



## Ann Andrews

May 21, 1934 - February 15, 2011

Ann Waite Andrews, 76, of Naples, Florida passed away February 15, 2011.

She was born May 21, 1934 in Elyria, Ohio, the daughter of Virgil and Helen (Peirce) Waite.

She enjoyed cooking, people, and had a wonderful sense of humor. She was an avid animal lover all of her life. She loved her family and will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

She leaves to cherish her loving memory, 2 children, Laura Ann Summers of Raleigh, North Carolina and Peirce Andrews of Fort Myers, Florida, 1 sister Dorothy Benedict of Naples, Florida, 1 brother Donald Waite of New Jersey, and 3 wonderful grandchildren, Hannah, Jacob, and Austin.

Funeral services will be held at the convenience of the family.

Funeral arrangements under the direction of Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc., 4224 Cleveland Ave, Suite 1, Fort Myers, Florida 33901, 239-274-0088. Online condolences may be made at [www.gendronfuneralhome.com](http://www.gendronfuneralhome.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ann Andrews*

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



“ *Ann Andrews*

January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



“ *Oh, Mom. It's been over two months now since you've been gone and it just doesn't seem to get any easier. I miss you terribly! I do take comfort in knowing you are at peace now, though. I promise to live a life that makes you proud. :) I sure do wish you knew about your new grandson/daughter... but, perhaps, you do?*

**Laura Summers** - April 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *I remember going to Aunt Ann's house as a little girl. We'd play our violin for her and she'd let us swim in the pool. A favorite memory was watching her cats fetch! I appreciated her kindness even at that young age.*

**Kristen Dianne Cosby Diaz** - February 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Auntie Ann, as a child I remember you seeking me out to talk. It was fun hearing stories about my Dad when he was young. You were very expressive and would use a lot of adjectives and adverbs as you talked (which I loved). I still have the perfume bottles that you gave me for several Christmases. Somehow those bottles have always made the many moves over the years. They remind me of an era and a person who was special. You and I share the love of cats. I smile when I think of your cat that fetched! When Reggie, Kristen, Megan and I visited your home you showed the same attention to my daughters that you used to show to me. They still remember your specialness even though they were very young. Laura and Peirce, my heart hurts for your loss. Please know how very sorry I am, and how much your mom's life touched mine.

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**Dianne Waite Cosby** - February 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ How well we remember Annie. She was our precious little sister. Memories of times together as children and then adults linger in our minds. Our telephone talks were a joy. She gave us news and told us truth. Every time we asked her of her belief and trust in Jesus Christ, she would say, "Oh yes. I believe in Jesus Christ as my Saviour!" With such a belief, we expect to see her in Heaven. How surprised Dad and Mom will be to see her there so soon. Love  
Vonnie & BIG BOTHER, DON

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**Dr. & Mrs. D. A. Waite** - February 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ I miss you more than you could possibly know. We are having a party for you tonight. I hope you can make it!!!

Love,

Amy

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**Amy Reid** - February 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ Aunt Ann will be missed. We will keep Laura, Pierce, and family in our prayers...we love you all.

- Tige Butts & family

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**Tige Butts** - February 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GA

“ Aunt Ann, I have fond memories from my childhood of family get togethers with you. Whenever I pick up potato salad from Publix I think of you - though of course it's not the same.

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**Greg Adams** - February 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ To my sister, Ann, I remember well the day you were born - Our Dad came from Elyria Memorial Hospital next door to McKinley grade school & said "You have a baby sister!" Hooray...I jumped for joy! And then when you were 12, you were a Jr. Bridesmaid at our wedding. The years in between and after showed us what a talented gal you were: an artist with Miss Cox, a beautiful singing voice and an exceptional talent as a Master Cook. You are missed - We love you...

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**Sis Dot & Bro Hank** - February 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

HE

“ *My best friend, Ann  
I will always remember the good times we shared. The many walks on the beach, the dinner parties, the late night talks and the calls to fix things. The way you loved to get all dressed up and enjoyed going to the theater. The shopping trips and finding bargains. The many holidays we shared and the fun we had decorating and lighting candles. Your favorite time swimming with the dolphins. I will be so alone without you.  
I will miss you so very much.*

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**Helen** - February 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ *Aunt Ann, thank you for the happy memories. We will miss you.  
Laura and Peirce, our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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**Steve and Jenny Adams** - February 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Auntie Ann has been a part of my life for a very long time!! She was just 13 when I was born. As a young girl, I would love to watch her wash her hair in the Beech Street house, upstairs bathroom sink (with Halo shampoo---I can still smell it.) She had long, thick, dark hair. Then I watched as she got ready for her date with her first boyfriend, "Wally". Aunt Ann picked me to be her flower girl when she was crowned "May Queen", 5/2/52. I felt like a princess, and she looked like one! In the late 50's, Mom and Aunt Ann made Christmas stockings out of felt for the entire family, a tradition we have kept until this day. Fast forward to the 70's... we were both expecting babies near the same time (Jeff/Laura and Bryan/Peirce) and enjoyed sharing the excitement and anticipation of it all. She recently commented on how fun that time of our lives was. Auntie Ann was always a fun person to have at our family gatherings...she knew how to liven up any party! She will be missed by many....we are glad to have had the gift of knowing her.....

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**Jane and Kim Butts** - February 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ Aunt Ann, when we think of you, we think of someone who was a great cook, a sewer, had a real passion for fashion, someone who was artistic, a cat lover, loved playing cards and earned the title of "Life Master" in Bridge, someone who loved to shop and could find a bargain including on QVC :), and someone who loved people with a lot of heart. We love you and you will not be forgotten...

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**Barb and Vince Adams** - February 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ My family sends respect. I have many fond memories of my Aunt Ann, and I will miss her.

Bryan

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**Bryan Butts** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Aunt Ann always had a smile on her face when we would gather for family functions. She made the very best potatoe salad (which I loved to mix with GG's baked beans). Our hearts and prayers go to Pierce and Laura.

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**Jeff and Tammy Butts** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Aunt Ann and I were very close during my childhood years, and we had many great times together later (over my 61 years), although brief since we lived apart. She made great potato salad and gravy, she was unique in many ways, and I know she loved me, as she just told me again last week. She will be missed tremendously. Rest in peace, Auntie Ann!

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**William Waite Benedict (Bill)** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ Mom,

*It is with great sadness that I say goodbye, but I know that you are in a more peaceful place now....with Gram and Gramp. I miss you very much!*

*With all of my love,*

*Your (Favorite) Son,*

*Peirce*

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**Peirce Andrews** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM