

Ruby Lynn White Shield was born on October 17, 1973 in Seattle, Washington to Shirley White Buffalo and Melvin White Shield of McLaughlin, SD. She became an angel on January 7, 2022 at St. Alexis in Bismarck, ND. She went to sleep peacefully, while surrounded by her family.

Ruby Lynn lived on Boot Hill in Fort Yates, ND. She went to elementary school in McLaughlin, SD, and junior school in Fort Yates, ND. She then got her G.E.D with Sitting Bull College. After a while she worked as a CNA at IHS for some time. Then moved to the Prairie Knights Casino, where she did a couple jobs there. She then moved to being a bartender at multiple places. But most of all she was a stay-at-home mother.

Ruby was such a free-spirited person she had such a big heart and an even bigger laugh. She always opened her home to anyone who was in need. She made many friends and called a lot of people her brother and sister. She enjoyed cooking, hanging out with friends, doing arts and craft things and being outside down at the river enjoying some fresh air and catching some fish. She even got over her fear of four wheelers and loved taking them on a cruise. She was obsessed with Elvis Presley and dragon flies, most of all she loved being in her favorite jammy pants surrounded by her children, grandchildren and her hubby Lucas Ann, as she would always call him.

Ruby was survived by her mother Shirley White Buffalo (Randy Wiest), husband Lucas Stickney and Mother-in-law Suziane Stickney and 10 kids and 5 grandkids, Kaitlyn White Shield (Jeff New Holy) her son, Zachiah and daughter, Kehlani, Spirit White Shield and her daughter, Kason JoLynn, Ethan Marshall (Gabby) and his son, Asher James, Bethany Marshall and her daughter, Sophia Diane, Nevaeh Grace, Memorie, Raisa Lynn, Kevin James KJ, Fritz and Izlynn, Her biological sisters, Marilyn White Shield, Milly Danials, Kelsey White Shield, biological brothers, Phillip (Phyllis) White Buffalo, Lawrence (Ha'Kela) White Shield, Mike White Shield, aunts, Sharon Thomas, Mazie (Vern) Shelton, Faith Taken Alive, traditional sisters, Paula Iron Cloud, Rachel Brown, Prairie Rose.

Proceed in death by her father, paternal grandparents, Joshua and Helen White Shield, Father, Melvin White Shield, daughter, Courtney Jade White Face, her sisters, Melody June Good House and Valerie Ann Walker Antelope, Aunts, Gladys White Shield and Delilah White Shield, Reta Iron Cloud, Donna Red Legs, cousin, Linda White Shield, uncle, Philip Looking Back, Hunka brother, Vincent Carry Moccasin.

In Loving Memory



Ruby Lynn White Shield

October 17, 1973

January 7, 2022

My Dear Mommy

By Kaitlyn White Shield

The moment that you passed
My heart was torn in two
One side filled with heartache
The other died with you.

You were always there for me
Even when I would be mean
You never turned your back on me
You truly are my Queen.

You always held your arms open to me
Every single time I would come crying to you
You always said "It's ok my girl, everything is going to be fine".
And now who's going to take my pain away.
Who's going to wipe my tears, who's going to help me fight my fears.
Once your mom passes away nothing is the same.
I keep trying to tell myself you're going to be ok.
But then I remember...

On January 7th 2022 a date I'll never forget because
I watched you suffer; I broke to my knees at your bed side
When they told me you were gone.
And all I could do Is cry and cry.
You went away that day, we had to part.
It wasn't easy for me.
God eased your pain, but he broke my heart.

My dear mother
Now I know why you always told me to be strong
You knew that one day I would need the Strength
To hear that your gone. But this I can't handle pain.
I can't fill this emptiness you left in my heart.
Why did it have to be you, you left me too soon.

Every day When I wake up and realize you are gone.
Another part of me fades away, and wonders why didn't I hold on.
one day I will see you again
and this time I'll hold on Forever
I miss you so much mother, only time will heal.
But until then I'll be the daughter you raised me to be.
I'll stand up wipe my tears and take care of my siblings

I'll never forget you, not a day will go by That I won't talk about you.
My kids will always know that They're grandma Ruby loved them
With all her heart. I'll always show them videos of you so they can hear
Your laugh and feel the love from your voice.
I love you my dear mother and I'll always miss you.

IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Ruby Lynn White Shield

BORN:

October 17, 1973
Bismarck, North Dakota

PASSED AWAY:

January 7, 2022
Bismarck, North Dakota

WAKE SERVICES:

7:00 PM, All Night, Thursday, January 20, 2022
McLaughlin Blue Gym
McLaughlin, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE:

1:00 PM, Friday, January 21, 2022
McLaughlin Blue Gym
McLaughlin, South Dakota

CLERGY: Pastor Carl Nobles ~ Doug Wilkinson

DRUM GROUP: Palani Wakpa

CASKETBEARERS:

Jory White Bull ~ Bill White Bull ~ ED Dog Skin ~ Pete White Bull
Jeff Watson ~ Frank Jamerson ~ Buster Stretches ~ John Red Legs

HONORARY BEARERS:

Doug (Tony) Wilkinson, Myra (Orin) Bendickinson, Janet White Shield, Leann (Marc) White Shield, John (Raquel) Franklin, Frank Jameson Family, Irene Poor Thunder and family, Sid Bailey and family, Beverly Stretches and family, Lena Wise Spirit and family, Joe (sister) Harrison, Kindra Red Horn and family, Jeff Watson and family, Neta Many Wounds, Stacey Ann, Frankie Tiger and family, Berta Red Tomahawk (birdie) and family, Taylor Farrell, Jamie Stretches, Desirae Brown and family, Prudy Twinn and family, Hank Twinn and family, Old Man Leo Red Horse and family, Jae Agard and family, Dave Nelson, Kimberly Iron Thunder, Doug Archambault, Audry Blue Stone, Krystal Rain and son, Clint Walker and family, Josh and Skyler White Shield, Meredith (Ronnie) Haugen and family. Brian Marshall and Marci and girls, Tyson Crow Ghost and family, Khrystal New Holy and Family, Shelagh Two Shields and Family, The Harrison Family, Kolan Snider and Family, Daren Defender and family, Olena Village Center, Donnie Soft, Alan and Janel Jameson, Jamie Wilkinson, Guy Kenner, Kota St. John, Chuck Wise Spirit and kids, Floyd Montclair, Jeff White Feather, Gill Walking Elk, Renae High Elk, Jason St. John, Maynard St. John, Casper Thunder Hawk, Nathion Lafrombois, Kent Grey Cloud, Austin and Terry Hodgekiss, Patty and MJ Gayton, Clayton Hazel, Susie White Bull, Homer Rough Surface, Joe Jewett, Julie Kelly, Dustin Marshall, Tommy and April Kuntz, Pearl and Jeremy Tiger, Orin Silk, Dee Cole, Helen White Buffalo.
Too many to list sorry if we forgot anybody.

INTERMENT:

White Shield Family Cemetery
Little Eagle, South Dakota

Arrangements Entrusted to Kesling Funeral Home.