

Stephanie E. Neikirk

November 5, 1991 - April 16, 2023

Stephanie Elizabeth Neikirk, 31, of Decatur passed away on Sunday, April 16, 2023. She was born on November 5, 1991 in Peoria, Illinois to Jeffrey Neikirk and Pamela (Harvey) Babbs.

Stephanie is survived by her infant daughter Lennox Gene, her parents Pamela (Robert) Babbs of Greenview, Jeffrey (Tanya Muhich) of Manito, siblings: Cory (Madison Embry) Neikirk of Easton, Tori Babbs (Andrew Renfrow) of Atlanta and Bruce Babbs of Springfield, maternal grandmother Sheryl Babbs of Lincoln, paternal grandmother Carolyn (Thies) and Cecil Carpenter of Morton and Phyllis Neikirk of Waco, TX and several aunts, uncles, and cousins. Stephanie was preceded in death by her grandparents Gene and Nadine Harvey and Marc Neikirk.

Stephanie's greatest joy was her daughter Lennox. She also enjoyed "hanging out" at the river where she would be one of the first ones in the boat to run nets, check bank poles or watch Tori and the guys check boxes. Stephanie also enjoyed being with her family and friends in the shop or around a fire. She was so excited to become an aunt to baby Renfrow.

Cremation rites have been accorded and a memorial service will be held on Saturday, April 22, 2023 at 12:00 PM. A visitation will be held on Saturday two hours prior to the service from 10:00 AM until 12:00 PM. Memorial contributions can be made to Lennox in care of Robert and Pamela Babbs. Online condolences can be left at www.hurleyfh.com. Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **22**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (cst)

Hurley Funeral Home - Mason City
603 East Chestnut
Mason City, IL 62664
(217) 482-5959
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.* ”



April 21, 2023 at 03:32 PM



“ *Tracy Horn lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk* ”



Tracy (Tomlin) Horn - April 20, 2023 at 11:48 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.* ”



April 20, 2023 at 05:21 PM



“ *Jenny, Ted and Brooke purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.* ”



Jenny, Ted and Brooke - April 20, 2023 at 11:30 AM

CB

“ Pam, we're so sorry about your daughter's passing. Mark & Carol Buchanan Family

carol buchanan - April 19, 2023 at 05:11 PM



“ Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.



April 19, 2023 at 03:18 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.



April 19, 2023 at 11:41 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.



April 19, 2023 at 09:33 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.*



April 19, 2023 at 08:37 AM



“ *I'm so very sorry for your loss. ❤️*



Diana Blane - April 19, 2023 at 07:05 AM



“ *Phyllis Yentes lit a candle in memory of Stephanie E. Neikirk*



Phyllis Yentes - April 18, 2023 at 09:48 PM



“ *Love always, Cari, Bob, Alexis, and Abby purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.*



Love always, Cari, Bob, Alexis, and Abby - April 18, 2023 at 08:44 PM

LA

“ *This breaks my heart. I remember when my Aunt Kay babysat us when we were little. She was always so nice to me and a big grin on her face.*



Lacey Austin - April 18, 2023 at 02:10 PM

FH

“ *Frank and Darlene Handegan purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.*



Frank and Darlene Handegan - April 18, 2023 at 02:04 PM

DW

“ *Dan Chris Wilson lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk*



Dan and Chris Wilson - April 18, 2023 at 12:42 PM

LR

“ *Linda Rumler lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk*



Linda Rumler - April 18, 2023 at 11:00 AM

VB

“ Vickie Bagby lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk



Vickie Bagby - April 18, 2023 at 10:51 AM

BS

“ Beverly Stafford lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk



Beverly Stafford - April 18, 2023 at 09:17 AM

LH

“ Larry Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Stephanie Neikirk



Larry and Mary Hundt - April 18, 2023 at 08:59 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.



April 18, 2023 at 07:54 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.



April 17, 2023 at 11:16 PM



“ I am so sorry to read about Stephanie passing. She was such a beautiful little girl. I remember her running her hands through the five gallon bucket of plastic fishing worms. Keep all the good memories tucked in your heart.

Gail Kendall Morrow - April 17, 2023 at 10:13 PM



“ Cheryl Cockerham lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk



Cheryl Cockerham - April 17, 2023 at 10:05 PM



“ We are so sorry to hear about Stephanie's passing! Hugs and prayers to your family at this difficult time! RIP Stephanie! Bobbi & Bruce



Bobbi Davis - April 17, 2023 at 09:52 PM

KL

“ So sorry to hear this God Bless all of you 🙏🙏

Karon lebron - April 17, 2023 at 09:11 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.



April 17, 2023 at 08:42 PM

TA

“ Steph was my buddy for a lifetime & friend forever ❤️ I will miss you my friend 💔
Love ,
Todd & Shelly Arnold



todd arnold - April 17, 2023 at 08:20 PM

KA

“ Kim Allen lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk



Kim Allen - April 17, 2023 at 08:09 PM

BH

“ *Bob Lisa Hudgins lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk*



Bob and Lisa Hudgins - April 17, 2023 at 08:00 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.*



April 17, 2023 at 07:48 PM



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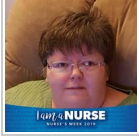
April 17, 2023 at 06:59 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.*



April 17, 2023 at 06:50 PM



“ Pamela Karr-Cook lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Neikirk



Pamela Karr-Cook - April 17, 2023 at 06:43 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Stephanie E. Neikirk.



April 17, 2023 at 05:47 PM