



Tammi Leigh Kissinger

March 16, 1962 - July 3, 2014

Kissinger

Tammi Leigh Kissinger, 52, of Bernville, passed away on July 3, 2014, peacefully at the Hershey Medical Center, Hershey PA.

She was born in Harrisburg on March 16, 1962, a daughter of Robert and Sandra Werdt of Williamstown PA .

Tammi was employed by the PA Department of Welfare.

She was the wife of George A Kissinger. Tammi is survived by her loving spouse George Kissinger, two sons, Andrew Kissinger of St Louis, MO, Adam Kissinger of Reading, PA; two sisters, Carolyn Shomper IHM of Philadelphia, PA, Regina Michaels of Williamstown, PA; one brother Robert Werdt of Tower City, PA, a number of nieces and nephews and her "fur babies" Ivy, Holly, Tipper and Tully. She was preceded in death by her parents.

She had enjoyed volunteering at her children's schools and at the Reading Literacy Council teaching English. Tammi was a generous soul full of love for her husband, sons, family and friends. She gave selflessly of her gifts, talents and time. never counting the cost. She loved life and lived it to the fullest. Tammi had a great laugh and loved simple, good times with the people she treasured. She enjoyed the outdoors, especially the beach and gathering shells. She liked times spent at camp and long walks in the woods. Tammi also enjoyed painting, arts and crafts, gardening, reading and shopping.

Tammi was an excellent cook who loved preparing meals and baking treats, especially for her George, Andy and Adam. She loved animals, especially her four English Springer Spaniels her "fur babies". To honor Tammi's memory, hug those you love, make time for family and friends, read to a child, do something kind, reach out to others or adopt a dog. Tammi was a blessing in the lives around her. She is deeply loved and will be forever missed.

A visitation will be held on July 12, 2014 from 10:00 am to 11:00 am at Simeon United Lutheran Church, Gratz.

Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, July 12, 2014, at 11:00 am at the Simeon United Lutheran Church, Gratz, with Rev. Martine Joseph, officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to An animal shelter, World Wild Life Fund or Conservation Group

James A. Reed Funeral Home, Pillow is in charge of the arrangements. To sign the on line guest book, or to post a picture of Tammi, visit www.reedfh.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Simeon United Lutheran Church
173 N Center St
Gratz, PA 17030

Memorial Service

JUL 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SH

“ We were saddened to hear of Tammi's sudden passing. Sending thoughts and prayers to George, Andrew, Adam and the rest of her family. Sharon & Ron Berman

sharon - July 12, 2014 at 05:58 PM

AB

“ Adriane Bergey sent a virtual gift in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Adriane Bergey - July 11, 2014 at 08:13 PM

AB

“ George, Andy, Adam, Carol, Rob and Gina, We are at a loss for words. We are truly sorry for your loss and are still in disbelief ourselves. Tammi was a caring and loving person, Keep your memories close and they will help you through this very difficult time. Adriane, Tab, Dustin and Brooke

Adriane, Tab, Dustin and Brooke Bergey - July 11, 2014 at 08:11 PM

TB

“ Tab Bergey lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Tab Bergey - July 11, 2014 at 08:01 PM

AB

“ *Adriane, Tab, Dustin And Brooke Bergey lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Adriane, Tab, Dustin and Brooke Bergey - July 11, 2014 at 08:00 PM

AB

“ *Adriane, Tab, Dustin And Brooke Bergey lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Adriane, Tab, Dustin and Brooke Bergey - July 11, 2014 at 07:59 PM

MM

“ *Mark McClain lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Mark McClain - July 11, 2014 at 04:09 PM

SB

“ *Tammi was such a great person. She will be missed.*



Stacy Bowman - July 11, 2014 at 02:00 PM

CS

“ *Cathy Swank Stakem lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Cathy Swank Stakem - July 10, 2014 at 01:07 PM

CS

Rest in peace my sweet childhood friend. Gone too soon, never forgotten. Hugs to your family. Love to you.

Cathy Swank Stakem - July 10, 2014 at 01:10 PM

DB

“ *Deb B. lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Deb B. - July 10, 2014 at 06:39 AM

AO

“ *Angie O lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Angie O - July 09, 2014 at 12:28 PM

AO

“ *It's not often that you come in to work and your boss tells you that you are going to have someone new sitting next to you in your cubicle and that you will get along great with her --and it actually turns out to be true. Tammi was fun to work with and a wonderful friend. She was kind, caring, giving and had a wonderful sense of humor.*

Shortly before the birth of my second son, Tammi came to visit us and brought lunch (outstanding of course) as well as a couple of presents for my little guy who was about to be a big brother. He had such a good time playing with Tammi that he talked about her for a long time and always reminds me who got him the puzzle she brought for him.

Tammi is probably the best friend I made since moving to PA and I hope that even in some small way she knew how much I treasured our friendship. No matter how much time had passed since seeing or talking to each other we could always pick up where we left off. I wish we had been able to keep in touch more often. Tammi will truly be missed.

Angie O - July 09, 2014 at 12:23 PM

DB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Tammi's family. I remember many times (as a child) drawing with her. She was such an artist with fashion drawings. May God be with you during this most difficult time.*

Diana Welker-Baker

Diana Baker - July 09, 2014 at 06:25 AM

JB

“ Joann And David Black lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



joann and david black - July 08, 2014 at 08:03 PM

JB

tammi was a wonderful lady met her a few times at debs,always had time to talk to you,will be sadly missed

joann and david black - July 08, 2014 at 08:05 PM

DK

“ Deb Kochel lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Deb Kochel - July 08, 2014 at 11:51 AM


Vanessa
Mañón

“ I loved working with you! You were my “work mom” and I thoroughly enjoyed our talks and conversations. You always had very sound and great advice. I am so sad that I am so far away that I cannot make it to your viewing and funeral. You are the perfect example of a great co-worker and friend. Praying for your family and friends through these hard times. You will be deeply missed. – Vanessa Mañón



Vanessa Mañón - July 08, 2014 at 11:04 AM

CO

“ *Cortney lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Cortney - July 08, 2014 at 10:40 AM

KN

“ *Kim N. lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Kim N. - July 08, 2014 at 10:16 AM

DE

“ *Diane Wirt English lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Diane Wirt English - July 08, 2014 at 09:56 AM

JM

“ Tammi was one of my childhood friends; I warmly remember her dad picking us up and driving us to Sunday School. He passed on at such an early age; the first such experience I had at that time-- age 9. In reading the obituary, her love and compassion expressed therein shows the same person I remember from all those years ago. Rest in Peace good friend and classmate.

Jack

Jack Miller - July 08, 2014 at 09:50 AM

SP

“ Words can't express how sad I am with receiving this news, but I know that the lord is dancing as he just gained an angel. Tammi I will always remember your kind words when I left Berks Cao to go Lebanon Cao and I will always thank you for staying in touch via email. To your family my sincerest condolences to you all. Tammi was such an amazing human being she was kind, humble and so gentle I'm thankful for having had the opportunity of working with such amazing woman.

Sarah Sotomayor Pedraza
Buford, Georgia

Sarah Sotomayor Pedraza - July 08, 2014 at 09:13 AM

GJ

“ Gail Jorge lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Gail Jorge - July 08, 2014 at 08:59 AM

WM

“ Wendy McCauley sent a virtual gift in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Wendy McCauley - July 08, 2014 at 08:25 AM

TL

“ Tim & Linda sent a virtual gift in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



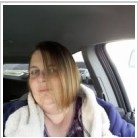
Tim & Linda - July 08, 2014 at 08:06 AM

LB

“ Lisa Ressler Bordner lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Lisa Ressler Bordner - July 08, 2014 at 07:53 AM



“ We will miss your smile and your laugh. Jennifer Hartman - from TPL



Jenny Rose - July 08, 2014 at 07:32 AM

JF

“ Jessica Frederick sent a virtual gift in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Jessica Frederick - July 08, 2014 at 07:26 AM

JF

May you find comfort in your wonderful memories of Tammi. She truly had a blessed soul & I am a better person having known her. Tammi's kindness always shined through.

Jessica Frederick - July 08, 2014 at 07:30 AM

DS

“ Deb Stayner lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Deb Stayner - July 08, 2014 at 07:24 AM

RF

“ Roxann Ferrario lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger



Roxann Ferrario - July 08, 2014 at 07:21 AM

DE

“ *DEB sent a virtual gift in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



DEB - July 07, 2014 at 10:39 PM

DB

“ *Our sincerest sympathies. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family*

Dale Boyer - July 07, 2014 at 03:28 PM

CC

“ *Cheryl (Buffington) Carl lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Cheryl (Buffington) Carl - July 06, 2014 at 08:24 PM

CS

“ *Carol McCready Sitler lit a candle in memory of Tammi Leigh Kissinger*



Carol McCready Sitler - July 06, 2014 at 03:40 PM