



## Giane Powell

July 19, 1955 - August 12, 2015

Giane Powell of Safford died August 12, 2015 in Tucson at the age of 60. Memorial Services will be 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, August 20, 2015 at the David M. Player Center for the Arts, 980 S. 14th Ave., Safford, Arizona 85546. The family respectfully ask that you wear bright colors and not black, thank you.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Friends of the Safford Library in memory of Giane Powell for children's programs. In celebration of Giane's Storytimes, we will be releasing helium balloons at 11:00 AM on Thursday, August 20th from the Safford Library parking lot. All are welcome to join us, especially the children who were such an important part of her life

# Cemetery Details

## Westlawn Crematory

105 S. Arizona Ave.  
Willcox, AZ 85643

# Previous Events

## Memorial

AUG **20**. 5:00 PM (MT)

David M. Player Center for the Arts  
980 s. 14th Ave  
Safford, AZ 85546

# Tribute Wall



“ *Giane Powell*

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *My kids who are grown now and my grandkids loved story time with Giane. She was so patient and always sat on the floor and played with the kids. She had an infectious laugh. She will be missed!*

**Wadene Kerby** - August 21, 2015 at 03:02 PM



Suzanne  
Abold  
Cobos

“ *My children loved Giane who they called "teacher" and looked forward to seeing her. She was also a neighbor and one of the kindest people I have met. We will all miss her.*

**Suzanne Abold Cobos** - August 21, 2015 at 02:09 PM



“ *I enjoyed seeing her quilts on facebook. She did a beautiful job. Although I was not around in her growing up years, I sure enjoyed being with her and the family the few times we were together. A Deanna*

**Deanna Francis** - August 19, 2015 at 10:15 AM



“ *Sarah Thrasher lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell*



**sarah thrasher** - August 19, 2015 at 09:36 AM



“ *Giane made my life and the lives of my children happier and better. The world is ... less... without her. Prayers and blessings to her family.*

**Jennifer** - August 18, 2015 at 02:47 PM

DL

“ Duncan Public Library lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell



Duncan Public Library - August 18, 2015 at 11:57 AM

LW

“ LADIES FROM WIC lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell



LADIES FROM WIC - August 18, 2015 at 10:04 AM

VH

“ Giane was unique and such a special person with the biggest heart I've ever known! She will be missed so much... There is no way to count all the lives she touched and brightened and made better! Her love of reading and children are her legacy! Sweet friend, you will be missed!

Vicki Carlin Hamilton - August 18, 2015 at 08:04 AM

JR

“ JoAnn Chavarria Romero lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell



JoAnn Chavarria Romero - August 17, 2015 at 10:54 PM



“ *Giane was an amazing women. Her smile lit up a room for sure. Although we've only been here in Safford for two years, it was Giane that made the difference for my family. I brought my grandson on both Wednesday's and Thursday's. It was something we both looked forward to. Giane had a way with people and especially with children. My grandson was shy when we moved here but LOVED her!! Some say children are the best judge of people. That being said, the children would tell you she was one of the best human beings that ever graced this earth with her presence. I have to say I agree and I'm sure many do. You meet people in your life that make a difference not just in the community but in the lives of those they cross paths with. Giane was one of these special people. She was both accepting and generous. Both kind and beautiful. And she was genuine. I believe that I was fortunate to have had her be a part of my grandsons life and I believe she touched more souls then she may have realized. God Bless you Giane. God Bless your loved ones in this time of loss. God Speed Giane. You have a special place in heaven reserved for those prized few that were Angels amongst us. Til we meet again my friend.....*



**Sandra Dukett** - August 17, 2015 at 10:36 PM

BF

“ *It seems like I knew Giane for all my life. She was such a fun person, always enjoying life to the fullest. She will be missed by all. I still look for her at the library. Prayers for the family to find peace at this time*

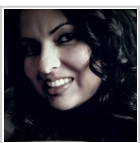
**Brenda Figueroa** - August 17, 2015 at 04:40 PM

KA

“ *Giane always brightened your day when you went to the library, she was such an amazing spirit and such a blessing to our community and everyone who knew her. Prayers to her family.*



**Katieann** - August 17, 2015 at 01:59 PM



“ *Monica Medina lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell*



**Monica Medina** - August 17, 2015 at 01:37 PM



*Adam and I will never forget you and how you blessed our lives.*

**Monica Medina** - August 17, 2015 at 01:38 PM

AS

“ *We only lived in Safford for 2 years but Giane was always a highlight. My children loved story time. They would go up to Giane and sit on her lap to play. She is an amazing woman full of love. She will be missed. Until we meet again.*

**andrea sowards** - August 17, 2015 at 10:53 AM

DE

“ *Deena lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell*



**Deena** - August 17, 2015 at 10:35 AM

MH

“ *Martha Hendrix lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell*



**Martha Hendrix** - August 16, 2015 at 09:59 PM

GC

“ *I am shocked and saddened by the unexpected passing of Giane. See the smile on her face? I don't believe I ever saw her without that smile. I, too, remember all the fine work she did with the children at the library. She definitely leaves her mark on this world. Sending love and sympathy to all the family and friends she leaves behind.*



**Gayrene Claridge** - August 16, 2015 at 10:18 AM

KC

“ Deena and family, I'm so sad to hear about Giane's passing. She was always so friendly just like the rest of the family. You have all been dear friends since growing up and working at Sprouse Reitz together. Your family has always been so close. God Bless all of you throughout this difficult time! With Sincere Sympathy and HUGS Karen (Rogers) Coppola



Karen (Rogers) Coppola - August 16, 2015 at 08:12 AM

JU

“ Prayers to the family she touched all our lives especially my grandson you we'll be missed dearly I have beautiful pictures of you and Michael

julia - August 16, 2015 at 03:16 AM

SB

“ Children loved her as she loved them, a very high compliment It was a pleasure seeing and hearing her work with children, thinking of you and yours Jennifer.

Sue Blake - August 16, 2015 at 12:13 AM

 Jessica Tellez

“ I loving memory of a beautiful person. Giane you will me greatly missed. Prayers of comfort sent your way Jennifer and family, Kenny, Deena and Dwain.



Jessica Tellez - August 15, 2015 at 10:40 PM

TA

“ The Craig Family Of Pima, AZ lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell



The Craig family of Pima, AZ - August 15, 2015 at 08:46 PM

JC

“ *John Chadwick lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell*



John Chadwick - August 15, 2015 at 08:35 PM

TG

“ *We are so saddened by the loss of such a wonderful lady! We loved seeing her at the library and will miss seeing her smiling face! She was such a special person and our prayers go out to her family!*

Theresa Gonzalez - August 15, 2015 at 06:27 PM

MN

“ *Mike and Lynne Naccarati*



Mike and Lynne Naccarati - August 15, 2015 at 06:20 PM

CH

“ *Comfort and love to Giane's family. She was such a wonderful lady and a blessing to so many children! My high school students, our preschool children, and my family were so blessed to be touched by Giane! We will miss you, great love for a wonderful woman!*

Christie - August 15, 2015 at 05:47 PM

CL

“ *Charlene Long lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell*



Charlene Long - August 15, 2015 at 04:40 PM

CL

*I am so sorry to say goodbye to Giane, I have known her for many years and always loved her beautiful smile and upbeat attitude. Heaven will be a brighter place with her presence.*

Charlene Long - August 15, 2015 at 04:42 PM

Ruth  
Gutierrez

“ Thanks Giane for being such a special person. You always had a special touch with the many children you worked with. You are truly going to be missed by all. God bless the entire family and your close friends who will always think of you.



Ruth Gutierrez - August 15, 2015 at 03:59 PM

KE

“ Kenny lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell



Kenny - August 15, 2015 at 02:18 PM

RG

“ I'm going to miss you Giane.  
Rose Gomez



Rose Gomez - August 15, 2015 at 02:18 PM

VF

“ Vicki Foote lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell



Vicki Foote - August 15, 2015 at 02:12 PM

MB

“ Mike & Terri Bilicic lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell



Mike & Terri Bilicic - August 15, 2015 at 01:41 PM



“ *Giane was such a special, uplifting, contagiously wonderful person. I'm so thankful to have known her. Peace, prayers and love to all of her family. I'm so sorry for your loss.* ”

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**Alexis Rios-Hanson** - August 15, 2015 at 01:37 PM

JK

“ *Jennifer And Kids lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell* ”



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**Jennifer and kids** - August 14, 2015 at 10:28 PM

KL

“ *I just want to pay my respect on your loss. I enjoyed seing her at the library and her smiling face. May she R.I.P* ”



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**Kimberly Long** - August 14, 2015 at 08:47 PM

JD

“ *Joy Dutcher lit a candle in memory of Giane Powell* ”

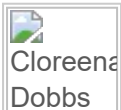


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**Joy Dutcher** - August 14, 2015 at 06:31 PM

JD

“ *Kenny and family, I am so sorry to hear about Giane's passing. She was a great friend and neighbor. Prayers to you and the family. Joy Dutcher* ”

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**Joy Dutcher** - August 14, 2015 at 06:30 PM



*So sorry for the loss. I met Giane at my first quilt retreat in Virden, NM. She taught us how to paper piece and she also liked doing English paper piecing. A joy to help and always willing to help...Beautiful person. Lit a !candle in her memory*

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**Cloreena Dobbs** - August 16, 2015 at 04:41 PM

AC

*Giane's life was dedicated to her love of literacy for the youth of our community. She will be greatly missed.*

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**AnnJi Craig-Wooten** - August 16, 2015 at 07:24 PM

DE

*I will miss you Mary Giane*

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**Deena** - August 17, 2015 at 10:34 AM

CR

*I met Giane at a retreat in Virden. She was a joy to be around and was very involved with quilting and kids. In fact the night we met she went to a ball game one of her grandkids was playing. Really enjoyed learning from her and will miss her. Carol Reed (fomerly from Willcox now Texas)*

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**Carol Reed** - September 10, 2015 at 09:04 AM