



Charnelle Sara McCrea

December 5, 2016

Charnelle Sara McCrea, age 70, comforted by the presence of her two youngest children, left us on Monday, December 5, 2016. Charnelle Sara McCrea was born in St. Louis, MO but lived much of her life and final years in Katy, TX. She was an artist, published writer and poet. She held two Bachelor's degrees and a Masters in Art History. She worked as a teacher inspiring students to embrace their originality and express themselves through artistic avenues such as writing. Ever the free spirit, Sara attended Woodstock and marched on Washington. A mother first, she is survived by her three children, Sean, James and Mollie, as well as her four grandchildren. She will be remembered fondly by her children and godchildren for the endless nights of passionate discussion and debate held at her kitchen table and for the love and laughter that will forever resonate in their hearts.

As per her request, Charnelle Sara McCrea will receive a natural burial. As such, graveside services will take place Saturday, December 10, 2016 at 1:00pm at Eloise Woods Community Burial Park, 115 Northside Lane, Cedar Creek, Texas 78612. (This is a woodland area accessible by trails, walking attire is suggested.) The family has requested that, in lieu of flowers, memorials be made to local battered women's shelters.

Tribute Wall



“ *Charnelle Sara McCrea*

October 05, 2023 at 10:58 AM



“ *Charnelle Sara McCrea*

October 04, 2023 at 06:25 PM



“ *Charnelle Sara McCrea*

September 26, 2023 at 10:57 PM



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sean mccrea - December 08, 2016 at 06:04 PM



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sean mccrea - December 08, 2016 at 05:59 PM

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sean mcrea - December 08, 2016 at 05:49 PM



“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Charnelle Sara McCrea.



December 08, 2016 at 04:31 PM

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Sean McCrea - December 08, 2016 at 04:23 PM

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Sean McCrea - December 08, 2016 at 04:18 PM

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Sean McCrea - December 08, 2016 at 12:47 AM

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Although, mom wasn't able to communicate in words her joy at having held her grandson son for the first time we both knew by the twinkle in her eye the profound meaning that this moment had. In a way this was symbolic of the cycle of life ever reminding us of what is truly valuable versus the arbitrary and materialist trappings of modern western civilization. Sara was both nurturing as well as passionate and spoke truth to power often challenging the status quo. She was an advocate for women and children's rights and was centered in her faith in the Lucumi traditions that originated in west Africa. She was scholar, educator, writer, advocate, and initiated priestess in the Lucumi faith. However, to some of us most fortunate to have know her she was simply referred to as mom. May your spirit rise and your traditions carry forward in the cycle of life. May Olofi's blessings guide you and bring eternal peace.

Sean McCrea - December 08, 2016 at 01:26 AM

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“ *Wonderful memories of concerts at Katy high school and moving you into your home in Katy. Many cups of tea and conversations, but the best of all was sharing our daughters years growing up together. God speed to your spirit on your new adventure. 💕*

gladys swaner williams - December 07, 2016 at 02:37 PM

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Thankyou for those kind words of remembrance. 🙏

Sean mccrea - December 08, 2016 at 11:45 AM