



## Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen

December 4, 1946 - March 26, 2021

Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen, 74, of Spirit Lake passed away on Friday, March 26, 2021 at Lakes Regional Healthcare in Spirit Lake.

A visitation for Pat will be held on Sunday May 16, 2021 from 2-5 p.m. with a prayer service to follow the visitation at the Schuchert-Lentz Funeral Home in Spirit Lake. Burial will be held in the Morgan Township Cemetery in Schleswig, IA on Monday, May 17th at 11:00 a.m.

Patricia (Pat) Ann Jepsen was born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, December 4, 1946. Pat's parents, Henry and Esther Jepsen adopted Pat from the Lutheran Home in Fort Dodge, Iowa, when she was four months old. Pat was baptized and confirmed in the Immanuel Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod. Her faith became very important, loving her church.

Pat married Ron Coleman her senior year of high school at Spirit Lake. Ron joined the military and they traveled many states and while stationed in Mountain Home, Idaho, Pat received her high school diploma. They then were stationed in Alaska. Later, they divorced and Pat returned to Spirit Lake.

Pat worked numerous jobs throughout her career including the Spirit Lake Beacon, Lakes Print Shop, Ace Hardware and was a tremendous help in running the family business of Jepsen's Cottages. (Cleaning many fish with her dad)

Everyone knew Pat's love of NASCAR, knowing on race days not to call or visit. Pat was loved by all who knew her as she was always willing to lend a helping hand. Pat always greeted everyone with a smile that will never be

forgotten.

Pat is preceded in death by her father, Henry Jepsen in 1982, and also grandparents, John F Abbe and Hertha (Marth) Abbe, H. Henry Jepsen and Hilda (Iverson) Jepsen.

Pat is survived by her mother, Esther, many cousins and other relatives and friends. Two special guys, who are always there for Pat and Esther in times of need, Larry Coleman and Doug Harms.

# Cemetery Details

## **Morgan Township Cemetery**

Schleswig, IA 51461

# Tribute Wall

SA

“ Susan Christensen Aderhold lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



Susan Christensen Aderhold - April 05, 2021 at 05:28 PM

BS

“ Billie J Scott lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



Billie J Scott - April 05, 2021 at 09:04 AM

BW

“ Bev Wittler lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



Bev Wittler - April 04, 2021 at 12:42 PM

DK

“ Diana Kies lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



Diana Kies - April 03, 2021 at 08:39 AM

JG

“ *A very nice person, God bless! Jan and Roger Gilbert*



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**Jan and Roger Gilbert** - April 02, 2021 at 02:46 AM



“ *What a blessing to be in Spirit Lake's class of 1965. I was in awe how strong you were fighting your battle with cancer while working at Ace Hardware and taking care of your 100 year old mother. You will always be loved and missed.*



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**Constance Fontenot** - March 30, 2021 at 01:41 PM

AM

“ *Alan And Reba Munson lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



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**Alan and Reba Munson** - March 30, 2021 at 08:16 AM

EB

“ My deepest heart felt sympathy to you Esther. I have many memories of Pat over the years, going roller skating, gym classes, study hall, hanging out at the truck stop after a night at Arnold's Park, the good ole days. The day I ordered campaign posters, for Kenny running for Mayor and she told me she had cancer and her upbeat attitude about it. Pat will be missed by many, her infectious attitude and smile. You were Pat's rock, God be with you Esther, thinking of you , prayers.



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**Evalyne Evy (Hilliard) Billings** - March 30, 2021 at 12:21 AM

NE

“ We are so lucky to have known Pat and proud to call her our friend. Our thoughts & prayers are with her family.

*Marlyn and Nancy Ellis*

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**Nancy Ellis** - March 29, 2021 at 08:46 PM

BD

“ Bonnie V Duhn sent a virtual gift in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



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**Bonnie V Duhn** - March 29, 2021 at 07:57 PM

JH

“ *My Thoughts & Prayers go out to Esther and the rest of Pat's family. She was a wonderful lady and will be missed by many.*



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**JoLynn Harms** - March 29, 2021 at 05:52 PM

CL

“ *Charlene Lindsey lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



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**Charlene Lindsey** - March 29, 2021 at 05:37 PM

SR

“ *What fond memories I have from working with Pat at the Spirit Lake Beacon for several years from 1979 to 1986. Those were the best times with the best boss, the late and great Bill Beck, that anyone could ever ask for. She is probably resting comfortably with a pica pole in hand, laying out the next issue of something in heaven.*



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**Susan Reiser** - March 29, 2021 at 04:33 PM

DB

“ *What a wonderful friend to have. I will miss her and wish we could have gotten together much more than we did. So kind and thoughtful! God will be taking good care of her now!*

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**Dianne Yarns Brown** - March 29, 2021 at 02:36 PM

DB

“ *My sympathy and prayers to Pat's family.*

*Dayle Brooks*



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**Dayle J Brooks** - March 29, 2021 at 02:31 PM

DB

“ *Dianne Yarns Brown lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



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**Dianne Yarns Brown** - March 29, 2021 at 02:24 PM

BW

“ *Bev Wittler lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



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**Bev Wittler** - March 29, 2021 at 02:12 PM

KH

“ *Kae Hoppe lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



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**Kae Hoppe** - March 29, 2021 at 09:19 AM

PG

“ I am so sad to hear of Pat's passing. She was an incredible lady. She took such loving care of her mother Prayers to all of Pat's Family!

Love,  
Peggy Krayenhagen Gustafson

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**Peggy Gustafson** - March 29, 2021 at 09:11 AM

SR

“ Patty and I were close friends for many years before our lives went in different directions. We were still friends. We shared many laughs and tears over coffee or beer. You will always be part of my life Patty. We will all be together again on the other side.

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**Susan Reiter** - March 29, 2021 at 08:42 AM

LN

“ Lynne Niemeyer lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



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**Lynne Niemeyer** - March 29, 2021 at 08:09 AM

EO

“ Elwin And Florence Orwig lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



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**Elwin and Florence Orwig** - March 29, 2021 at 06:46 AM

RM

“ Aunt Pat you were one of the sweetest people I ever met. I always enjoyed our conversations. I will always hold you in my heart. Your smile was always so welcoming.

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**Rhonda Hilliard Meyer** - March 28, 2021 at 07:28 PM

MH

“ Maxine Huntsinger lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



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**Maxine Huntsinger** - March 28, 2021 at 04:33 PM

MH

“ Our hearts go out to Esther, can not tell you how sorry we are, Pat was a special person, never complained and always had her beautiful smile

*TJ and Maxine*

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**Maxine Huntsinger** - March 28, 2021 at 04:32 PM

GG

“ Georgette Giest lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



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**georgette giest** - March 28, 2021 at 12:53 PM

GG

*my thoughts and prayers to Esther and family ! Pat was such a wonderful caring person and had a heart of gold! she will be missed by all who loved her!*

georgette giesr - March 28, 2021 at 01:00 PM

CW

“ *CONNIE WYMER lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



CONNIE WYMER - March 28, 2021 at 12:46 PM

SH

“ *When I think of Pat I think of her her bright, sweet smile. She always had a kind word when we ran into each other. Rest in peace Pat.*



sandy haht - March 28, 2021 at 09:00 AM

SH

“ *Sally Haas lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



Sally Haas - March 28, 2021 at 08:36 AM

SC

“ Shari Hilliard Christoffer sent a virtual gift in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



Shari Hilliard Christoffer - March 27, 2021 at 10:36 PM

SC

*My Sweet, Loving Aunt Pat, you were the dearest and most caring aunt ever--- I will miss your hugs and words of encouragement. This world was such a much better place by having you in it. Now Heaven has gained one of the Best Angels ever!!! Love you & miss you forever. Please, give my Dad a hug ...*

Shari Hilliard Christoffer - March 27, 2021 at 10:47 PM



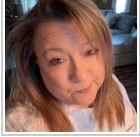
“ Pat can now spend Easter with Jesus!! A good person through and through. So sorry!!

Sandra Dau - March 27, 2021 at 09:42 PM

RC

“ Pat has always been an a very special person to me. Even though our paths separated years ago she has never been far from my mind. She has always been considered a real part of my earthly family in my prayers. Esther and Henry helped me get started in life and gave me their only daughter. My prayer is that God has opened His arms for her and all her pain is forever gone.

Ronald Coleman - March 27, 2021 at 08:56 PM



“ Aunt Patty has always had a special place in my heart. Love you Patty 💕

Pam Boylan - March 27, 2021 at 07:25 PM



“ Nancy Radcliffe lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



Nancy Radcliffe - March 27, 2021 at 05:18 PM



“ Julie And Parker Christenson lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen



Julie and Parker Christenson - March 27, 2021 at 05:17 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed Pat. What a kind person. Hugs and prayers to the family.

Sally Christensen DeLoss - March 27, 2021 at 05:11 PM

DB

“ *Deb Bockman lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



Deb Bockman - March 27, 2021 at 04:30 PM

FK

“ *Fred Kaminska lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



Fred Kaminska - March 27, 2021 at 04:21 PM

JB

“ *Jim And Annie Bauer lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



Jim and Annie Bauer - March 27, 2021 at 03:53 PM

AL

“ *Annette Louscher lit a candle in memory of Patricia "Pat" Ann Jepsen*



Annette Louscher - March 27, 2021 at 02:50 PM

NR

“ *Nancy Rees lit a candle in memory of Patricia  
"Pat" Ann Jepsen*



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**Nancy Rees** - March 27, 2021 at 02:29 PM