



Janine Anton

April 27, 1957 - July 24, 2014

1957-2014

Janine Anton, age 57, a lifetime resident of Santa Fe, departed unexpectedly from this world on Thursday, July 24, 2014. She attended St. Michael's High School and earned her degree from the College of Santa Fe. She worked for the State of NM and served on the Board of the Communications Workers of America Local Union 7076. She spent time selflessly volunteering with many different non-profit organizations to fulfill her desire to make the world a better place and her adventurous spirit moved her to travel to exotic places. She was incredibly generous and had a kind word and a smile for anyone she met. With a heart of gold and a great sense of humor she touched the hearts and funny bones of many. Janine leaves behind many family members and friends. She leaves her daughter, Dayna; her father, Waldo; her brother, Martin; three sisters, Bernadette and husband, Gary Williams, Elaine and Camille; along with her beloved uncle, Billy Rivera, she also leaves her nieces, Chiara and husband, Jason Whiting and Giovanna as well as her great niece, Camille; and nephews, Dante and Jadon who were the joys of her heart. She is now at rest with her mother, Ernestine "Tiny", her maternal and paternal grandparents, and her beloved great nephew, cutie pie Brandon. Janine will be cherished and remembered always. A Memorial Service will be held at Hotel Santa Fe, 1501 Paseo De Peralta, Santa Fe, NM 87501 on Saturday, September 13, 2014 at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to: chainbreaker.org, located at 1515 5th St. Santa Fe, NM 87505.

Sign Janine's online tribute at www.romerofuneralhomenm.com Romero
Funeral Home, 609 N. Main Street, Belen, NM

Tribute Wall

CB

“ I’m deeply sorry for your family’s loss of a sister, daughter and mother. The world will miss her great sense of humor and lightening wit ~ a wonderful gift shared by all of the Antons. Janine will always live in your laughter.

C.C. Barton - September 13, 2014 at 11:50 AM

CP

“ I wish JJ and I could attend Janine's memorial to honor her memory. She was always kind to me and I will miss her giggle. Hugs and condolences to Dayna, Waldo, Martin, Bernadette, Camille, Elaine and all of the nieces and nephews. God Speed Janine!



Carolyn Perkins - September 10, 2014 at 02:56 PM

JC

“ I had the pleasure of meeting Janine through my daughter, as they worked together for worker's rights. I pay my deepest respects and condolences to the family of an admirable woman.
Sincerely, Julia (and Alma) Castro

Julia Castro - September 10, 2014 at 01:28 PM

PG

“ Wendy and I send our condolences to Dayna, all Janine's sisters, her brother Martin and her Dad, Waldo and the numerous nieces & nephews. We light a candle in her honor.



Paula Getz - September 09, 2014 at 08:25 PM

MG

“ *Marcos Garcia lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Marcos Garcia - September 05, 2014 at 11:59 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Janine Anton.*



August 07, 2014 at 09:41 AM

MB

“ *To the entire Anton Family, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Janine. She was a good friend of my sister Alice at St Francis School. It seems like yesterday. I met Janine again at the Ft Marcy Pool 15 yrs ago. She was so sweet and endearing. Just as she had always been. I love the photos you have posted. Life is so short. I Love You all.
Treasure every moment. Mary Kay Boulton*

MARY KAY BOULTON - August 04, 2014 at 08:54 PM

BV

“ *Barbara Valdez*



Barbara Valdez - August 04, 2014 at 03:23 PM

ET

“ It always made my day to see Janine at Central Labor Council meetings. She was incredibly generous and had such a great sense of humor. What a loss for all of us.

Eve Tolpa - August 04, 2014 at 11:59 AM

EM

“ So terribly sorry to hear of Janine's passing. A true sister of the Union family.

Ellen Mills

Ellen Mills - August 04, 2014 at 08:14 AM

ML

“ My thoughts and prayers to the loved ones of Janine.

Mary Lucero - August 03, 2014 at 09:01 PM

ML

“ Mary Lucero lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton



Mary Lucero - August 03, 2014 at 08:58 PM

KA

“*Janine and I first met when we worked together on Labor 2010. She was a person who was never able to say "no". She worked tirelessly for her union brothers and sisters and for all those less fortunate than herself. We always sat together at the Central Labor Council meetings and worked hard to stop talking to each other during the meetings! Words cannot express my dismay and sadness. Her friendship was a gift.*

Karyl Ann Armbruster

Karyl Ann Armbruster - August 03, 2014 at 08:43 PM

SA

“*Janine was very gracious to me when I moved into her neighborhood two years ago. She was always willing to talk and answer my questions about Santa Fe, down to where to get the best tamales. One day we went to brunch and she drove me around Old Santa Fe and shared memories of her earlier life here. She was a wonderful neighbor and I will miss her. I am very sorry for her family's loss.*

Sharon Ahrens - August 03, 2014 at 06:56 PM

MM

“*Dayna, Bernadette, Elaine, Camille and Martin, I am very saddened to hear that Janine has passed away. I remember her as a beautiful, kind and gracious lady. Someone so special will never be forgotten, just as Tina has always been in my thoughts throughout the years. My prayers are with you and all of the Anton Family.*

Marie Montez Miller

Marie Montez-Miller - August 03, 2014 at 03:29 PM

RP

“ *Martin, may the fond, happy and funny memories of Janine, comfort you and the rest of your family during this time of sorrow. They will forever keep her alive in your hearts. May her soul rest in peace and may perpetual life shine upon her. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Rick Padilla and family (Class of 75)

Rick Padilla - August 03, 2014 at 11:48 AM

GR

“ *My heartfelt condolences to Dayna, Bernadette and Gary and their family, Martin, Elaine and Camille. Dayna, I remember when you'd visit your "honey" at the office. You were just a little girl. I still have your grammar school photo cause I considered you my little friend. Janine looks so much like Tina on this picture. I ran into Janine at Back St. Bistro a few months ago and as always, she was sweet and soft spoken but yes, she had that sense of humor that all of you share with Tina. I have you all in my prayers and thoughts. Gloria Roybal*

Gloria Roybal - August 02, 2014 at 11:59 AM

 Lesli
Gould

“ *Janine brightened this world with her kindness and her love. Such a beautiful person, she will be missed.*
Lesli (Wisenteiner) Gould

Lesli Gould - August 02, 2014 at 09:28 AM

Lesli
Gould

“ *Lesli Gould lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Lesli Gould - August 02, 2014 at 09:22 AM

AL

“ *Dearest Dayna, your mom was my classmate and dear friend. She always gave me an open invitation to dinner when we were at NMSU at the same time. Her dry sense of humor was one of a kind and will miss her deeply. I will keep her, you and all of the family in my prayers. May God Bless You during this difficult time. Sincerely, Anthony Lucero*



Anthony Lucero - August 01, 2014 at 04:40 PM

LV

“ *Bernadette and Anton family, I am so very sorry to hear of Janine's passing. I remember her as a little girl when I would visit Bernadette at her home...I remember her at school...I am so sorry for your loss. Sincerely, Luana Valdez-Buelow*

Luana Valdez-Buelow - August 01, 2014 at 09:51 AM

GS

“ *I will miss you my dear friend Janine . . . and your kindness, intelligence, wisdom, and friendship. We will all miss you!*

My thoughts and prayers for Dayna and all of Janine's family,

Geraldine Salazar

Geraldine Salazar - August 01, 2014 at 08:40 AM

Jl

“ I've know Janine and the family most of my life. I remember when Janine and I worked together at the Department of Education back in the '90s. My thoughts and prayers to our to the Anton family. John Block, III

John Block, III - August 01, 2014 at 08:09 AM

SS

“ Susie Simmons lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton



Susie Simmons - July 31, 2014 at 07:47 PM

ME

“ Dayna, I recall the day I met you. I was working the demo at Trader Joes when you and your mom came by to sample foods. What I most remember is that I saw a side of your mom that I had not seen before... she was so happy, so proud of you, and you were both smiling. I'm glad that you had so many opportunities to be with your mom and let her feel your love. I know that your heart must be full of sorrow at this time, but you have received a great gift having your mom with you for so many years. Though she will be greatly missed, you will always have a special place in your heart for her... a place that only a mother and daughter can share.... incredibly, she will be carried on through you.

God Bless You!

Melinda Lopez



Melinda - July 31, 2014 at 11:37 AM

HR

“ My sincere sympathy to the Family and Friends of Janine. Janine was a kind, giving person; she will be missed by all who had the pleasure of knowing her. May you find comfort and peace in your time of sorrow.



Henry Romero - July 30, 2014 at 03:35 PM

RQ

“ My condolences to the family. Janine was one of my classmates at St. Michael's and was loved by all.

Richard V. Quintana - July 30, 2014 at 03:09 PM

MR

“ Michelle Rodriguez lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton



Michelle Rodriguez - July 30, 2014 at 09:05 AM

MR

“ Anton Family,
I was so sorry to hear about Janine. I have so many memories of Janine back to our days at St. Francis. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. May your memories and love for Janine comfort you.
Michelle Rodriguez

Michelle Rodriguez - July 30, 2014 at 09:05 AM

TK

“ So very sorry....*Tom Keesing*

Tom Keesing - July 30, 2014 at 12:43 AM

RA

“ *Dayna, Waldo, Lain, Bernadette, Martin, Camille and family, words cannot express the magnitude of our condolences. Janine was a wonderful woman. She was always kind, had a quick smile, and loved being speedy witty joke or classic one-liner. May your heart be filled with only the best of memories you can recall whenever you remember her. She is closer than ever. Put your hand on your heart and feel her as your shared blood runs through your veins. Our love and prayers are with you all, Robynn, Geri and Lari*

Robynn Armijo - July 29, 2014 at 11:18 PM

BA

“ *We loved her.....she is our angel. Our condolences to Dayna and the family. We will miss her- Barbara, Jake*

barbara - July 29, 2014 at 10:04 PM

SC

“ *Share a memory of Janine Anton, or send a condolence to the family...*

sylvia chavez - July 29, 2014 at 09:38 PM

PG

“ *Prayerfully and Heartfelt Condolences to the Family of Janine Anton.
Tillie and Paula Gonzales.*

Paula Gonzales - July 29, 2014 at 06:55 PM

ML

“ *Marjorie Lewis lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Marjorie Lewis - July 29, 2014 at 06:45 PM

LM

“ *J-9
"I can no longer see you with my eyes, Touch you with my hands,
But I will feel you in my heart Forever" .
You were a great friend I will miss you and the long telephone
conversations that we had
My deepest sympathie to the family of Janine.
Leona*

Leona Maes - July 29, 2014 at 05:34 PM

RB

“ *My heart goes out to you all. I am so sorry to hear that Janine as
passed away. She was such a sweet heart and I always enjoyed
seeing her and getting a hug or two from her. My prayers and
thoughts are with you at this time.*

Roxie Baca - July 29, 2014 at 04:32 PM

BJ

“ *Janine,*

*God took you in his loving arms
He saw you needed rest
His garden must be beautiful
For He only takes the best...
You will be missed my friend.*

*Love,
Bernadette*

Bernadette Jaramillo - July 29, 2014 at 03:22 PM

BJ

“ *Bernadette Jaramillo lit a candle in memory of
Janine Anton*



Bernadette Jaramillo - July 29, 2014 at 03:10 PM

LS

“ *My deepest condolences to friends and family of Janine or J9 as we called her sometimes. A true gentle soul with a great sense of humor. J9 got me to go to water aerobics and for years we splashed and laughed our way thru the class. She left us too early and she will be missed. Love you Janine. Luanna Gonzales Salazar*

Luanna Salazar - July 29, 2014 at 12:35 PM

DE

“ *Janine was and is a wonderful friend to me and all. She is a wise lady with a good heart.*

I thank you Janine for the many wonderful and loving memories. You are a beautiful person both inside and out.

You will be missed by all, but now you are with your Mom and I know that makes you happy. I am happy for you, but sad you are not physically here with us.

*Con Carino,
Deb*

Deborah - July 29, 2014 at 12:10 PM

DE

“ *Deborah lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Deborah - July 29, 2014 at 12:04 PM

MA

“ *Anton family, I was sadden by the news of Janine's death. She was a dear friend and will be missed by all who knew her. My thoughts and prayers are with the family and may God give them comfort in their time of need.*

Mary Jane Archuleta

Mary Jane Archuleta - July 29, 2014 at 09:22 AM

EA

“ 2 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Elaine Anton - July 29, 2014 at 09:11 AM

CG

“ *Carolyn Garcia lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Carolyn Garcia - July 28, 2014 at 05:30 PM

DM

“ *Janine was a wonderful friend to me and my daughter Sarah when we lived in Santa Fe. She and her family welcomed us into their lives, providing us with support, comfort, and most of all good cheer. Even after we moved away she celebrated our joys and mourned our sorrows with us. I miss her, and I wish Dayna and her family comfort as you celebrate Janine's life. With love, Dorothy*



Dorothy McDuffie - July 28, 2014 at 05:24 PM

MS

“ *Melody Sandoval lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Melody Sandoval - July 28, 2014 at 03:56 PM

CI

“ *CindyLeigh lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



CindyLeigh - July 28, 2014 at 03:29 PM

RG

“ *Ramona Gonzales lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Ramona Gonzales - July 28, 2014 at 03:12 PM

RB

“ *Martin, Dayna and The Rest of Janine's Family...I want to express my deepest condolences to you at the passing of Janine. Janine was not only a good friend, but also, my confidante. I could tell her anything and she would always steer me in the right direction. She grounded me and was there for me when tragedy struck my family. I was fortunate to share Christmas Eve with Martin and Janine in 2011. Martin and Janine took me to the State Fair when I was down and didn't feel like being with anyone. They introduced me to horse racing, which was a lot of fun. There will truly be a void in my life now that Janine is not here with us. But I feel sure I will see her again sometime. Remember her motto, "things will turn out in the end." My prayers go out to you, the family, and Janine. Rick Byrne*

Rick Byrne - July 28, 2014 at 02:56 PM

MV

“ *My Prayers are with you*



Michael V - July 28, 2014 at 02:54 PM

HL

“ *Hector Lopez lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Hector Lopez - July 28, 2014 at 02:41 PM

HL

“ *Janine, I am very sad that you left too early to heaven. I will miss you very much, you were a great friend and co-worker.*

Hector Lopez - July 28, 2014 at 02:40 PM

FZ

“ *I Am So Sorry Words Cant Express How Saddened I Am To Hear Of Your Loss Janine Was Such A Good Friend And A CoWorker We Will Miss Her May God Bless Your Family . Fernando Zapata.*

Fernando Zapata - July 28, 2014 at 02:15 PM

MG

“ *Melody L Griego lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Melody L Griego - July 28, 2014 at 01:19 PM

MN

“ *Janine left us too soon. She was a kind, considerate and gentil lady. My world was better because she was in it for a time.*

It was a privilege to know you and I will miss you very much. Until we meet again amiga! Your friend and co-worker, Maria Navidad



Maria Navidad - July 28, 2014 at 01:18 PM

SW

We were so sorry to hear of Janine's death today. Dayna, we had some good times when you two were our neighbors. Your mom came through for me during a hard time in my life, and I will be eternally grateful. I remember picking cherries from your Grandfather's tree on the 4th of July and eating them on the balcony while watching the fireworks. May the memories of your mother's love sustain you now and forever. Sharon and Mike

Sharon Wirtz - August 01, 2014 at 02:41 PM

PG

“ Janine, I was so blessed to have you as a friend, God must have needed another Angel so he took you from us, I will never forget you. To Janine's Family, My deepest condolences, You are all in our thoughts 'n prayers. Pat Griego & Family...

Pat E. Griego - July 28, 2014 at 01:10 PM

PG

“ Pat E. Griego lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton



Pat E. Griego - July 28, 2014 at 01:00 PM

CS

“ Carol Salazar lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton



Carol Salazar - July 28, 2014 at 12:58 PM

DG

“ *Don Graham lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Don Graham - July 28, 2014 at 12:40 PM

PE

“ *Janine, my wonderful friend, I will miss you so much. My sympathies to Janine's family, you where a constant source of pride for her daily...She expressed how much she loved you in every conversation. Bless you always, Patty Evans and family.*

Patty Evans - July 28, 2014 at 12:31 PM

MS

“ *Janine and I talked a lot about God and about his son and Savior Jesus Christ. My prayer is that the Lord of all comforts is embracing all the Anton family during this time of great loss. I will miss talking to Janine and I will remember her advise "Maritza, things always work themselves out". Dayna was the love of her life. She always talked about how much she loved her family. I will miss Janine very much.*

Maritza Snyder - July 28, 2014 at 12:09 PM



“ *Condolences to all of the Anton family, She always spoke of all of you (family) everyday and cherished every moment she spent with you. She will be missed by all of us here at DoIT. Until we meet again my friend, Melanie Guillen Montoya*

Melanie Guillen-Montoya - July 28, 2014 at 11:52 AM



“ *Melanie Guillen-Montoya lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Melanie Guillen-Montoya - July 28, 2014 at 11:50 AM



“ *Jonathyn Montoya lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton*



Jonathyn Montoya - July 28, 2014 at 11:49 AM



“ *J-9, thank you for introducing me to so much of Santa Fe. I am forever grateful! My deepest sympathies to your family and friends.*

Sue Strutz - July 28, 2014 at 11:14 AM



“ *Jackie Padilla sent a virtual gift in memory of Janine Anton*



Jackie Padilla - July 28, 2014 at 01:44 AM

JP

“ Jackie Padilla lit a candle in memory of Janine Anton



Jackie Padilla - July 28, 2014 at 01:43 AM

JP

“ To the Anton Family,

I'm very sadden to hear of Janine's passing. She was a good friend and her memory will live on forever. May God bless your family, and if there's anything I can do, please just ask. .

*Jackie Padilla
Friend and Co-worker*

Jackie Padilla - July 28, 2014 at 01:43 AM

MS

“ Dayna, Martin, Waldo and all the rest of the family,
*I am so sorry, words can't express how saddened I am to hear of your loss.
Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your famiy during this tragic time. Janine was such a good friend of mine, I have known her for many years.*

Friends are the pillars on your porch. Sometimes they hold you up, sometimes they lean on you, and sometimes it's just enough to know that they are standing by. Janine was that friend. I will always have fond memories of Janine. She will be greatly missed.

Michelle Schneider

michelle schneider - July 27, 2014 at 04:01 PM

DA

“ *Janine was a labor leader for our members belonging to the Communications Workers of America (CWA). Janine believed in standing up for workers rights and believed that she can make a difference not only in the work place but also in her community which was demonstrated with her support for Somos Un Pueblo Unido. Janine will be missed but not forgotten. In loving memory.*

*Donald Alire
CWA President Local 7076*

Donald Alire - July 27, 2014 at 11:27 AM

PF

“ *I'm very sorry for your mother's passing Dayna and my deepest sympathies to Bernadette, Martin, Elaine, Louise, Waldo, and the rest of the family. Pablo J. Gonzales*

Pablo J. Gonzales & Family - July 26, 2014 at 07:40 PM

DG

“ *My deepest and heartfelt sympathies to Dayna, Mr. Anton, Bernadette, Elaine, Martin, Louise and the rest of the family Janine so dearly loved. I feel blessed to have had Janine as part of my life. She was truly a special person and friend. - Diane*



Diane Gonzales - July 26, 2014 at 05:18 PM

JR

We loved her.....she is our angel. Our condolences to Dayna and the family. We will miss her- Barbara, Jake & Charlene

jake rodriguez - July 29, 2014 at 07:34 PM