



## Francis Koenig Petska

December 1, 1963 - November 7, 2017

Francis Koenig Petska, 53, of Milford, IA passed away on Tuesday, November 7, 2017 in Milford, IA.

A celebration of life will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, November 18, 2017 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Milford, IA. A visitation will be one hour prior to the service on Saturday at the church. Burial of his cremains will be at a later date.

Francis was born December 1, 1963 in Omaha, NE to parents Francis J. Petska and Sandra L. (Koenig) Petska. He graduated from Spencer High School in 1981.

In August of 1995 he was married to Sandra Somers on the Queen in Okoboji. To this union triplets were born on October 7, 1999.

As a family they enjoyed many vacations which included a trip Disneyland and Cruise Lines. He enjoyed all water activities especially boating, scuba diving, fishing and camping. One of Francis's most recent highlights was taking a trip with his children Michael and Autumn to Columbia, SC to Celebrate his son Cody graduating from basic training from the US Army on August 17, 2017.

Francis was talented at carpentry and did maintenance work at a college in

Blair, NE.

He was a loving father and will be missed by all three children Autumn, Cody and Michael of Milford, IA; he is also survived by his sister Traci Hintz of Spencer, IA; half siblings Gary Gable of Omaha, NE; Shelia Casanova of Minneapolis, MN; Pamela Hyatt and Nancy Kaminsky of Banning, CA; and Andrea Petska of Cincinnati, OH; father and stepmother Frank and Janet Petska of Spencer, IA; and stepsister Katie Clark of Oklahoma City, OK. Also left to cherish his memory are many nieces, nephews, cousin, extended family members and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his mother Sandra McKelvey and his grandparents.

In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial donations may be sent to the Francis Petska Memorial Fund at Farmers Bank, 2121 Okoboji Ave., Milford, IA, 51351.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **18**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
1301 Okoboji Ave.  
Milford, IA 51351

## Service

NOV **18**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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1301 Okoboji Ave.  
Milford, IA 51351

# Tribute Wall

DG

“ *Dave & LuAnn Garnjobst lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Dave & LuAnn Garnjobst** - November 18, 2017 at 12:36 PM

CG

“ *Clay Guthrie lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Clay Guthrie** - November 18, 2017 at 11:23 AM

ML

“ *Mari Larson lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Mari Larson** - November 17, 2017 at 03:50 PM

JK

“ *Julie Kaatz lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Julie Kaatz** - November 16, 2017 at 11:04 PM

J(

“ *Jamie Peterson (Billingsley) lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Jamie Peterson (Billingsley)** - November 16, 2017 at 08:09 PM

LA

“ *Liz Barlow Anderson lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Liz Barlow Anderson** - November 16, 2017 at 01:18 PM

CA

“ *Frank Petska and family: My prayers are with you as you grieve the loss of your son. May he rest in peace with his mother now and build a staircase to heaven for the rest of us as we continue our journey through life.*

*God Bless all of you,*

*Coleen Ahlers,  
Sheldon, IA.*

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**Coleen Ahlers** - November 16, 2017 at 01:04 PM

GR

“ *Gaye Rasmussen lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Gaye Rasmussen** - November 16, 2017 at 08:52 AM

MD

“ *Mike Dougherty lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Mike Dougherty** - November 16, 2017 at 08:51 AM

TP

“ *So very sorry to hear about Francis. Our prayers are with you. Tom, Deb, Sarah, & Rachel Parks*

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**Tom Parks** - November 16, 2017 at 07:23 AM

MK

“ *Michelle & Todd Kuhlman lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Michelle & Todd kuhlman** - November 16, 2017 at 05:27 AM

T(

“ Tina Goertzen (Billingsley) lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska



Tina Goertzen (Billingsley) - November 15, 2017 at 07:58 PM

AN

“ Amy Ness lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska



Amy Ness - November 15, 2017 at 07:09 PM

FF

“ Frank Falline lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska



Frank Falline - November 15, 2017 at 06:39 PM

TE

“ Todd And Sandy Enderson lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska



Todd and Sandy Enderson - November 15, 2017 at 04:22 PM

DH

“ *Dana Hesby lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Dana Hesby** - November 15, 2017 at 04:13 PM

BB

“ *Betty Burg lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Betty Burg** - November 15, 2017 at 04:12 PM

SC

“ *Frank, Jan and family, I am so very sorry to hear about your son. My prayers are with!  
God Bless! Shirley Crawmer*

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**Shirley Crawmer** - November 15, 2017 at 03:47 PM

RS

“ *Rod Sheldon lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Rod Sheldon** - November 15, 2017 at 01:41 PM

FF

“ I am so sorry to hear the loss of Francis. my brother and I used to stay with him and his sister on weekends. He was a fun loving person.he will be missed.

Fern Falline - November 15, 2017 at 07:40 AM

FF

“ Fern Falline lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska



Fern Falline - November 15, 2017 at 07:35 AM

MU

“ Marlys Unrau lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska



Marlys Unrau - November 14, 2017 at 10:09 PM

RF

“ I am so saddened by this, may he rest in peace. To the children and family, you have my sympathy!

Rob & Jean Newman Family - November 14, 2017 at 10:07 PM

DD

“ *Diane Daws lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



**Diane Daws** - November 14, 2017 at 09:24 PM

 Bridget Lee

“ *Bridget Lee lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



**Bridget Lee** - November 14, 2017 at 09:13 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the family!  
I'll forever cherish the friendship, Francis and I  
had and the great memories we shared. I  
miss him more than words can say!  
RIP my dear Friend!*



**Dawn Westlake** - November 14, 2017 at 09:08 PM

CE

“ *Curt/Jane Edmunds lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



**Curt/Jane Edmunds** - November 14, 2017 at 08:13 PM



“ *Amy Arms Osler lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Amy Arms Osler** - November 14, 2017 at 08:07 PM

DA

“ *Dawn (Moore) Alt lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Dawn (Moore) Alt** - November 14, 2017 at 07:57 PM

CW

“ *Cathy Whithaus lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Cathy Whithaus** - November 14, 2017 at 06:25 PM

MA

“ *Maya lit a candle in memory of Francis Koenig Petska*



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**Maya** - November 14, 2017 at 06:24 PM