



Kempeni Kay Zdunic

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Lakeview-Kempeni Kay (Crittenden) Zdunic, age 58, of Lakeview passed away at her home on Sunday, November 14, 2021. She was born in Lansing on November 13, 1963, to Kempton and Carol (Bailey) Crittenden.

Kempeni was raised in the Lansing area where she attended public school, graduating in 1981. She continued her education at Lansing Community College where she earned her license as a certified nurses assistant. She was employed at various nursing homes and at Spectrum Health Kelsey Hospital during her career.

Kempeni married the love of her life, Rickie Zdunic on September 13, 2014, at the Entrican Bible Church. She had a smile and laugh that were infectious, a great sense of humor, and loved spending time with her family and friends. Kempeni made spending time with her grandkids into an event.

She enjoyed camping at Silver Lake, yard sales, bingo, crafts, antiques, playing Yahtzee, having fun, and just being happy which easily spread to everyone around her. Kempeni was selfless, often going above and beyond to ease someone's pain or help in their time of need, even if she was troubled herself.

She was truly a living sunflower. Kempeni will forever be missed, and is survived by her husband, Rickie Zdunic of Lakeview; children, Shanna (Chad) Davis, Josh (Carrie) Crittenden; bonus children, Rickie (Alyssa) Zdunic, Karen (Matt Edwards) Zdunic; grandchildren, Sean, Holly, Kyrie, Morgan, Connor, Alex; bonus grandchildren, Marceleno, Mila, Myha, Christiano, Amilliano, Destiny, Damian; great-grandchildren, TJ, Corbynn, Skylar, Lucas, Jackson, Samuel; mother, Carol Borring of Six Lakes; brothers, Bill Zeis of Six Lakes, Roger Darling of Adrian; mother-in-law, Karen May.

She was preceded in death by her father. A memorial service will be at 2:30 PM on Sunday, November 21, 2021, at Brigham Funeral Chapel in Lakeview with Pastor Eugene Kooi officiating.



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The family will greet friends from 6:00-8:00 PM on Saturday, November 20 at the funeral chapel.

Memorial contributions can be sent to the ASPCA. Condolences may be made by utilizing the guestbook at www.brighamfuneralchapel.com



Tribute Wall

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SS

Susie Spivey posted:

I remember her as a baby girl but she will be missed greatly by her family and friends. Rest In Peace sweetie.

November 16 at 8:00 PM

CW

Chet Wiltse posted:

Man we're to start mom I love you and hope you are resting in paradise you have been a blessing to so many of us with your words and your heart you time and time again brought smiles to so many faces and for that your a legend I've been great ful for you being there for me when I was young and wild to the new me of today you have giving me so much more than I thought any one could you instilled into me the true power of being a great man and I'll never forget that you have been a rock to me when I needed you and I knew I could always talk to you on a real personal level and which you never blinked an eye or shunned me away you are one of the best people I have everet in my life thanks for all the love and the wisdom there will never be another like you because legends come once in a lifetime I love you mom rest in paradise 🙏❤️

November 16 at 8:00 PM

DB

Douglas Brown posted:

Our deepest condolences to the family and friends of Kempeni. I've known "Mert" from my early years on Reo rd., and have always known her to be funny, very kind, and loved her family dearly.
Gloria Bosworth & Douglas Brown

November 16 at 8:00 PM

AZ

A Memorial Tree Was Planted For Kempeni Kay Zdunic posted:

We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Brigham Funeral Chapel - Lakeview

November 15 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Kempeni by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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