



## Anita Davis

January 13, 1956 - May 5, 2018

Anita Davis, age 62, of Springdale, Arkansas passed on May 5, 2018 supported by family and friends. She was born in Englewood, New Jersey on January 13, 1956. Growing up on Porter Street in Springdale, she loved working in her Grandmother's Dairy Queen on Emma. Upon graduation in 1974 from Springdale High School, she attended Bauder Fashion College in Texas and later the UofA. She was the Office Manager for the Law Firm of Davis and Associates for over 25 years. She founded Epi-Center Realty in 2004 where she was broker/owner.

Anita had a zest for life that was contagious. She was quick-witted, an entertaining story-teller, a willing mentor, passionate about causes she believed in, a fierce and loyal friend, as well as a generous, strong and courageous woman. She loved dancing, boating on Beaver Lake, travelling near and far, being with friends, and even raising chickens. She enjoyed hunting, fishing and gardening with her father. Anita's unpretentious, energetic and free spirited demeanor won her lifelong and dedicated friends that knew no socio-economic boundaries.

Her love for animals compelled her to lend her time and energy to For Pet's Sake. Likewise, her compassion for people led her to volunteer with Circle of Life Hospice. And, her strong belief in empowering women found her an avid supporter of Planned Parenthood. Informally, she was always willing to lend

an ear or a hand to anyone who reached out to her in need of just about anything.

Anita was preceded in death by her devoted and much loved mother, Betty Lane Davis. She is survived by her father Charles E. Davis of the home and her sister, Lane Davis of Dallas.

Anita was very grateful to the Angel Flight organization for providing the transportation for her countless trips to Houston. She was also blessed with loving and dedicated help from her in-home caregivers, as well as the numerous friends who stepped up to help out.

Anita will be deeply missed, but utterly impossible to forget. She left a lasting and indelible impression on all she met. According to Anita's wishes, there will be no funeral service. Instead, we'll be celebrating Anita's life on Friday, May 18, 2018 beginning at 6pm at the Elks Lodge in Fayetteville.

Online condolences may be left at [www.siscofuneral.com](http://www.siscofuneral.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ Anita Davis

January 21, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ 🙌💖 so wonderful to have known you from Highschool through the 70's and beyond until a time not so long , ago when you were checking on a property you would sell next door. We hugged and it was so nice seeing you. And soon after a woman I'd befriended from Texas....abused and in so much pain from her husband....Anita, what information do you have that I can help, her? Instantly you had numbers to call. And I remember the Porsche , I believe? A fancy car! I saw you parked downtown on the corner and you said, "IT WAS TAKING ALL YOUR SALARY TO PAY FOR, IT 🚗" I release the Blessing upon you Charlie and Lane; Be Blessed Be Healed, in Jesus Name 💖 I love you, Jan DeWese

Jan DeWese - July 19, 2018 at 02:55 PM



“ Anita ... I haven't seen you in years and years, but you and your dad sure did know how to throw parties. I will never forget what fun I had hanging with you and Charlie. Rest in peace beautiful lady!

Brigett Gladden - May 08, 2018 at 10:47 PM

NP

“ Well we had some fun in the past 15 years. Some things planned, some not so planned....We did plan a pretty good 80th birthday party for Charlie! A bunch of laughing for sure. I will always see you say something smart with a cutting edge, then look at me out of the corner of your eye and start laughing. A smart funny woman with truly a kind heart. I have and will miss you. 💕💕 Nancy Perry

Nancy Perry - May 08, 2018 at 09:42 PM

PS

“ Charlie, I'm so sorry you have lost your daughter. Although I did not know her, I know you and I'm sure she had your zest for life and was a lot of fun. A beautiful obituary made me feel like I knew her too. Hang on to all those beautiful memories you have! Hugs and prayers, Patsy J. Sooter, Bentonville, AR



Patsy J. Sooter - May 08, 2018 at 09:22 PM

DF

“ God Bless to all of Anita's family!  
I remember a birthday party she had at her house. A sleep over. It was probably 5th or 6th grade. I don't think we did anything but yack... But we had the best time. Wish I could remember who was there. I know it was me, Julie, probably Ladonna and I don't know who else. Those were the days. Great memories. Course, there are more stories, like playing pool, but I'll leave them to you imagination. Anita, you will truly be missed. Love to you.. ❤️❤️

Debbie Faddis - May 08, 2018 at 09:17 PM

JP

Hey Debbie - ! Jacci -- Anita was "one of a kind"! we were family friends.

Jacci Perry - May 09, 2018 at 10:17 PM

CB

“ Anita was always up to learn and do something new and fun! She took Pilates sessions from me and even helped me establish my own Pilates studio in Fayetteville -- showing real estate, offering encouragement, helping with ordering equipment, etc. We had many similar interests; including, animal welfare, women's rights, and health care reform. She had a sharp and witty mind, and many times in Pilates class she had everyone in stitches, laughing at her antics! She was so full of life that it is hard to believe that she has passed. She was very compassionate, even inviting me to Christmas celebrations with her friends and family when she found that I was alone on Christmas. Anita was one of a kind, a force of nature, a breath of fresh air. She definitely made an impression on all who crossed her path. I will never forget her. I offer my sincere condolences to her friends and family. We love you, Anita, and love never dies.



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**Catherine Bogard** - May 08, 2018 at 08:07 PM

TS

“ Anita was a "bigger than life" lady. John and I are so thankful for the time we shared with you. From Mr. Z to camping in the back yard....never a dull moment when you were around. You touch so many lives...RIP Anita. Praying for you Charlie and Lane.

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**Terri & John Story** - May 08, 2018 at 08:02 PM

AH

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Davis family during this difficult time. Lots of fond memories of working at the Davis & Assoc Law Firm. Anita had a special personality to be always remembered

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**Anna Harp** - May 08, 2018 at 01:36 PM

NE

“ My Favorite person to know - always ready to take matters into her own hands - sometimes with force, sometimes with compassion and love - ready to do what was right, took care of those who couldn't care for themselves. I could spend hours sharing time and thoughts with this great gal. No more suffering my friend.



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**Nettie Everett** - May 08, 2018 at 01:32 PM

TR

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time.

*Tom Reed*

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**Tom Reed** - May 08, 2018 at 12:52 PM

HJ

“ One of the strongest, women I ever met, while at the same time compassionate and caring. Always there to bring a smile to all. Never to be forgotten. Charlie and Lane you are in my thoughts and prayers. Much love to you both.

*Holly Jones*

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**Holly Jones** - May 08, 2018 at 10:43 AM

CW

“ What a wonderful gift to have known Anita. I will always remember her thoughtfulness and caring, happy ways. You always brought joy to those around you.

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**Charles Williams** - May 08, 2018 at 09:26 AM

DG

“ *Damita Teague Grigg lit a candle in memory of Anita Davis*



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**Damita Teague Grigg** - May 08, 2018 at 07:38 AM

RH

“ *ANITA I KNEW...LEARNED FROM HER ATTORNEY DAD, CHARLES " CHARLIE " DAVIS. THEIR OFFICE BEHIND SAN JOSE MANOR FACING EMMA AVE. IT WAS THE SECOND WET CONCRETE SACK-STACKED BUILDING BUILT IN SPRINGDALE. SHE WAS REAL...THAT COVERS HER CHARACTER IN TOTAL. ( RIP ANITA )...TOUGH AS NAILS..BUT, COMPASSIONATE TO THE END...*

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**RON HARRISON** - May 07, 2018 at 09:40 PM

JP

*Yes, you said it best - she was REAL and COMPASSIONATE. Damn it, Anita - you Fought a good Fight, as always.*

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**Jacci Perry** - May 08, 2018 at 05:02 PM

DG

*Though we know heaven has welcomed a very special person, our hearts still feel the sorrow. Prayers to family and friends.*

*Dash Goff*

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**Dash Goff** - May 09, 2018 at 10:16 AM

DC

*Anita was so full of life and a force to be reckoned with! She and Charlie got me and Terry through a family matter and all the unexpected complications that entailed. Couldn't have done it without you, Anita! Know you are in a better place, but will miss you my friend. Charlie, I am very sorry for your loss.*

*Debby Coppage*

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**Debby Coppage** - May 12, 2018 at 11:16 AM

CL

*Your Battle is over and you have found peace! Chip & Annette*

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**Chip & Annette Loyd** - May 18, 2018 at 09:02 AM