

IN MEMORY OF

Leann Carol Thornton

July 24, 1985 - January 23, 2025

FUNERAL MASS

10:00 am Saturday

February 1, 2025

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

CELEBRANT

Father Nick Zummo

MUSIC

John Barnes

Peg LePage

PALLBEARERS

Bert Thornton

Mark Thornton

Mike Shubert

Jeff Heger

Sean Heger

Cameron Heger

FINAL RESTING PLACE

Resurrection Cemetery

Springfield, Missouri

*Celebrating
a Life*



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Leann Carol Thornton, 39 Years Old, of Springfield, Missouri, passed away Thursday Morning January 23rd 2025 in Springfield, Missouri in her home.

She was born July 24th 1985 in Springfield, Missouri to Roger Lee and Julia Ann (Heger) Thornton. She attended Springfield Catholic High School where she graduated in the Class of 2004.

While attending Springfield Catholic High School she was active at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church and had fond memories of participating in The Happening Retreats. She was a member of the Freshmen Cheerleading Squad and was an avid fan of Fighting Irish Football.

In her 20 years since High School Leann has been a proud homemaker for her sons, and has spent the last nearly 6 years heavily involved in the care of her special needs son Brayden. She enjoyed music, playing cards, laughing at funny movies or a good joke, and she loved the beauty of Marilyn Monroe. Leann had a smile that would light up the darkest of days. She had a saying that she chose to live her life after enduring so many hardships along the way.

"Never be a prisoner of your past. It was just a lesson, not a Life Sentence."

She was preceded in death by her Father Roger Lee Thornton in 1995; brother Chris Michael Thornton in 2007; and Sister Linda June Roberts in 2008

She is survived by her Mother Julia Thornton of Springfield, MO, 4 Brothers (Mark, Mike, Roger Jr, and Bert), and 1 Sister (Michelle).

