



## Laurie Jean Arn

August 6, 1959 - March 24, 2024

Brodhead - Laurie Jean (Fowler) Arn passed away on Sunday, March 24, 2024, at the age of 64. She was born on August 6th, 1959 to Clayton and Mary Lou (Perington) Fowler of Avon, WI. She graduated from Brodhead High School in 1977. She married Jeffrey Kettle on August 20th, 1978, and together they had two children, Derek and Erin. They later divorced in 2003, and Laurie worked hard to raise her two kids as a single mom. She met Tim Arn through working at Daniel's Sentry Foods in Janesville and together, they built a wonderful life. After many years together, they were married on September 22, 2014.

Laurie worked as a dental assistant for 30 years alongside her brother, Dr. Donald Fowler at his dental office in Orfordville. She also worked as a scan coordinator for Daniel's Sentry Foods in Janesville for many years and Grande Cheese in Juda up until her early retirement in 2021 after a diagnosis of multiple myeloma. For the last year and a half, her full-time job was caring for her grandson, Henry.

Laurie loved tending to her flowers, crafting, antiques, cats, Mexican food, blended strawberry margaritas, shopping, and trips to Las Vegas with her husband, Tim. She loved Old Fashioned Bakery buttercream cake and making her family desserts for every occasion. Above all, she fiercely loved her family. Her children and grandchildren were her pride and joy. She was always proud

to boast about their achievements, and she looked forward to having her family together for celebrations. She spoiled everyone around her with her generosity, buying gifts for every single holiday and filling a room with presents at Christmas. She was dependable and always there with a warm hug when her children or grandchildren needed her, many times traveling across the country or state to help them. She always pushed her family to achieve their dreams and often reminded them how proud she was of their accomplishments.

Laurie is survived by her husband, Tim Arn; children, Derek (Andrea) Kettle and Erin (Garrett Fisher) Kettle; grandchildren, Claire Kettle, Natalie Kettle, and Henry Fisher; mother, Mary Lou Fowler; siblings, Wendy (Bob) Oliver and Randy (Brenda) Fowler; sister-in-law, Vonda Fowler; mother-in-law, Dorothy Arn; brother-in-law, Jeremy (Angie) Arn; sister-in-law, Angie (Chris) Douglas; former husband, Jeffrey Kettle; and many nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives, and friends. She was preceded in death by her father, Clayton Fowler; brother Donald Fowler; and father-in-law Stephan Arn.

She will be greatly missed by all those who loved her, but she will live on in our hearts forever.

The family is respecting Laurie's wishes and holding a private ceremony in her honor.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in Laurie's name to the Fowler Memorial Dental Clinic in Monroe or the UW Carbone Cancer Center.

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# Cemetery Details

## **Greenwood Cemetery - Brodhead**

1106 E. 9th Avenue  
Brodhead, WI 53520

# Tribute Wall

AR

“ So sad and surprised to hear of Laurie’s passing. Didn’t know it until I read Jeff’s obituary. I was in the hospital for 2 weeks during that time. Laurie and I worked together for a couple of years for Dr Friday. We had lots of laughs. My deepest sympathies to the family. God bless. Ann and Tom Richmond

Ann Richmond - August 13, 2024 at 02:08 PM

DF

“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family during this difficult time.  
Dwayne & Melissa Fairchild

Dwayne Fairchild - April 05, 2024 at 01:01 PM

HD

“ Hobby Lobby Region 31 RVP & DM's purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Laurie Jean Arn.



Hobby Lobby Region 31 RVP & DM's - April 04, 2024 at 04:52 PM

JM

“ Jeff And Wanda McLain lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn



Jeff and Wanda McLain - April 02, 2024 at 11:15 AM

AO

“ Allen And Donna Olson lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn



Allen and Donna Olson - April 02, 2024 at 12:26 AM

JF

“ Our condolences to the family. May the memories bring comfort to you and may she be in peace forever.

Jeff & Donna Fowler - April 01, 2024 at 12:10 PM

DT

“ Doug And Janice. And Tom lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn



Doug and Janice. and Tom - March 30, 2024 at 02:43 PM

DD

“ Darcy Disch- Demos lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn



Darcy Disch- Demos - March 30, 2024 at 02:24 PM

FA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Family - March 30, 2024 at 09:38 AM

BR

“ Laurie was always a safe place to call home and a kind soul who would do anything for anyone. She treated all of her kids friends like family.



Brodhead - March 29, 2024 at 09:19 PM

JB

“ I remember going to Hatfield in 6th grade... we went to BRF and bought matching clogs and smocks! I'm so very sorry to hear of Laurie's passing. My sincere sympathy to her family.

Janet Green Bartz - March 29, 2024 at 01:44 PM

PL

“ Phyllis Lentz lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn



Phyllis Lentz - March 29, 2024 at 11:22 AM

BM

“ Bruce And Amy Mills lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn



Bruce and Amy Mills - March 29, 2024 at 10:46 AM

PS

“ So sorry to hear of Laurie’s passing. We had great times in high school and working for her brother. My heart goes out to you all ❤️  
Steve and Paula Schneider

Paula Schneider - March 29, 2024 at 10:28 AM

DH

“ Dennis And Cindy Haberman lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn



Dennis and Cindy Haberman - March 29, 2024 at 09:11 AM

DH

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time.

Dennis and Cindy Haberman - March 29, 2024 at 09:15 AM

EF

“ Sending our deepest sympathy to Laurie’s family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time.

Everett and Judy Fowler - March 29, 2024 at 08:05 AM

DW

“ Don & Brenda Wahl lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn



Don & Brenda Wahl - March 29, 2024 at 07:41 AM

SR

“ I'm in shock, and deeply saddened. Laurie & I were friends in high school & graduated together, and I attendee her first marriage. We've lost touch over the years. But I have very fond memories of her. My sincere condolences go out to the families. Gone too soon. Fly high with the angels Laurie.

Sandy Hofmeister Reavis - March 28, 2024 at 10:00 PM

VM

“ Sympathy to Laurie's family.



VICKIE MILLER - March 28, 2024 at 09:07 PM

BM

“ So sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you all.



Barbara Menehan - March 28, 2024 at 06:44 PM

JF

“ *Our sincere condolences to the family.*



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**Jeri & Dan Purdue and family** - March 28, 2024 at 05:00 PM

VK

“ *Virgil And Judy Keller lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn*



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**Virgil and Judy Keller** - March 28, 2024 at 02:35 PM



“ *Barbara Robinson Clark lit a candle in memory of Laurie Jean Arn*



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**Barbara Robinson Clark** - March 28, 2024 at 01:25 PM