

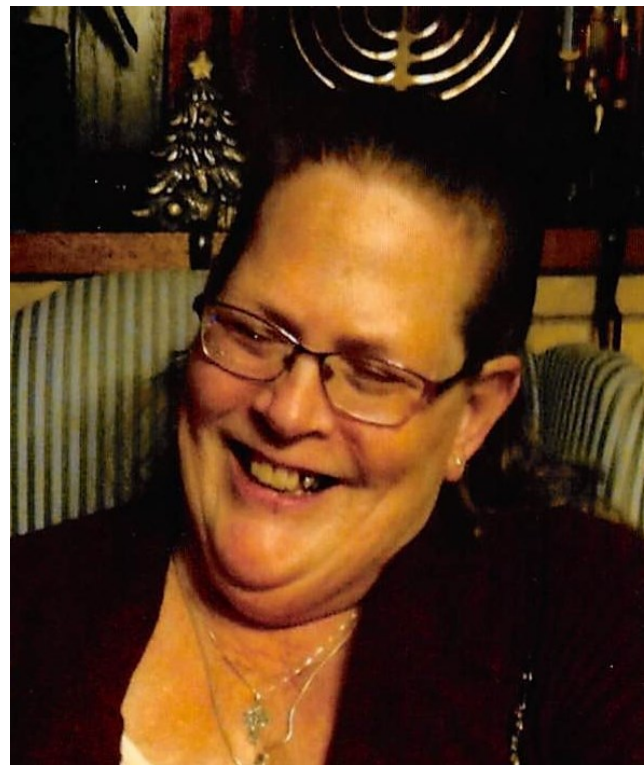


You are my sunshine
My only sunshine
You make me happy
When skies are grey
You'll never know, dear
How much I love you
please don't take my sunshine away
The other night, dear
As I lay sleeping
I dreamed...

The other night, dear
As I lay sleeping
I dreamed I held you in my arms
When I awoke, dear
I was mistaken
please don't take my sunshine away
please don't take my sunshine away



Forever In our Hearts



Vanessa M. (Sager) Wilson
April 24, 1959—February 6, 2019

Vanessa M. (Sager) Wilson, 59, of Reinbeck, passed away on Wednesday, February 6, 2019, in Morrison, as the result of an automobile accident. Visitation for Vanessa will be held on Friday, February 15th from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM at the United Methodist Church in Reinbeck. The funeral service will be held on Saturday, February 16th at 10:30 AM at the United Methodist Church, followed by the burial at the Washington Township Cemetery in Morrison. Memorials may be directed to the family.

Vanessa was born on April 24, 1959 in Bicknell, Indiana to her parents Larry & Jo Ann (Rottet) Sager. When Vanessa was 2 years old, her family relocated to Reinbeck. As a young child, the Sagers moved to Walker Minnesota, where they owned and operated a resort on Leech Lake for several years. The family returned back to Reinbeck, where Vanessa graduated from Reinbeck High School, in the class of 1977.

In the 1980's Vanessa moved to Gillette, Wyoming, where she met Patrick Paris. The two were married and welcomed children Jesse and Rebekah into their family. They later divorced. She returned back home to the Reinbeck area, where she has remained since her passing.

Vanessa worked various jobs throughout her life and although she didn't like the whole 'working' thing, she thoroughly enjoyed her many co-workers along the way and made lots of long-lasting friendships. She enjoyed gardening, including plants and flowers, baking and cooking, and crocheting blankets, especially baby blankets. She loved children and was a very devoted grandmother to her grandkids. Described as loving, supportive and strong, she touched many lives and she will be terribly missed by her family and many friends, she made along the way.

She is survived by her parents Larry & JoAnn Sager of Morrison; son Jesse (Laura) Paris of Morrison and daughter Becky Paris of Reinbeck; grandchildren Yuri, Zeffrom & Nolan Paris of Morrison and Devin Ashford and Ramell McQueen, both of Reinbeck; brothers Roger (Brenda) Sager of Morrison and Ronald Sager of Reinbeck; a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

In Loving Memory
Vanessa Marie (Sager) Wilson

Sunrise

April 24, 1959
Bicknell, Indiana

Sunset

February 6, 2019
Morrison, Iowa

Funeral Service

Saturday, February 16, 2019
10:30 AM

United Methodist Church
Reinbeck, Iowa

Officiating

Pastor Steven Hubbell

Organist

Jim Grupp

Congregational Hymns

“Jesus Loves Me!”

“Hymn of Promise”

“Amazing Grace”

“You Are My Sunshine”

Casket Bearers

Jesse Paris Roger Sager Adam Sager
Jo Sager Curt Busseman John Bereczki, Jr.
Tim Larson Dennis Kerns

Interment

Washington Township Cemetery
Morrison, Iowa

Vanessa's family would like to invite those in attendance to join them for lunch in the church Fellowship Hall following the committal service at the cemetery.