



Shelley Marie Monroe

September 7, 1963 - August 18, 2024

Shelley Marie Monroe, 60, of Greenview, Illinois, passed away on Sunday, August 18, 2024, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield, Illinois. She was born September 7, 1963, in Springfield to Shelby and Linda (nee Delamo) Lynn. She married Lenny Monroe on December 31, 1983, at the Church of Christ in Petersburg and they had a wonderful marriage for the past 40 years.

Shelley is survived by her beloved husband, Lenny; her pride and joy children, Lainey Tamar Monroe, Clayton Alexander Monroe, Savannah Elena (husband Wesley) Hobbs, Magdalene Athena Monroe and Creighton Faulkner Monroe; her siblings, Brian (wife Lisa) Lynn, John (partner Sandy) Lynn and Kelley (husband Troy); and her cherished granddaughter, Evangelina "Evie" Hobbs. She was preceded in death by her father and mother.

Shelley's life was a melody of love, compassionate care, and community – a tune that will resonate in the hearts of those she touched forever. Shelley worked as a registered nurse at St. John's Hospital for over 20 years, which was a passion as well as a vocation, touching countless lives. This was showcased by being selected for "Angel of the Month" on numerous occasions in addition to the Daisy Award [a national program that rewards and celebrates the extraordinary, compassionate, and skillful care given by nurses]. Her commitment to the local community shone bright by efforts with Greenview Schools PTO, Girl Scouts, and BoxTops for education, not to

mention organic care-giving and small tasks to those in need. She was a member of the Greenview Christian Church and over the years volunteered with Wednesday night programs, vacation bible school and served as a deaconess. She was an avid gardener, genealogical-research master, dedicated puzzle worker, lover of home, hearth, babies and sweats, and had a passion for scouring auctions and antique stores, especially for antique clocks.

Shelley's greatest joy of life was being a mother, caring for her children (especially the baby phase), and being an interim mother to any who needed.

A visitation will be held on Friday, August 23, 2024, from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm, at Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg. The funeral service will be held on Saturday, August 24, 2024, at 10:00 am, at Greenview Christian Church in Greenview, Illinois, with Pastor Ron Ferricks officiating. Burial will immediately follow at Elmwood Cemetery in Greenview. Please note, the dress code for all is casual.

Memorial contributions may be made to the National Ovarian Cancer Coalition for ovarian cancer research or the Greenview Christian Church chair lift fund.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg is assisting Shelley's family with arrangements. Please visit Shelley's online obituary at hurleyfh.com where you may share memories and condolences with her family.

Cemetery Details

Elmwood Cemetery

Greenview, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 23. 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Petersburg
122 West Douglas Avenue
Petersburg, IL 62675
(217) 632-2500
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

Funeral Service

AUG 24. 10:00 AM (CT)

Greenview Christian Church
301 S. Alkire St.
Greenview , IL 62642

Tribute Wall

RN

“ *My Dear Sweet Shelly!! I have so many great memories of you! You have been such a dear friend to me! Sharing your photos always when u come back from vacations to giving me wonderful things from the kitchen of Shelly Monroe! I will truly miss you and our lunches to catch up on everything. Thanks for being you! To your great family I'm so sorry for your loss. Hang in there and please if you ever need anything reach out!*

Love

Rutha

Rutha Naudain - August 27, 2024 at 07:41 PM

AB

“ *Adrian B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shelley Marie Monroe.*

Adrian B. - August 23, 2024 at 11:45 AM

BC

“ *I'm so sorry for your guys loss... Shelley was a kind, funny, and delightful person who loved her family and our Lord Jesus tremendously. Praying for you all during this time of transition and grief. May God keep and comfort you all!*

Blake Canterbury - August 23, 2024 at 07:47 AM

TF

“ The Keady Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Shelley Marie Monroe.



The Keady Family - August 22, 2024 at 08:44 PM

TF

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The Keady Family - August 22, 2024 at 08:44 PM

PK

“ My heart is just broken for my dear friend and coworker Shelley. We shared so much of our lives together, working, chatting, lunching, talking of our children and work. So sorry dear family of your tragic loss. My heart and prayers are with you.

Penny Karrick



Penny karrick - August 21, 2024 at 09:24 PM

MF

“ Dear Lenny & Family,

We are so sorry to hear about Shelley's passing. What a special lady she was. We feel so blessed to have got to know her over these past 11 years.

Shelley was so kind and welcoming to all of us, when we moved to Greenview back in 2013. Shelley became the friend that I had prayed for and I have many wonderful memories of her. She will always hold a special place in my heart.

Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts & prayers during this difficult time. May God bring you comfort and peace.

*The Fleck Family
Marie, Greg, Emily & Justin*

Marie T. Fleck - August 21, 2024 at 02:56 PM

BP

“ *Bhamini Patel purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Shelley Marie Monroe.*



Bhamini Patel - August 21, 2024 at 12:45 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Shelley Marie Monroe.*



August 21, 2024 at 11:46 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Shelley Marie Monroe.



August 21, 2024 at 11:21 AM



“ Shelley's family lived across the street from us during our childhood years. We had the best of times walking to school, talking about life and playing at each others' homes..she was a kind & loving friend and I have many wonderful memories of her. Please know your family will be on my prayers in the days to come...

Julie (Dearing) Atterberry - August 20, 2024 at 08:47 PM



“ Lynn, Dolezal, Dunlap and Traver family purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Shelley Marie Monroe.



Lynn, Dolezal, Dunlap and Traver family - August 20, 2024 at 01:49 PM



“ Kazaxe girls purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Shelley Marie Monroe.



Kazaxe girls - August 20, 2024 at 01:39 PM

TV

“ Lenny and kids, I am so very sorry to hear of Shelley’s passing. I know that she was the love of Lenny’s life and a wonderful mother and woman. I hurt for you and I pray that God’s Holy Spirit will comfort you in the months and years to come.

Tim VanBebber - August 20, 2024 at 11:09 AM

SC

“ Spraying Systems Social Club purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Shelley Marie Monroe.



Spraying Systems Social Club - August 20, 2024 at 10:33 AM

LH

“ Larry and Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Shelley Monroe



Larry and Mary Hundt - August 20, 2024 at 10:13 AM

SM

“ I remember that Shelley always had a smile on her face. Such a sweet lady. She will be missed.

Sara Melton - August 20, 2024 at 08:47 AM

JU

“ Lenny, Lainey, Alex, Savannah, Magdalene, Creighton: My fondest memories of your wife/momma was the get-togethers I had the pleasure of sharing with all of you. Her love for her family was a blessing to behold - her love for all of you just shone through & having the privilege to share that was a blessing. I will never forget her strength & love for her father in his last moments; she stood by his side to his last breath. Shelley was a fountain of love, a tower of strength, & awesome gift from God to many. May God's love and comfort be with all of you in your time of sorrow. Hugs.

June - August 20, 2024 at 08:46 AM

CD

“ Dear Lenny & Family,
Please accept my deepest condolences on Shelley's passing. You are all in my thoughts.
Sincerely,
Craig Davis

Craig L. Davis - August 19, 2024 at 08:49 PM

SR

“ Dear Monroe's,
I'm thinking of all of you and am truly sorry for your loss. There's no doubt Shelley loved being your wife and mom. You all made her happy and she was blessed to have each of you. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Shelly Roat - August 19, 2024 at 08:18 PM

HF

“ Harry and Bev Wilson and Family purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Shelley Marie Monroe.



Harry and Bev Wilson and Family - August 19, 2024 at 07:21 PM

HF

“ Harry and Bev Wilson and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shelley Marie Monroe.

Harry and Bev Wilson and Family - August 19, 2024 at 07:21 PM

BW

“ Shelley was a wonderful person. When i was going through cancer, she would call and we would just talk but that helped me so much" she will be truly missed.

Beverly Wilson - August 19, 2024 at 07:14 PM