



Mrs. Justine McClimon

March 10, 1965 - September 29, 2019

Justine McClimon, 54, of Mountain Park, GA passed away peacefully on September, 29, 2019, surrounded by family and friends after kicking cancer's ass for over 10 years. Justine is survived by her loving and devoted daughter, Sara Elizabeth McClimon and her caring and loving mother, Emily Hearne Peters, both of Mountain Park, GA. She also leaves behind friends and family including a long-life friend, Wendy Gustafson of Steamboat Springs, CO. Fondly referred to as J by friends and family, Justine graduated from Roswell High School in 1983. She went on to Georgia State University where she received her law degree and passed the board. She practiced immigration law for two years. She found an opening with International Hotel Group (IHG) as an intern at age 25 and stayed devoted to the company her entire life, ending her career as a Senior Technical Advisor, GRS. She was a key contributor to successfully moving IHG off of a 50+ year old, mainframe based reservation system. Her knowledge and experience helped make the project successful.

As a mother co-parenting a daughter, Justine taught her child to treat others fairly and imparted an independent and strong-willed spirit. Justine believed mothering her daughter was her greatest accomplishment out of everything she did while on this Earth. Justine is a Georgia native, but found solace from nature. The beach and the mountains helped her rejuvenate and heal her soul. She attacked life with gusto and was a shining example of a life well-lived. The simple things in life gave her genuine enjoyment including sitting with her friends on the porch and drinking a good wine with a bowl of pasta.

Please join us on Thursday, October 3, 2019 at 5:00pm on the green of J's much beloved Mountain Park to celebrate her life! If possible, please bring finger food to share! In lieu of flowers or other gifts, please make a donation to the National Breast Cancer Foundation (<https://www.nationalbreastcancer.org>) to support others with their battle of breast cancer. Share your thoughts and memories at Northside Chapel: <https://www.northsidechapel.com/obituaries/Justine-Mcclimon>.

Comments



“ I worked with Justine over the last 15+ years at IHG, never on the same team but often on development projects our paths would intertwine. Her genuine spirit , laughter and love of whatever she did was tremendous and contagious! I will always especially remember when she came to me for help and advice with a little domestic bunny who found its way to her, since I do rabbit rescue . Over the next few years there were many shared stories and laughter about this special little bunny and her antics that still make me smile. Fly free my friend, in the Land of Rainbows !

Nancy McConville - October 03 at 12:57 PM



“ That cackle...the unmistakable sound of Justine's laugh. She taught us how to laugh at ourselves and love every minute of it. We loved you dearly and will miss you greatly. Rest in peace my friend.

Ivy Foley - October 02 at 10:42 PM



“ I met Justine on my first week at IHG. I entered a room full of strangers, it was an important GRS meeting with Amadeus and IHG leaders. After introducing myself as somebody that needed to understand the data, she looked at me with her big blue eyes and told me: I am glad you are here.- After that Justin was always ready to answer any question, she was very generous with her knowledge. We will miss her bold personality and her big smile. My prayers are with her daughter and mother and all the many lives she touched.

Ileana Rodriguez - October 02 at 04:45 PM



“ Since I joined IHG 3 years ago, I always heard great complements about Justine's work. We never worked together in a project, however I knew her and witness how special she was. It was always very nice talking to her. I remembered her on last Halloween dressed up as a Queen and joyfully walking around my floor saying hello to all while walking. She had a great spirit! May she attain pure inner peace, everlasting happiness, and joy. My prayers and thoughts are with her family.

Sincerely,
Veronica Lisenbee

Veronica Lisenbee - October 02 at 02:37 PM



“ Justine and I were never really on a team. Over the many years, I had the opportunity to interact with her at times when I needed some information about data. I absolutely LOVED her! I consider myself an introvert, she was full of life and she showed me how it is totally OK to express myself. I was always awed by how expressive and happy she was at the town-halls whenever she would have a comment or laugh about something.

Now, I find myself being able to communicate without any inhibitions and just be myself. I also find myself embarrassing my kids once in a while . For instance, we were at Disney recently and at times I would find myself shaking a leg to music and see my kids slowly moving away from me .

Justine's family should know that she lives through all the lives she has touched and her legacy will live through me and many others like me who have learned to live a full life because of her. She will be missed and remembered, but she continues to live in me .

Smitha Bhoomireddy - October 02 at 09:47 AM



“ I am so saddened by J's passing. She brought love and joy, not only into my life, but that of my children. She was beautiful (inside and out, strong and loving. She taught me so much that I will forever be grateful for. Her love for both you Sara and your grandmother was beyond measure. I am certain she is outshining every angel in Heaven.

Darlene Knight - October 01 at 09:30 AM