



Sarah Anne Crist

July 31, 1948 - March 19, 2015

Sarah A. Crist, 66, of Urbana, died on Thursday, March 19, 2015 in the Springfield Regional Medical Center.

She was born on July 31, 1948 in Urbana, OH, the daughter of William and Frances (Brittin) Delaney. Sarah was a graduate of Mechanicsburg High School, received her bachelor's degree from Wittenberg University and Master's in Education from Xavier University. She was a teacher for Urbana City Schools for over 30 years.

Sarah had a love for horses and raised many of them throughout her life. Survivors include her husband, Gary Crist; 2 sons, Andy Crist and his wife Megan of Urbana and Kevin Crist; 2 sisters, Barbara (Alan) Keirn of Urbana and Brenda (Jerry) Riley of Urbana; sister-in-law, Deborah Crist of Galloway; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

The family will receive friends from 4-7 p.m. on Tuesday, March 24, 2015 in the WALTER & SMITH FUNERAL HOME, Urbana, where a service will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, March 25, 2015. Burial will follow in Oak Dale Cemetery, Urbana.

Memorial contributions may be made to PAWS Animal Shelter, 1535 W. U.S. Route 36, Urbana, OH 43078.

Condolences may be expressed to the family at www.walterfunerals.com.

Cemetery Details

Oak Dale Cemetery

319 Patrick Avenue
Urbana, OH 43078

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **24.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

MAR **25.** 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SC

“ We were saddened to hear the news of Sarah's passing. It's hard to believe we won't see her smiling and waving to us as she tends to the horses on Campground Rd. Our thoughts are with you and your family.

Cindy and Sam Lockwood

Sam and Cindy - March 29, 2015 at 04:42 PM

BH

“ Gary,

I remember Sarah as a vibrant, intelligent & caring woman! Dorothy & my thoughts are with you!

Dorothy & Bob Harrison

Bob Harrison - March 25, 2015 at 07:44 AM



“ I have been thinking of Sarah and her family ever since I heard the tragic news. I remember Sarah this way: laughing, smiling, honest, loving and loyal. After our Wittenberg days, she would come to my mom's house with her older son, just a toddler, and we would sit on the front porch and talk. She was a joy to know and I wish that I had kept in touch with her. Whatever is next for her, I hope it has horses and laughter! Mary Zolman

Mary Zolman - March 25, 2015 at 06:12 AM

SA

“ Gary, I am so sorry for your loss. Prayers For you and your family.

Sue Lowe Andresen.

Sue Lowe Andresen - March 23, 2015 at 09:08 PM

CD

“ Barb & Brenda and family,
So sorry to hear of your loss. Remember many times being together
when we were young. 4-H and horse shows and fairs.
Please express my condolences to all.
Blessings and sympathy, Carol Culp Drown

Carol Culp Drown - March 23, 2015 at 03:22 PM

MT

“ Gary and family, I am so sorry for your loss. Margaret Tabor

Margaret E Tabor - March 23, 2015 at 01:59 PM

HR

“ Sarah taught me so many different ways to "stretch and grow" and
her lunge line lessons had me stretched in ways I never dreamed I
could! Her love and loyalty to all the males in her life was
unsurpassed...Gary, Andy, Kevin and her herd of minis! This world
is certainly a better place because she was here and it won't be
quite as bright because she has left us. Your friendship is a blessing
to all those that love you! Gone way too soon...witty, loving, wise
and determined, Sarah

Holly Reedy - March 23, 2015 at 01:02 PM

WF

“ *My sincere sympathies to the family on the home-going of Sarah. I am so sorry for your loss and will be praying that you will be comforted. God will be walking with you. Sincerely, in Christ, William Foulk*

William Foulk - March 23, 2015 at 08:55 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sarah Anne Crist.*



March 23, 2015 at 07:59 AM

BA

“ *4 files added to the album Sarah Moments in Time*



Barb and Arky - March 22, 2015 at 11:50 PM



“ *Amazing Arboricola was purchased for the family of Sarah Anne Crist.* ”



March 22, 2015 at 10:44 PM



“ *Barb and Arky purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Sarah Anne Crist.* ”



Barb and Arky - March 22, 2015 at 10:34 PM



“ *We had so much fun being 4-H advisors together. Through the Horse Bowl, Judging, and Costume classes it was a wonderful experience. Loved meetings at her house because she made the best chocolate chip cookies ever!* ”

Jan Jordan - March 22, 2015 at 08:27 PM



“ *I will never forget the lessons Sarah gave me on my horse. She was a great teacher and a wonderful and kind person. RIP Sarah! There is sunshine in the ski.* ”

Rose Price - March 22, 2015 at 08:45 AM