those days with fondness. I hope she’s at peace now. Prayers for the family , so sorry for your loss.

Sue Maxwell - August 10, 2021 at 04:35 AM



thank you Sue so much..... such kind words

Kelleyann Merrick - August 18, 2021 at 02:10 AM

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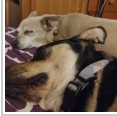
“ Many good times with Ann & Jack on the porch or just sitting in the den and catching up with numerous pets over the years. Will definitely miss our telephone chats and visits in person. Go fly to the place you loved first, only to land in Senoia.

Nancy Roy - August 09, 2021 at 11:41 AM

TS

“ To the Merrick Family.
Words can't even begin to tell you how very very sorry that I am. Ann was a very special person to me.
For those of you who don't know who I am. I was Ann's Hair Stylist, but most of all Ann was a dear friend.
Ann became a client of mind over twenty five years ago. She followed me no matter how many times I swap salons and even followed me to my own salon in Fayetteville (Hair Illusions). She was not only a very loyal client, she became a dear friend, and sometimes I fault like my therapist. She treated me like family, and always make me feel welcome everytime I visited her and Jack at home. Ann became a very dear friend. Wednesday will never be the same.
To Jack and the rest of the family. I am sorry but know that she loved all of you. Ann talked about you guys everytime we would get together. She was very proud of all her kids and grandkids. And loved all of you. Jack she loved you very much.
Again I am so sorry. She will always be in my heart, and I will miss her.
R.I.P. Ann
I Love You
Tammy A Sharman

Tammy Sharman - August 08, 2021 at 03:08 PM



Thank you Tammy, for those kind words. You were always so good to Momma and she loved you too.

Kelleyann Merrick - August 09, 2021 at 11:06 AM

HH

“ *Jack and family,
I am saddened to learn of Ann’s passing. I can remember meeting her occasionally on flights being cleaned and supplied when I worked in Cabin Service with you Jack as my supervisor. Ann was always gracious and helpful to her fellow Delta co-workers.*

Whenever passing your Senoia home, I proudly tell my wife and family that the people living there were Delta retirees and influential in my career.

Harry Hendrix

Harry Hendrix - August 08, 2021 at 11:35 AM

SS

“ Jack and family, this is Sherry Banas Strawn from the last house on the left on Laurel Lane. Ann gave me my first babysitting jobs. My sister, Sue, went to school with Kelley. Dorcas and Jonathan were adorable with curly blonde hair and big, brown eyes. They were into bandaids at the time.

Ann was friendly, hospitable, and vibrant. We both loved baseball. I was actually afraid of the dogs in the backyard. My sister and I spent some time in Senoia with Kelley, even overnight. What a dream home/house! Ann served homemade Ranch Dressing with our salad, the first time I ever had Ranch. The whole meal was delicious!

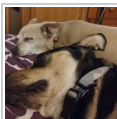
Kelley, Dorcas, and Jonathan, having lost both parents I sincerely sympathize. Time helps. Memories help. She will still be in your heart and mind and with you through shared interests and memories.

Jack, 58 years! My heart goes out to you! I'm tearing up just writing this. I've been married over 40 years and I cannot imagine life without my best friend and love of my life. Remember that she had a full, rich life, was blessed, and was a blessing.

All of you are in my prayers as you go through this time of grief.

With fond memories and love,
Sherry Banas Strawn

Sherry Strawn - August 08, 2021 at 09:18 AM



thank you so much for your thoughtfulness and kind words

Kelleyann Merrick - August 18, 2021 at 02:14 AM

SB

“ Jack and family, so sorry to read of Ann's passing. Remember when ya'll moved to Senoia. May you feel God's Love and Comfort at this time and the days ahead.
Our Deepest Sympathy
John & Sherrel Bidne



Sherrel Bidne - August 07, 2021 at 05:13 PM

DT

Jack, there are many of us from our Delta days who grieve with you, my friend. May God bless and comfort you and the family is my prayer.
David Trousdale

David Trousdale - August 07, 2021 at 06:55 PM



Jack, sorry for your loss. I remember meeting your wife on a function of Delta. I remember how happy ya'ii looked together.

J.R. Carrell

John Carrell - August 09, 2021 at 01:24 PM

SW

I used to fly with Ann in the old days, she was always so very sweet and spoke about her family. You were the first that I knew that lived in Senoia. So glad that the children lived locally so that she could enjoy them. I think she was the first stewardess' that I know, who left Delta to be home with family. My condolences. Sharon White Delta class of 68.

sharon White - September 20, 2021 at 06:52 PM