



Laynee Jean Van Kekerix, infant daughter of Bryant and Brittani (De Jager) Van Kekerix, was stillborn, safe in the arms of Jesus, on Thursday, February 22, 2024, at Sanford USD Medical Center in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Laynee will be forever loved and remembered by her parents, Bryant and Brittani Van Kekerix; sister, Brekyn; brother, Jace; grandparents, Gary (Carla) De Jager and Berwyn (Kristi) Van Kekerix; great-grandparents, Mary Koldenhoven and Lee Te Slaa; and uncles and aunts, Marcus (Danielle) Van Kekerix, Elliot (Jaclyn) Van Kekerix, Blake De Jager, and Dawson De Jager.

She was preceded in death by her great-grandparents, Ronald Koldenhoven, Geraldine Koldenhoven, Bert Van Kekerix, Jeanette Van Kekerix, Vi Te Slaa, Jo De Jager, and Vern De Jager.

*In Loving Memory*  
***Laynee Jean Van Kekerix***

**FUNERAL SERVICE**

11:00 AM, Tuesday, February 27, 2024  
First Reformed Church  
Rock Valley, Iowa

**OFFICIANT**

Rev. Cliff Hoekstra

**MUSICAL SELECTION**

*“Jesus Loves Me”*

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

*“I Will Carry You”*

recorded by Selah

*“Blessings”*

recorded by Laura Story

**PALLBEARER**

Bryant Van Kekerix

**HONORARY PALLBEARERS**

Marcus Van Kekerix ~ Elliot Van Kekerix

Blake De Jager ~ Dawson De Jager

**INTERMENT**

Valley View Cemetery  
Rock Valley, Iowa

*"And to think, the first thing she saw when  
her little eyes opened was the face of Jesus."*

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*"I carried you every second of your life,  
and I will love you for every second of  
mine."*

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*"For you created my inmost being; you knit  
me together in my mother's womb."*

*Psalms 139: 13*

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*"The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and  
saves those who are crushed in spirit"*

*Psalms 34:18*

