



Ginger Lee Mohs

August 7, 1972 - June 28, 2010

On Monday, June 29, 2010, Ginger Lee Mohs passed from our sight. She was born in Fort Collins and lived here nearly all of her life. And what a life it was! She went to CSU after high school, and after working in the dispatch office on the CSU campus, decided that her passion was to be a police officer. She was hired by the Fort Collins police department and began a career that left a legacy that will long be remembered. Ginger was one of those rare individuals that lived her life according to her own rules and the people she touched could not help being caught up in her sheer joy. Laughter was the tool she used to woo the world. There are no words that can describe her, but no one that ever met her will ever be able to forget her. She was a force of nature and there will never be anyone like her ever again. She leaves behind her mother, Kerry McKillop of Wellington; her brothers, Chad Mohs and David Rodriguez; two nephews, Tanner and Brayden Mohs; her partner, Julie French and many, many other family and friends. There will be a memorial service held in her honor at the Lory Student Center, West Ballroom at 5:00 p.m. Since people were her passion and she thought flowers were "stupid", donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Ginger Mohs Memorial Fund at any branch of First National Bank.

Tribute Wall

CA

“ Six years and still in heart.I miss every day.

Cathy - June 29, 2016 at 12:52 PM

MA

“ I miss you Ginger,,,, can't believe its been a yr and a day longer fr when i saw your smiling face and giving me the run down on things,,,, I turlly miss and llove you,,,,

Mary - June 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LV

“ Wow,I can't beleive Ginger is gone. I have not seen her in a very long time but I used to work with her when she worked at King Soopers on Taft Hill Rd. She was an awsome person. We had alot of fun when she was there. She will be truely missed.

Liane Fisher Vlcek - July 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CA

It's been almost 6 years since Ginger has been gone. I still think about her calling and telling me to get the coffee on every morning. I miss everything about you . Your smile the way you made me laugh. I feel your presence every now and then. I miss you..

Cathy - June 26, 2016 at 06:48 PM

DH

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Dick Hurtz - November 21, 2016 at 10:17 PM

CF

“ I will certainly miss Ginger! She was a very memorable person in a good way. I enjoyed spending time with her and sharing stories about our pets. May she rest in peace.

Cheryl Fox - July 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ Well, it has been about a year since I last spoke to Ginger and I regret that very much. I remember the first time I met her. I had just moved to Ft C and was working at CSU. Many of my new co-workers took me for pizza and Ginger joined us. Just so happened that we sat next to each other, and after about 5 minutes, she said "What are you doing working at CSU? You need to be a cop. I know things." I told her that I had always wanted to be an officer, but I had taken on another career. For the three years I worked at CSU, Ginger always encouraged me to follow my heart to a career in law enforcement - even bringing me applications from time to time. I have been a peace officer for 7 years in Texas and havent looked back. I made the decision with tons of encouragement and help and heckling from Ginger. She was always kind, funny, crass, and just damn unique. I will never forget her. She impacted my life to an extent that she probably never knew.

Arron Miller - July 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ I have so many memories of my time in CO with Ginger. Long hours spent together laughing & talking about our future in law enforcement and in life. She was so full of life and "light". She made everything happier and funnier and never failed to lift me up at the exact moment I needed it. Thank you Ginger for your generous spirit and loving heart. You made my life better. I am sorry for your loss, but I cherish the gift you gave to this world. YOU. Peace to you always. My sympathies to all those touched by Ginger's passing.
Joy Howard Simmerman

Joy Howard - July 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Kerry and Chad - Words are not enough to express how deeply saddened I am for your loss. I wish I could be there to share my love and tears in hopes of bringing some comfort to the ache in your hearts. Trust that I am praying for you! I know from personal experience that only God can heal that gut wrenching pain you feel right now. He tells us there is a time to mourn so I will mourn along with everyone who Ginger touched in her life. I last saw her about 5 years ago at my dad's and I remember her energy and she had a positive glow that was enjoyable to be around. Of course most of my memories are from childhood and those were good times. I miss you guys and would love to talk anytime 480-459-1827. This loss will hurt for a while so give yourselves grace in the process. Ginger will always be a part of you so savor those good memories and take in all the love and support from everyone who Ginger impacted ? you will draw from that over the coming years. Love, Keith

Keith Burns - July 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ Blessings and love and light to Ginger, family and friends. My prayers and hope are being sent to all of you. With love, Maria

Maria McLain Cox - July 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TM

“Ginger, you were the best. You touched my heart when you helped me get my daughters on the right track. You will be missed dearly, My prayers go to the mohs family.

Terri Miar - July 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CF

“My prayers and thoughts go out to Ginger's family and friends. I only met Ginger a little over a year ago, but she became my best friend. I miss her smile for coffee every morning. I miss sitting around and talking to her. Ginger, you took a little piece of my heart with you. I love you and I will miss you forever. May all your deamons be totally gone. I love you, my friend Ginger Mohs. Thank you for coming into my life.

Cathy Finch - July 07, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JS

“May the peace of the Lord be upon Ginger and her family both now and forever more.

John O. Walker and Patricia L. Steele - July 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PA

“Ginger was a very special woman. It has been our pleasure to have had to opportunity to work with and know her. She will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with Ginger?s family.

Pamela J. S. Rodden, Ph.D. & Associates - July 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ Our contact with Ginger was in her capacity as a Detective with the Fort Collins Police Dept. She was professional and competent. But most important to us was the fact that she treated us with decency and compassion. She had a good heart. I know her family and friends will miss her greatly. Our prayers are with you during this difficult time.

LaLani Clausen - July 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ I met Ginger when I worked as a reporter for the Fort Collins Coloradoan. Ginger was such a compassionate and down-to-earth person. Fort Collins was a safer place because of her -- I have no doubt about that. She will be greatly missed. I will be keeping her and her family in my prayers.

Sarah Langbein Cohen - July 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

NL

“ I had the opportunity to laugh and work with Ginger at the Larimer County Child Advocacy Center. She was one of the most amazing practical jokers I've ever known and was notorious for "getting" the staff at the Center. Imagine our delight on the one occasion when we "got" her! Ginger worked so well with our children. I am so sorry that I will not laugh with her again. I am sorry for the loss you all are enduring.

Nancy Lindemood - July 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Ginger was a very loving and caring person- When my husband died last year, she was one of the first people to call me, Now she is in heaven with him.

Janice Linthicum-Williams - July 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JK

“Ginger made a lasting impression on everyone she met, I will forever remember her smile, laughter and determination. I am at a loss for words now, and my heart aches. Kerry, I am so sorry for your loss. Ginger, Don't be sorry and I love you too!

Jennifer Kelly - July 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SM

“I didn't know Ginger very well...we had only met a couple of times. I've heard some wonderful stories of her life as a police officer and how she loved it. My deepest sympathies to her family and friends. I truly hope she has found peace.

Sally J. Moore - July 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SW

“Ginger, I hope you knew what a positive and powerful impact you made on those that knew you. I often envied your energy, enthusiasm and zest for everything around you. It was infectious. I am so sad that you are gone. My thoughts and prayers are with your family and loved ones. You are missed.

Sharon Winfree - July 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KG

“Ginger's mother Kerry is one of my closest friends. Through her I came to know Ginger. Ginger helped me as a single Mother with two teenage children. I came to know her through her Mothers eyes, then as a woman of great strength and compassion, and she always made me smile. She will continue to make me smile every time I think of her. Rest now Ginger

Kathy Grier - July 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ I knew Ginger while working with her at CSU. We both went on to different Police Departments, but I never forgot her. My granddaughter called her Junior, because she couldn't say Ginger. She came to my granddaughter's 4th birthday party and wore a party hat with all the kids. I will miss her, she was so crazy.

Margaret O'Brien - July 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LI

“ Kerry, Chad & David, I am so sorry for your loss. As it was so eloquently put she will NEVER be forgotten. Her laughter will forever remain in our minds and hearts.

Liz - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ Ginger truly touched my life, and everytime I saw her she made my heart smile. Her humor and funny antics were one of a kind, and I will miss her terribly. My thoughts go out to Julie, all of Ginger's family, along with all of Ginger's other friends. May her memory live on forever in our thoughts and hearts, and in every crack of a mischievous smile.

Julie Parker - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ Chad, Carrie and I are so sorry for your loss. Ginger had such an impact on both of us for so many years. God Bless you and your family. We will be there Friday and are here for you always. With love, Kacey and Carrie

Kacey Parker and Carrie Baumgart - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ I always looked forward to seeing Ginger at the police department. Every day was an adventure and she injected enthusiasm and excitement into a job that is sometimes hard to be enthusiastic or excited about. She helped so many people in her career.

Greg With - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

ME

“ My love and heart to David, Chad, Julie, & Kerry and the rest of the family. I will forever miss Ginger and all taht she did for us. I will remember forever in my heart and feel her love love,, everytime I hear " ok here's the plan" 1 of many quotes Ginger would say for you G walking down this lonley road, I think if the things I like to hold. memories come back and tears start to fall, i start realize i'll never hear your call, you are my friend and may be gone I'll think of you when i hear this song. tears start to fall as i start to cry, i yell out why did you have to die, i forgive you and don't understand, but 1 day i will hold your hand so goodbye for now but not forever, because 1 day i know we will all be together.,,,, Much love to Ginger i will treasure the "3 hours" we had on Friday.....I love you.....

Mary Ewing - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Ginger was one of those special people that bring a smile to all those around her. I haven't seen her for many years, and yet I still remember her very fondly. Please know that I'll keep her in my thoughts and prayers.

Tess Heffernan - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Kerry, Chad and David, I'm so sorry for your loss. Ginger was such an up person, I know we will all miss her. I will always remember the fun times we had together. Julie I don't know you but I know your friend's and family will help you through this rough time. Rest in peace Ginger

Deb Kubla - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LE

“ You will be missed!

Laura Eveleigh - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Ginger you are and always will be missed!! You touched so many lives. I agree there will never be another like you. Thanks for being you! My condolences to the family and friends!!

D. Fox - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ rest easy sister, I'll take care of Jules and the dogs. I love you.

jane thayer - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ I met Ginger only briefly at a conference and believe it or not she made an impression. I noticed right away a spark and a kindness. I am so very sorry for your loss, God will take care of her now and and give her the peace she must have needed.

Julia McAleer - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KA

“Ginger, You were such a blessing to our family. You worked so hard on our son AJ's case. He was two years old, a victim, and had you fighting in his corner. You will always be dear to our hearts. The Artis Family

Kimberly and Gabriel Artis - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LA

“Le Ging- You were a part of many lovely friends who encouraged Dave and I to date. Eighteen years and two kids later... Love and support to Ginger's family, friends, clients and colleagues. May she be in peace.

Leslie and Dave Arnold - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JT

“Goose - you're going to be missed. You were certainly one of a kind and this world will miss your smile and laugh. I'm glad I got to know you when we worked together - you made many shifts a lot better, just by being there. Rest now...your shift is over.

Jacque Triplette - July 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

WC

“My heart and prayers go out to all of Ginger's family and friends. Thank you for touching my life Ginger.. love you

wendy cohen - July 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ I was so saddened by Ginger's passing. She was an amazing police officer and investigator and so fun to be around. There will never be anyone quite like her and I'm so glad she touched my life. My thoughts and prayers are with her friends and family during this very difficult time

Monica Gavin - July 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PN

“ Our hearts go out to Ginger's family. It was a pleasure to have worked with and known Ginger. She was a wonderful person and always made us smile. She will be missed.

Paul and Susan Neiman - July 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM