



## Katherine Anne Mark

February 11, 2011

Katherine Anne Mark 49, also known as Kathy Riemenschneider, of Croton on Hudson, NY, died Friday, February 11, 2011 at her winter home in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Widely respected for her talents as an artist, teacher and photographer, she was the daughter of Lawrence H. Mark, Jr. and the late Martha W. Mark, of Croton on the Hudson, NY.

She leaves her husband, Bill Riemenschneider, of St. Petersburg, Florida, the proprietor of Artistic Copper; her sister, Elizabeth Mark Meyerson of Atlantic Beach, NY, her uncle, Richard C. Mark of Purchase, NY, her nephew, Benjamin Jacob Meyerson, her niece, Hanna Grace Meyerson, and many cousins.

A graduate of Williamsville East High School in a suburb of Buffalo, NY, Kathy also attended Skidmore College in Saratoga Springs, NY. She was born in New York City, spent her childhood years in Ringwood, NJ and Chappaqua, NY, and lived most of her adult life in Croton on Hudson with winters in Florida.

In addition to her artistic and photographic skills, Kathy will be remembered for her laughter, her love of life, and her ability to spread joy and sunshine to all with whom she came in contact. Many people will remember her many years of participation in Renaissance festivals and other fairs where she adopted the persona of



# Tribute Wall



“ *The family of Katherine Anne Mark uploaded a photo*

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August 19, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Arlise - patron of her Juju readings posted a condolence Kathy was an amazing woman. I am lucky to have met her. She was an inspiration, her words and wonderful spirit will forever remain in my heart.*

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**Arlise - patron of her Juju readings** - June 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Anthony - Close friend posted a condolence I remember the first time I met you where we actually had the chance to speak. It was the summer of 1989 at the shop of a former NYRF merchant named Robert Dan. His shop space was called "Wolf Shadow" and every day since that was a joyful and memorable one. I like many, shall always hold for you a place in my heart dear Katherine. I am just getting the news now (Tuesday May 26, 2011) and it hurts. The thought of never hearing your laughing voice or seeing your smiling face ever again is almost too much to bear. As all others have written in various forms, "you shall be dearly missed". The world is indeed not as bright and at a loss in your absence. And my heart is heavy with grief. May you know peace and joy wherever you may be.*

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**Anthony - Close friend** - April 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *Diane Karen - Friend posted a condolence Kathy will forever be my MAMA JUJU and i shall miss her and all the guidance she gave to me. She was one of a kind lady and will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her. my deepest sympathys to her family my prayers are with you.*

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**Diane Karen - Friend** - February 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Jon stevens - friend-student posted a condolence My forever Love to You. Thank you for your belief and support. You are so amazing!! G.d bless You.*

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**Jon stevens - friend-student** - February 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ *Cristal Rose Stevens - Friend- Spirit Daughter posted a condolence I love you always Kathy Kat! My amazing wild artistic fairy godmother- you helped to raise me into myself. Running around the fairegrounds being wild and showing me how to make amazing art- calligraphy, sign painting, making staffs. I remember the photos you took of me when I was 13 or something, the strange reflection of an adolescent gypsy. I love you lady- so happy you found Billy- the love of your life. You were able to experience true love, and it fulfilled your heart and dream. What an amazing man you found!!! He loves you so much. Thanks for exposing me to the roots culture of America so that I could follow my destiny as an artist and nomad with a big heart. I love you!*

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**Cristal Rose Stevens - Friend- Spirit Daughter** - February 24, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Jill Spong Reilly - High School Friend posted a condolence Kathy was so full of life and laughter. My condolence to her family as I know you will greatly miss her. The fond memories that we shared, I will treasure forever.*

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**Jill Spong Reilly - High School Friend** - February 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ *Bob and Peg Kleckner - friends posted a condolence We are thinking of you in love and sympathy for your loss and will be with you in thoughts and prayer on the 25th.*

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**Bob and Peg Kleckner - friends** - February 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *Michelle & Kevin - friend posted a condolence Larry, Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for the loss of your daughter. Our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time. The McGarry Family*

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**Michelle & Kevin - friend** - February 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FF

“ *Frank & Lisa Rocco - friends posted a condolence Larry, We were deeply saddened to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Frank & Lisa*

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**Frank & Lisa Rocco - friends** - February 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Dan Laisure - Friend posted a condolence To Billy and Family, Kathy was always a happy cheerful and loving person. Kathy would always bring out the best of those around her, she was a beacon to others so full of hope even in the down times, she could see the positive in every situation or event in her and Billy's life. I always enjoyed her company when her and Billy would visit and spend days with me and my family. we will always remember the joy she brought to us and all who's lives she touched. Rest in peace

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**Dan Laisure - Friend** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Trisha Mark - Family posted a condolence Dear Billy, Larry and Betsy, I was so saddened to hear from her cousin Will about Kathy's passing. She was a special person and always so kind to my children, Anna and Sam - her 2nd cousins. The photos of her show her incredible smile. This is the most difficult of times, yet I hope you will find comfort and peace with time and the memories you all have. My thoughts are with all of you. Trisha

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**Trisha Mark - Family** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Cindy - friend posted a condolence Rest in peace, Kathy. Your talents and presence will not be forgotten. To Billy and the rest of your family, I am so sorry for your loss. You all will be in my thoughts.

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**Cindy - friend** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *mariflora - friend posted a condolence to bill, words fail me. just a simple hug, hold your hand is what i'd rather do. and listen to your stories of her. mine are too few, and so all the more precious to me, and she probably told you anyway! i'm going to keep you wrapped in my heart hug and my thoughts.*

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**mariflora - friend** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NF

“ *Nixi Travels - friend posted a condolence I will cherish the moments we've shared, my sweet friend. And dear Bill, may Peace be with you...*

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**Nixi Travels - friend** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ *August & Carolyn Fischer - Friend posted a condolence To Larry and family - we are profoundly saddened to hear of Kathy's passing. We hold you and all who enjoyed her friendship in loving light.*

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**August & Carolyn Fischer - Friend** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ *DN - random rennie posted a condolence sorry to hear about this. Kathy was always smiling and friendly, and a joy to be around.*

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**DN - random rennie** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ *Christina Alamo - Friend posted a condolence I will miss Kathy deeply she was a great friend. My condolences to Bill and Kathy's family. My prayers are with you.*

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**Christina Alamo - Friend** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ *Sandy Bandes - Friend posted a condolence Kathy will be missed terribly by so many.. she was so talented, creative and joyous. I feel blessed to have known her. Sending my deepest condolences to her family.*

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**Sandy Bandes - Friend** - February 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ *Leonard Leetzow - Advisor and Friend posted a condolence Kathy was a joy! She will be missed by all who knew her and enjoyed the inter-changes with her. She was a special person and Joni and I will miss her as time marches on. We wish her whole family our deepest sympathy.*

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**Leonard Leetzow - Advisor and Friend** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ *kristin thorson - friend posted a condolence i am terribly saddened to hear of kathy's departure. i enjoyed her company, & feel honored to have known her & called her friend. please know that she beautifully touched the souls of so many & will be missed! my sympathies to bill & her family. you are all in my thoughts. much love. kristin*

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**kristin thorson - friend** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ *Christine Simeone - Friend posted a condolence Deepest sympathy to you for the loss of your Kathy. She will be missed and always remembered.*

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**Christine Simeone - Friend** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ T.L. - Long Time Family Friend posted a condolence Kathy was so happy when I named my Jeep JuJu. It just came to me. I very much enjoyed catching up with her on facebook. I'm going to find some pics of her & the rest of the family in the albums that Mom still has. I will do something special with them all. Love to Mr. M and Betsy!

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**T.L. - Long Time Family Friend** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Danielle Beauchamp - family friend posted a condolence I remember so many funny stories about Kathy (and Martha) that I will keep in mind on February 25th. The family will write a proper note later. Love from our family to yours, Danielle

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**Danielle Beauchamp - family friend** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

`M

“ ` Charles Hummel - Friend Larry Mark posted a condolence My through and prays are with you

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**` Charles Hummel - Friend Larry Mark** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Peggy Atherton - friend posted a condolence Dear Bill: My husband and I send our deepest sympathy to you over the loss of your wife Kathy. We lived down the street from the Marks in Chappaqua, New York, and Kathy baby sat for our children. She was a vivacious redhead with a love of life, and I remember especially her sixteenth birthday, when I gave her all the roses that were in our garden that year. I know you will miss her. Sincerely, Peggy Atherton

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**Peggy Atherton - friend** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *Marjorie Castro - Friend posted a condolence Dear Larry, My heart goes out to you and your family at this difficult time. I know how talented and special Katherine was and I can only imagine how sad you must be feeling. Know that Ray and I are thinking of you and sending special thoughts and prayers your way. Love, Marjorie and Ray*

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**Marjorie Castro - Friend** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ *Peggy Atherton - friend posted a condolence Dear Larry: I am so sorry to hear about Kathy's untimely death. Al and I are glad we did have chance to see her at your house, not long ago. Thank goodness she survived Martha, and I am glad she died peacefully, but nevertheless, it makes me very sad. Al joins me in sending our deepest sympathy, and we hope to see you when you are in New Haven for your reunion. Love to you and Betsy, Peggy*

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**Peggy Atherton - friend** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ *Maryann and Milt - friends posted a condolence Larry, There are no words! We are so saddened and shocked along with you, Bill, Betsy and all who knew and loved Kathy. You are in our thoughts and prayers. We will speak when you return. Much love and gentle caring, Milt and MaryAnn*

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**Maryann and Milt - friends** - February 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM