

In Loving Memory of

Stacey Lea Shields

January 13, 1976 ~ January 23, 2022

Go Home To Heaven

Dear Stacey,
Go home to God in Heaven
Who loves you as much as we
Where joy is there to surround you
Where your spirit is finally free

Go home where there is no suffering
To Heaven's rest and its love
Where torment and pain never enter
No sickness or sorrow above

Go home to everlasting comfort
Into God's tender embrace
Where His healing removes all suffering
No more sadness or worries you'll face

Go home and in peace watch over us
Yet forgive us if we still weep
Tearfully trusting your beautiful soul
For the angels in Heaven to keep

Wake Services

*Diamond Willow Ministries
Fort Thompson, SD
Thursday, January 27, 2022
Friday, January 28, 2022
7:00 p.m.*

Funeral Services

*Diamond Willow Ministries
Fort Thompson, SD
Saturday, January 29, 2022
2:00 p.m.*

Officiating

Rod Vaughn

Terry Quilt

Armond "Red" Olson

Casketbearers

*Bert Shields
Raymond Shields
Kenny Shields*

*Randy Shields Sr.
Scott Shields
Keith Fleury*

*Randy Shields Jr.
Tayden Jandreau
Larry Barker*

Honorary Bearers

*Rudy
Marcy Martin
Shannon Shields
Lori Bishop
Kathy Fleury
Betsy Valnes
Chepa Rank
Vettie White Mouse
Darla Fallis
Kristy Wolf
Rosie Pickner
Leroy "Bear" Thompson
Jaylynn Eagle
Jeannie Eagle
Penny Black Bull*

*Charlie Draper
Grandma JoAnn
Dawn Shields
Joe Shields
Jason Shields
Tubbs Shields
Perry Heminger
Amber Tapio
Jessie Abernathy
Eileen West
Christine Andrade
Royce Howe
Turtle Shields
Mary Wright*

*Orlando Big Eagle
Josette Irving
Tanya Estes
Jay Eagle
Renee Gonzales
Lynn McBride
Celeste Red Elk †
Amy Jandreau
Trish Lundell
Mason Jandreau
Steven Quilt Family
Darren & Nicole Hickey
Kevin Ness
BIA Crow Creek Agency
Avera Transplant Team
Chamberlain Bowling League Buddies*

Interment

Christ Episcopal Cemetery, Fort Thompson, SD

Arrangements By: Hickey Funeral Home, Chamberlain, SD



Stacey L. Shields was born on January 13, 1976, in Yankton, SD, to Pauline and Schmo Shields. She passed away at the age of 46 on January 23, 2022. Stacey called Fort Thompson home for most of her life. She attended school in Chamberlain and graduated from high school in 1994. Her class was the last one to graduate from the old high school and she said it was the end of an era. She attended the University of South Dakota before returning to Fort Thompson to work at various jobs including Shelby's, Lode Star Casino, and Wildlife. She was hired by BIA

Social Services in 2001, where she spent the rest of her career.

How do you describe Stacey? Everyone has their own unique story or experience where she made them feel special. Stacey was all about keeping family traditions and customs alive. She was the party planner, organizer, and game player. She has been described as generous, caring, compassionate, stubborn, funny, and a quiet leader. When she needed something to get done, she made sure to give all the right directions to anyone who was within earshot. Stacey loved her dog Rudy, bowling league, reading, listening to music, road trips, watching TikToks and sharing her favorites with people, and spending time with her family and friends. Her dry sense of humor and wit were well-known, and her laugh was contagious like her Aunt Karen's. Stacey took good care of the cats that lived outside her house, just like she took care of everyone around her.

Grateful for sharing her life are her faithful Mini Pin Rudy (Babe); brothers Raymond (Michelle) Shields of Wood Lake, NE, and Bert (Lori) Shields of Mission, SD; three uncles Randy (Cheryl) Shields, Sr., Tony Wright, and Terry Quilt; three aunts Josette Irving, Penny Black Bull, and Alsephine Joseph; cousins raised as sisters Trisha (Tayden and Macy) and Mary (Thomasina, Karen, Evelyn, and Justin Jr.); and Grandma Rose Eagle Star. She will be deeply missed by countless other family members, friends, co-workers, and the entire community.

Stacey was preceded in death by her parents, William (Schmo) Shields, Jr. and Pauline (Quilt) Shields, and many special grandparents, aunts, uncles, relatives, and friends.

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