



Jennifer Mary Vyeda

November 18, 1960 - December 18, 2021

Jennifer Mary Vyeda, 61, of Siloam Springs, Arkansas, died on December 18, 2021, at the Circle of Life, in Springdale, Arkansas. She was born on November 18, 1960, in Racine, Wisconsin, to Josiah Burks and Mary (Hubbard) Burks.

She is preceded in death by her father, Josiah; two brothers, Joel Burks and Danny Burks; one aunt, Grace Burks; uncle, Robert Burks; Edith and Dick Pokiant and godparents, Babe and Dee Peterson.

She is survived by her daughter, Ashleigh Mueller, of Emporia, Kansas; Dogs, Dallee, Gina, and Hope; Granddogs, Jax, River, and Stetson; Mother, Mary Burks, of Racine, Wisconsin; Sisters, Jody Sadlon and husband Stephen, of Racine, Wisconsin, Jana Burks, of Jackson, Wisconsin; Nephews, Craig Sadlon, of Beaver Dam, Wisconsin, and Cory Sadlon, of Racine, Wisconsin; Best friend, Lorie Giese, of Franksville, Wisconsin; and dear friend, Chris Mueller, of Dover, Arkansas.

Visitation will be on Tuesday, December 21, 2021, from 12:00 to 2:00 PM, at Wasson Funeral Home in Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Funeral service will follow the visitation at Wasson's at 2:00 PM.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **21**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

KR

“Jennifer was an amazing light in my life at a time when I needed it the most. Jen would give you the shirt off of her back if you needed it, and she would quite literally offer it to you with no questions asked. I have so many positive memories of Jennifer, but it is her positivity, giving nature, and strength that leaves me completely speechless. I am a writer by nature, but I lack words to even quantify the impact Jennifer left on my life in the many years I’ve been blessed to know her. She is someone who believed in the importance of hard work, paired with a positive attitude, and to keep giving to others; even if she had very little to give at the moment. I recall in a particularly trying time in my life, I was worried about financial issues. She asked me, “What are you going to do?” And I told her I would go through my closet and place my nicest items on an online auction site to raise money. And then she asked me long-term what my plan was— and I hadn’t really thought about it until she asked me that. She prompted me to think through what got me into my situation (I was 22 at the time and really needed the guidance). After our talk, I felt much better about the future and how to solve my problem. The next day, Jennifer showed up to work and called me out to the parking lot. She said she had gone through her entire closet and was bringing me clothes that I could put on the online auction. I asked her why she did that, she didn’t have to do that. And she said, “You are fixing your situation. And I want to help you fix it. You’re trying, so I want to help.” She level of care she gave me in that moment (and in countless others)— I will never forget. She made me feel beautiful when I couldn’t see it. She made me feel grateful when I felt alone and times were trying. She highlighted positive qualities in me that I hadn’t recognized. She simply made me feel human in a time when I didn’t feel like I was deserving of the title. I experienced so much growth and confidence in a time when I was so lost, and it was because of Jennifer guiding me forward. I will never be able to properly thank her for all that she has done for me— but I have made it my mission to pass it forward and never forget her impact. Ashleigh— I am so proud of the woman you’ve grown to be; your momma was so proud of you and spoke the most beautiful words of you— I’ve never seen a prouder

mother. Mary— Jennifer was so proud to call you her mother. She only ever spoke words as sweet as honey when she talked about her family back home in Wisconsin. I'm truly a blessed and better person for having known Jennifer— I thank you all for sharing her with me (all of us) for the time I had the pleasure of knowing her. Jennifer's legacy is absolutely beautiful and I will cherish these memories for the rest of my life.

Kristina - December 21, 2021 at 07:14 PM



“ Love's Embrace Roses – Purple was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.



December 21, 2021 at 06:37 PM



“ Jenny , I'm sure you twirled into heaven. Please do another one for us . We love you and will miss you more then you'll know.
Kevin Giese

Kevin Giese - December 21, 2021 at 09:57 AM



“ Colleen (carlsen) Thieme lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Mary Vyeda



Colleen (carlsen) Thieme - December 21, 2021 at 06:24 AM

KB

“ *Kim Boaz lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Mary Vyeda*



Kim Boaz - December 20, 2021 at 10:58 PM

BG

“ *I'm so sorry Ashley. Your momma will be greatly missed by so many. Sometimes life seems so unfair but she's now pain free and in a place we can only dream of.*



Belinda Gillming - December 20, 2021 at 09:28 PM

VG

“ *Jennifer was someone I met when I sold a car to her. She was also bragging on her horses and her daughter. She definitely didn't have a selfish bone in her body. I know she's not suffering now, but I will definitely be keeping her family and friends in my prayers. You was always amazing to me and thank you for being a friend not just a customer. ❤️*



Vance Gaut - December 20, 2021 at 08:58 PM



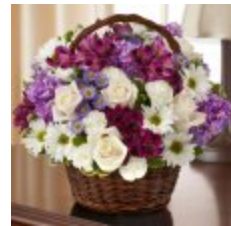
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Wasson Funeral Home - December 20, 2021 at 06:17 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White* was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.



December 20, 2021 at 04:07 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White* was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.



December 20, 2021 at 03:53 PM



“ *White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.*



December 20, 2021 at 02:41 PM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – Purple was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.*



December 20, 2021 at 01:34 PM



“ *Peaceful Wishes was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.*



December 20, 2021 at 12:54 PM



“ *Bobby & Janine Cunningham lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Mary Vyeda*



Bobby & Janine Cunningham - December 20, 2021 at 12:12 PM

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“ *Heather Osborne lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Mary Vyeda*



Heather Osborne - December 20, 2021 at 12:10 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.*



December 20, 2021 at 12:05 PM

VA

“ *Vincent Alexander lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Mary Vyeda*



Vincent Alexander - December 20, 2021 at 11:56 AM

CM

“ *Cassie Monson lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Mary Vyeda*



Cassie Monson - December 20, 2021 at 11:45 AM

RC

“ Rachel C lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Mary Vyeda



Rachel C - December 20, 2021 at 11:35 AM

KC

“ Here is a link to a card that WCS signed. I read every single sentiment to Jennifer before she left us. <https://www.groupgreeting.com/sign/7a54e36104bf46a> She smiled and nodded at so many of the memories. Thank you Ashleigh, Jody, Jana, Lorie and Chris for sharing her with us! Much Love, Kelly

Kelly Church - December 20, 2021 at 11:11 AM

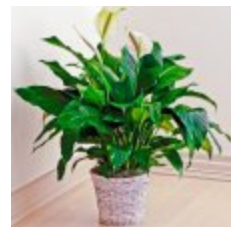
GW

Thank you for sharing Kelly, I hadn't had the opportunity to read the card since everyone signed. It shows what an impact Jennifer had on others with her bright personality.

Ginger Walker - December 20, 2021 at 12:17 PM

HA

“ Holly, Paul, Erika, and Ashley purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.



Holly, Paul, Erika, and Ashley - December 20, 2021 at 11:09 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.*



December 20, 2021 at 10:54 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.*



December 20, 2021 at 10:36 AM



“ *Fields of Europe for Spring was purchased for the family of Jennifer Mary Vyeda.*



December 20, 2021 at 10:31 AM