

I'd like the memory of me

to be a **happy** one.

I'd like to leave an

afterglow of smiles

when day is done.

I'd like to leave an echo

whispering softly down the ways. . .

Of happy times, and **laughing** times,

and bright and sunny days.

I'd like the tears of those who grieve

to dry before the sun,

Of happy **memories** that I leave behind

when day is done.



Sherri Lynn Eilts was born on March 25, 1953, to Lloyd and Gloria Jean (Kopecky) Eilts in Hawarden, Iowa. Sherri attended West Sioux Schools, graduating from high school in 1971. She was united in marriage to David Harry on November 6, 1971. Dave was said by some to have robbed the cradle. Sherri didn't think so. Two children were born to this union, Nathan (Nate) and Jason (Jake).

Sherri worked at Sunshine Foods as a scanner coordinator for many years and finished her working career at Groshopp Manufacturing in Sioux Center, Iowa, in the quality control department. Sherri was engaged in many hobbies her whole life, from ceramics and tole painting in the 1970's, to epoxy molding in the 2020's. Giving away much of what she made. Sherri died Wednesday, October 8, 2025, in Secaucus, New Jersey, on the first day of an autumn leaves tour of New England at the age of 72 years.

Sherri is survived by her husband of 53 years, Dave; sons, Nate (Angel) Harry and Jake (Kaye) Harry; grandchildren, Megan and Tommy; and sister, Bev (Ron) Reimer.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Lloyd and Jean Eilts.



*In
Memory*

