



## Sarah Dunaway

December 12, 1981 - December 11, 2015

Sarah Anne Phoebe Kroupa Dunaway passed away peacefully from colon cancer on Dec 11, 2015, a day before her 34th birthday. She is survived by her beloved husband, Brent, her five beautiful children, her parents Tom and Susan Hidley, and her seven siblings.

Sarah was preceded in death by her father, Charles George Kroupa.

Born on Dec 12, 1981 in Bloomington, IN, she lived in Arizona before her family settled in Orem, Utah. She attended Canyon View Jr. High School, where she made life-long friends, and graduated from Orem High School in 2000. She earned a BS degree in social work from UVSC.

Sarah was a wonderful wife and mother and dearly loved her husband and children. She had a tender heart and loved to serve others. She enjoyed music, the outdoors, all animals, especially horses and goats, and particularly loved the Christmas season.

We would like to express our gratitude to the many people who have shown their love for Sarah through service over the seven months of her illness, including her family, friends, ward members, hospice workers and those who didn't know her personally but reached out to her in compassion.

Sarah served as an example to many and will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Funeral Services will be held Wednesday, December 16th, at 11:00 am, at the Heatheridge 5th Ward Chapel, 450 East 2000 North, Orem, Utah. There will be no public gathering prior to services. Interment in Orem City Cemetery.

Funeral Directors: Utah Valley Mortuary.

# Cemetery

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## Orem City Cemetery

1520 North 800 East

Orem, UT, 84097

# Events

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**DEC** **Funeral Service** 11:00AM - 12:00PM

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Heatheridge 5th Ward

450 East 2000 North, Orem, UT, US

# Comments

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“ Laurie lit a candle in memory of Sarah Dunaway



**laurie** - January 03, 2016 at 05:13 PM

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“ I was often playing with Sarah's brother Sam or doing different activities with her family. She was always very kind. Her loss feels to me like the loss of a sister. May God bless each of the little people in her family and also her husband, parents and siblings.

**Thomas Gilchrist** - December 15, 2015 at 02:36 PM

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“ Debi Mecham lit a candle in memory of Sarah Dunaway



**Debi Mecham** - December 15, 2015 at 01:40 PM

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“ The world will never be the same without this amazing young woman. I remember what a sweet little girl she was when she came to our house with her sister, Hannah. She blessed the lives of many and will be sorely missed and remembered with love.  
Debi Mecham

**Debi Mecham** - December 15, 2015 at 01:38 PM

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“ Oma Boyd lit a candle in memory of Sarah Dunaway



Oma Boyd - December 14, 2015 at 10:01 PM

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“ I am so so sorry to hear of your loss Sue. I remember when you first came to Orem and the library with your young and delightful family. I met them again when I sang at your wedding. I think of you and Lanell everytime I pull out my scrabble board. I hope our Heavenly Father is able to assuage your pain and sorrow with comfort and loads of happy memories.

Lori Stevens



Lori - December 14, 2015 at 12:21 PM

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“ Because it's been a long time since I've had the opportunity to see and laugh with Sarah, I'm sure it will take a while to sink in that she's passed on. Every time I've thought of her in the last few months (which has been often), I remember her with her wry smile and quiet sense of humor. She seemed like someone who loved being a mom and who excelled at it. I will miss her and I know so many others will, too. May God bless the lovely family she's left behind with strong memories of this wonderful person and with comfort at her loss!

Amanda Carroll - December 13, 2015 at 09:56 AM

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“ So sorry for the loss of little Sarah as she was always to me . I never got to know you as a wife and mother but every picture I see of her here , she has a baby in her arms . Her best calling. That is how I will remember her, Our prays go out to ,husband, children, her mom and dad, her brothers, and Hannah , Thank you for being Lucy's childhood friend . She loved you .

Michele and Bob Scudder

michele scudder - December 13, 2015 at 06:45 AM

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“ My family grew up with the Kroupa's, so Im blessed to have gotten a lot of time and memories with her. One of my funniest memories of her was when her eyebrows got singed of because her brother lit a fire cracker. She looked a little funny without eyebrows for a little while. She has been a beautiful and sweet person her whole life. Love you so much. We will be together again someday. I know you will be our guardian angel.

Tisha Sanders - December 12, 2015 at 11:01 PM

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“ Every time Sarah I got together and talked about past memories she would say " why is it every memory of us we are naked" so needless to say most my memories include slip n sliding in our underwater at lindon az breezeway elementary. Us deciding that walking around in our underwear in my room was no big deal we thought we were mature and painted our toes. Many more ect. Other memories are Sarah n I fighting like cats n digs then begging our moms to let the other come play even though we just left the others house due to fighting. We both had cast on our arms same time and mom caught us hitting each other with them on the trampoline. Ha oh we were so opposite we often said had we not been friends since 5 we probably would never of connected ha. My oldest friend I miss you and love you.

Chantel Blackburn - December 12, 2015 at 10:30 PM

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“ We are so sorry to hear of Sarah's passing. Please accept our heartfelt sympathy and love. Our prayers are with all of you her family. Uncle Ed and his wife Bettie

Bettie Miller-Kroupa - December 12, 2015 at 10:21 PM

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“ So many memories... Sarah and I used to dream of being figure skaters like Nancy Kerrigan and Oksana Baiul. We would practice our "triple lutz" in the living room while dancing, or on the elevator at zcmi, hoping to catch more air! Fun times. We are 12 at the time, but loved to dream together that way.

**Anna Gilchrist Gilmore** - December 12, 2015 at 10:04 PM