



Heather Bechtol Kavanagh

Heather Dawn (Bechtol) Kavanagh

38, of Emmett Township, died very unexpectedly Tuesday evening March 6, 2012 at William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak.

She was born March 15, 1973 in Troy, OH the daughter of the late Randy Bechtol and Cindy (Sharp) McNeely.

Her marriage to Todd Kavanagh was December 1, 2007 in Davison. She was recently baptized and anointed into the Catholic faith.

She was employed by the St. Clair County Mental Health facility, Port Huron, for two years.

She enjoyed word games, reading, EBay, flowers, cooking, being outside, snowmobiling and especially spending time with her children.

Surviving in addition to her husband Todd of four years are children, Nicholas Smith and Kolton Kavanagh; sister and brother-in-law, Angela and Brian Koss of Port Huron, brothers, Shawn McNeely and Ben Bechtol of OH, step-brother Jaime McNeely of IN; grandparents, Jerry and Maxine Bechtol of OH; stepfather, Randy McNeely of Port Huron; mother and father-in-law, Jack and Barbara Kavanagh of Emmett; three brothers-in-law, Tim Kavanagh of West Bloomfield, Thad (Erin) Kavanagh and Trond Kavanagh all of Emmett; four sister-in-law, Tracy (Joe) Atkinson of Port Huron, Tricia (Dave) Parski of Riley, Teri (Dave) Bielecki of Emmett, Tonya (Scott) Huston of Armada and many nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.

Her family honors the memory of Heather and invites you to visit and share memories Friday 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Kaatz Funeral Directors, Richmond, with rosary devotion/scripture services at 7:00 p.m. Rite of Christian Burial will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday at Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church, Emmett, with 10:00 a.m. visiting. Fr. Tom Kuehnemund, pastor, will officiate. Memorials are suggested to "Wishes of the Family".

For information and Guest Book
kaatzfunerals.com

Previous Events

Service

MAR **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church
10828 Brandon Road
Emmett, MI 48022
(810) 384-1338

Tribute Wall



“ My blessings go out to the family and sorry for your lost. Heather was and always will be a beautiful person. Just remind keep all the loving and good times you had together in your heart and helps tto get through the pain day by day. Love you all and i will keep you all in my prayers.##imported-begin##Katrice Knight- Gulley##imported-end##

March 11, 2012 at 11:18 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers for all of you.##imported-begin##Chris Tschirhart##imported-end##

March 10, 2012 at 07:13 AM



“ Heather was such a sweet and gentle woman I was and always will be HONORED and PROUD that Heather considered me Her Aunt.##imported-begin##Aunt Linda (Kavanagh)##imported-end##

March 09, 2012 at 09:13 PM



“ Thank you for always being a tremendous influence in my life in our childhood and reconnecting as adults. You were always kind, polite and generous as children. And these qualities were carried into your adulthood along with love, friendship and generosity. I am so grateful to be blessed by God for your presence in my life and will remember all our days.

Regretfully and Until I see you again,

Jessie##imported-begin##Jessica Miller##imported-end##

March 08, 2012 at 08:33 PM



“ heather.... you are a angel in heaven now... smile down on Todd, Nick, and Kolton, the rest of your family and friends... R.I.P. my friend##imported-begin##marsha burke##imported-end##

March 08, 2012 at 04:39 PM



“ What a beautiful person Heather was and the happiness she spread where ever she was - always smiling. Two great families share such a loss but know that both families will be in our thoughts and prayers.

Taken too quickly from us -- she will never be forgotten.##imported-begin##Kim & Dennis Will##imported-end##

March 08, 2012 at 02:56 PM



“ *Heather will be forever missed and never forgotten...I feel blessed to have known such a wonderful person. Todd, Nick and baby Kolton and the rest of the family please know you will be in my thoughts and prayers forever.*

God Bless###imported-begin##Lisa Hubbard###imported-end##

March 08, 2012 at 02:41 PM



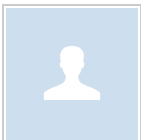
“ *I will never forget you my dear friend. You were so full of life!!! I will always remember all the fun times we had together, i'm so glad we kept in touch over the years. I was looking forward to meeting your new little guy when you came to ohio. We had just talked last week about it. You will be forever in my heart, I'm sorry i'm not going to make it to your funeral, but know i love you and will miss you. Sending prayers to your family!!! You touched so many peoples life, and was loved by so many!!!###imported-begin##candy (peelee) bucholtz###imported-end##*

March 08, 2012 at 02:35 PM



“ *All of you are in our hearts, thoughts and prayers in this time of great sadness. We'll always remember Heather's beautiful smile and her joy in living. We will miss her.###imported-begin##Chuck & Kathy Wirrig###imported-end##*

March 08, 2012 at 10:53 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you Todd and the entire family.###imported-begin##Kit Gray###imported-end##*

March 08, 2012 at 09:09 AM



“ Todd and family, we are so sorry. oUR prayers will always be with you.##imported-begin##Leslie Gillis (ABC)##imported-end##

March 08, 2012 at 09:04 AM



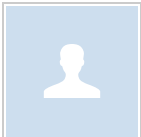
“ Heather was such a precious gem to her grandparents. May her legacy live on in the lifes of her beautiful sons. Heather was a happy wife and mother! She was called away far to soon. Rest in peace special lady! Deepest sympathy to all her family and friends.Love to Uncle Jerry and Aunt Maxine. God bless all of you.##imported-begin##Bill and Charlene Hemp##imported-end##

March 08, 2012 at 07:35 AM



“ I will miss my friend and coworker. She was a wonderful person and I feel fortunate to have known her.##imported-begin##Kerry Beedon##imported-end##

March 07, 2012 at 10:19 PM



“ My earliest memory of Heather is of her arriving a day or two before her mothers baby shower. I never knew of a young lady who conquered so many obstacles. May you rest in peace in God's lovng arms. To Todd, Nick Kolton and my Aunt Maxine and Uncle Jerry.....our sincere sympathies..

Jerry and Pam Sass##imported-begin##Jerry and Pam Sass##imported-end##

March 07, 2012 at 07:48 PM