

Quick Learning Guide:

Dianne Durham, Gymnast



How Dianne Durham, Bela Karolyi's first national champion, paved the way for Black gymnasts



Did You Know...

- Began her road to gymnastics stardom at the age of 3?
- Was Bela Karolyi's first national champion after he began coaching in the US?
- Ran her own gymnastics studio in Chicago?



Personal information

Country represented	United States
Born	June 17, 1968 (age 52) Gary, Indiana
Died	February 4, 2021 Chicago, Illinois
Discipline	Women's artistic gymnastics
Club	Karolyi Gym of mining
Former coach(es)	Bela Károlyi, Márta Károlyi

Medal record

- G** Junior Elite Championship 1981-82
- G** US Olympic National Championship 1983
- S** US McDonald's Championships
- S** Chunichi Cup, 1983

Retired from competition - 1984