



## Christine Rosholt

January 8, 2012

Rosholt, Christine Anna age 46, of Minneapolis, died December 28, 2011. Preceded in death by mother, Vicki. Survived by sister, Elizabeth Rosholt Winden (Daniel); father, Stephen (Leah); beloved nephews, Samuel and Avery Winden and niece, Berrit Winden. She was a popular jazz vocalist in the Twin Cities and throughout Minnesota. She graduated from the Children's Theater School and the Art Institute of Chicago. Her vibrant personality will be greatly missed by her family, fellow musicians, scores of friends & many fans. Memorials to Hennepin Health Foundation: Christine Rosholt Act of Kindness Fund. Visitation at Washburn-McReavy Southeast Chapel on Tuesday, January 10 at 3 pm followed by a memorial service at 4 pm. [www.Washburn-McReavy.com](http://www.Washburn-McReavy.com) Southeast Chapel 612-379-2368 200 Central Avenue SE, Mpls

# Tribute Wall

BS

“ Just thinking of the time she and I shared when we worked at American Express. She and I shared a cubicle and a love of music. She remains one of the brightest lights I have ever met in my life. I hadn't seen her in the year before she passed and I wish i could have told he how much I enjoyed our time together and how desperately the world needed her. I miss her on occasion but when I do, it's very sorely.

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**Bryan Scholtes** - November 01, 2019 at 05:14 PM

JL

“ Talented and irreplaceable, her combination of sass and sunshine will be deeply missed.

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*JoJo Liebeler,*

*Minnetonka, Minnesota*

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**JoJo Liebeler** - January 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ I last saw Christine at the Fall Art Festival in Stillwater on a beautiful October Sunday. She sang so beautifully and I was glad to listen to her and purchase her cd, which I play all the time. We chatted on a hay bale in between sets and I swatted the hay off her butt before she headed back on stage.

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*sandra merhar,*

*saint paul, Minnesota*

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**sandra merhar** - January 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ *Cristine, what a beautiful and exceptional Lady and Singer, Christine and her band gifted my wife Lisa and I by singing for our wedding reception in 2007, It was the utmost compliment to our union together what a tragedy of loosing her, she always have a place in my heart. My prayers will be with you Christine and your Family. God Bless...*

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*Jim Lindstrom,*

*Elk River, Minnesota*

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**Jim Lindstrom** - January 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM

VC

“ My favorite memory of Christine is of her dancing with my then 85 year old father at my 50th birthday party, which she performed at. I loved her spunky personality and beautiful voice. Christine was a gift to to this community and gave joy to so many of us.

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*Vivian Milroy Callaway,*

*Plymouth, Minnesota*

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**Vivian Milroy Callaway** - January 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Christine sang that the Textile Center for a fundraiser and we all fell in love with her voice and with with her. We will all miss her.

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*Margaret Miller,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Margaret Miller** - January 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ We heard her sing and she was wonderful. She was vibrant and a wonderful talented singer. She will be missed. Anita Gibson

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January 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ I had the pleasure to spend an evening with Christine at the piano bar at Nye's in October. We sang our hearts out. A night I will never forget, a memory and a woman who will always hold a place in my heart! My thoughts are with all of her family and friends. I only wish I could be there to bid her a proper farewell.

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*Jenni Jansen,*

*Philadelphia, Pennsylvania*

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**Jenni Jansen** - January 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Steve and family, my deepest sympathies to you and your family. May you find consolation in your family and friends at this difficult time. Laurie Ukofia

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January 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Elizabeth and family: I met Christine at your baby shower. Her exuberant charm convinced even the most downtown-avoidant among us to make the trek to hear her sing at the Dakota. What a star she was! Not just the voice - the black hair, the alabaster skin, red lips, snapping her fingers. On top of the world. With great sorrow at her passing, Jill Orenstein

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January 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JO

“Christine was delight to know and perform with. I'll miss her and so will a lot of others.

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*John O'Loughlin,*

*St. Louis Park, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**John O'Loughlin** - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ When I met Christine I remember thinking she was like an angel who had come into my life as such a bright light of fun and happiness. My friend is an angel who I know is filling the heavens with her soulful music and spirit. I will never stop missing you.

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*Terry Gydesen,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Terry Gydesen** - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ I barely knew Christine, but the few times I encountered her she made an immediate and lasting impression. The first time I met her was in a stairwell at the Minneapolis College of Art and Design. I was alone in the stairwell and heard (seemingly out of nowhere) an angelic singing voice made more ethereal by the stairwell's acoustics. Of course it was Christine and I count it as a magical moment. Later, we became reacquainted when she started a job at The Minneapolis Institute of Arts very near the time I was leaving my job there. The kindness, sweetness and empathy Christine showed me was truly remarkable. More recently, I was delighted to learn that she was able to leave office work to do what she loved best-sing! Christine, you were a bright spot in a weary world.

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*Christina Sparrow,*

*Mpls, Minnesota*

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**Christina Sparrow** - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ I knew Christine from her singing in my piano bar at Nye's. She had a very vibrant voice and always was so upbeat, she enlivened the whole place with her performance. We will miss her joy and sunny smile.

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*Lou Snider,*

*Ramsey, Minnesota*

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**Lou Snider** - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BH

“Christine sang at our 25th wedding anniversary four years ago and made it so much fun for everyone. Whenever we would see her at a music venue she would hug us and greet us like old friends. She was a warm, wonderful person and a delightful member of the Twin Cities live music scene. She will be missed by all.

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*Betsi & Dennis Haack,*

*Elko, Minnesota*

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**Betsi & Dennis Haack** - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ We had the pleasure of having Christine sing at our wedding a year and a half ago. She learned a song just to perform that night! We were so fortunate to be entertained with her talents for our special event. Our condolences and prayers are with the family and loved ones that mourn her passing.

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*Scott & Kelly Johnson,*

*Chicago, Illinois*

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**Scott & Kelly Johnson** - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

AS

“ *Her ride came much too soon.*

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*Al Sicherman,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Al Sicherman** - January 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Goodbye my friend. My heart is broken.

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*Tanner Taylor,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Tanner Taylor** - December 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Yes, we here in Duluth at the "Toga" have wonderful memories of Christine's music and humor. We looked forward to every Saturday she came up here. Our prayers of love and peace go out to her family at this time and in the days ahead. "The Old Broads Group"

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December 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We are just fans. First saw Christine at the Bloomington Jazz Fete several years ago...and on her email since then. Just in shock trying to make sense of this news. Precious performer RIP. :( D & D

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December 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We here in Duluth will miss her at the "Toga" on Saturday afternoons where she belted out her wonderful songs(especially the Golden Oldies, and shared her humor. Her lively personality gave us all a lift and made dark days brighter. Love and peace to the family now and in the days ahead. "The Old Broads Group"

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December 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *She'll be back.*

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*sheila morey,*

*mpls, Minnesota*

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**sheila morey** - December 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *My dear Christine, I will never forget the night you stopped by during my bonfire party in October of 2007. My friend, Michael, was playing his guitar by the fire, you sat down and asked if he knew any Joni Mitchell. He played, you sang. It was such a magical night! I am so grateful Vito had his camera to capture that moment. Your sweet voice will always and forever be in my heart, mind and soul. Rest in peace, Christine. ~Jennifer Jones*

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December 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ I knew Chris and Lizzie back in junior high. I remember sitting around their kitchen table and being so impressed by how cool and hip the family was at the time. Chris was so bubbly, and bright. I am sad to hear this news. My thought and prayers are with her family and her loved ones.

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*Paige Andrews-Parra,*

*Phoenix, Arizona*

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**Paige Andrews-Parra** - December 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“Christine, even though you are gone, your legacy will carry on. I am so glad to have known you. I am so deeply saddened as many of us are. My heart goes out to your family. I know I will hear you again.

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*Mary Ann Johnson,*

*Shoreview, Minnesota*

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**Mary Ann Johnson** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ We feel fortunate to have known Christine all these years through our extended family and friends. We had seen the fruits of her creativity and spirit grow through her music. Physically Christine is no longer among us, but surely the legacy of her charm and talent will endure forever. Our condolences to Steve, Leah, Elizabeth and her family at this time.

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*Al, Rosemary & Johanna,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Al, Rosemary & Johanna** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I was so sad to read about Christine's passing today in the paper. I knew Christine in high school through mutual friends and then again 10 years later, when she returned from Chicago and was just starting her singing career. Over the years, every time I read an article about her in the paper or saw her shows listed, I always thought to myself, now there is a woman with gumption. I am very sorry to hear she is no longer with us. My condolences to her family.  
Nancy Esslinger

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December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BB

“Christine blessed us with her talent and her whimsy at the Club Saratoga in Duluth. We became quick friends when we found we both had Cairn Terriers. At that point I had invited her to feel free to stay with us when she came to Duluth to perform and to bring Tally. We have some wonderful memories, some very humorous, that we will savor and never forget. My favorite is Christine and I sitting on our deck on Sunday morning drinking coffee and reading the paper, while Tally and my two female terriers played in the grassy yard. Tally was in heaven. This is when I got to know Christine best and cherish those moments. She shared some of her deepest pain and also her goals and wishes for her future. She was very endearing and became like family. My husband Jerry and I loved her dearly and will miss our times we spent with her. I know the many memories we have of Christine and her music she shared with us all, will be a comfort through the tears and the pain of the loss of this wonderful and talented woman.

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*Brenda Bonk,*

*Duluth, Minnesota*

*Contact Me*

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**Brenda Bonk** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ My husband John and I remember when Christine performed at our neighborhood National Night Out event a few years ago (Minikahda Vista Neighborhood in St Louis Park). It was the best! We are very sorry to hear she is gone. Our condolences to her family and friends.

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*Claudia Johnston-Madison,*

*St. Louis Park, Minnesota*

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**Claudia Johnston-Madison** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ I am heartbroken and stunned at the tragic passing of Christine. She was so incredibly lovely, bubbly, cheerful, and out-going - a wonderful person and neighbor. We will miss her greatly. My heart and thoughts are with her family.

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*Carolyn Lipp,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Carolyn Lipp** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ *Chrissy was such a upbeat fun friend! So many memories from the good ol days in Edina! I am lucky she will always be a part of them! She will truly be missed....*

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*Lisa Adam Tambornino,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Lisa Adam Tambornino** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ *What a terrible loss to the city and jazz community! To her dear friends and family; I am so sorry for your loss and sorrow. Please accept my condolence wishes and may you find comfort and peace.*

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*Gail F.,*

*Mpls, Minnesota*

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**Gail F.** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ So sorry to learn of your passing, Christine. Prayers to all friends and her family. Our jazz community has lost an icon.

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*Cindy Schlicht,*

*Burnsville, Minnesota*

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**Cindy Schlicht** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *Christine was a joyful little gem! Her vivacious personality filled a room with love, laughter and beautiful music. What a loss to the music community and her many fans who followed her around town to share in her great talent. We send prayers, love and sympathy to Steve and his family.*

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*Phil and Pam Broat,*

*Edina, Minnesota*

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**Phil and Pam Broat** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Elizabeth, I am sorry for your loss. Sounds like you've been on an emotional roller coaster. Please let me know if I can help out in any way by e-mailing me at the county. Sincerely, Jennifer Thielges*

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December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *The St. Albert's parishioners are deeply saddened by this shocking news. Christine blessed so many of our events with her vibrant personality, her unique talent and her friendship. Erin, Robin, Glenda, Ray, Phyllis and Father Joe Gillespie*

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December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our cousin, Christine, was a bright and vibrant presence in all of our lives. Sincere sympathy to Steve, Elizabeth and family on their loss. Pete & Phyllis Strong*

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December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NB

“ *Elizabeth and Steve; I am so sad to learn of Christine's sudden death. She was such a delight, always. My heart goes out to you both.*

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*Nancy Zalusky Berg,*

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

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**Nancy Zalusky Berg** - December 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM