



Shirley Ellen Crawmer

February 26, 1958 - August 23, 2024

Shirley Ellen (Pieper) Crawmer, 66, of Spencer, IA, formerly of Jackson, MN, was born to Charles and Audrey (Rowe) Pieper on February 26, 1958, in Spirit Lake, Iowa. She entered her eternal life on August 23, 2024, at her daughter's home, surrounded by her family.

She was united in marriage to Marc W Crawmer on November 15, 1980. They had three children. Jean, Trin, Travis.

Shirley graduated from Jackson high school. She attended and graduated from Northwest Iowa community college in Sheldon, Iowa. In the electrical program. She worked as an electrician for KW electric and as electrical maintenance for Wildrose casino and Emmetsburg, Iowa. Retiring in April 2023.

Shirley enjoyed time spent with family and friends, especially at the infamous cousin's reunion. She loved relaxing at a good fishing hole and all things nature. Shirley is survived by her daughter Jean (Todd) Bredehoeft, Spencer, Iowa. Son Trin (Lindsay) Crawmer, Clarinda, Iowa. Son Travis Crawmer, Lafayette, Oregon. Grandchildren Dalton (Carly) Bredehoeft, Mercedes (Jon) Hegel, Tanya (Jacob) Vos, Cheyenne Manwarren, Zane Crawmer, Olivia Hayes, and Rebecca Crawmer, Special Granddaughter Krystal Luna. Great Grandchildren Reghan and Jamison Hegel, Wesley and Willow Bredehoeft

and Dean Vos. Father Charles Pieper Estherville, Iowa, Brothers Carl (Karen) Pieper Frazee, Minnesota, Bob (Lana) Metli Ault, Colorado. Sisters Carrie (Larry) Johnson Estherville, Iowa, Audra (Rod) Sowles, Brewster, Minnesota, Lorelei (Gene) Robinson, sister-in-law, Barb Pieper Windom, Minnesota. Godchildren Jason Beckman (nephew) and Kadee Newkirk (niece). Many nieces, nephews and fur baby Bailey.

She is preceded in death by Marc, Mother, Audrey Pieper, Grandparents, Dean and Viola Rowe, and Charlie and Ruby Pieper. Brothers Clancy and Hank Pieper. Sister-in-law Sheri and brother-in-law Scott.

The family would like to give a special thank you to St. Croix Hospice for their wonderful care given to Shirley.

A celebration of life will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at the United Methodist Church in Jackson, MN. There will be a visitation from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday at the church. Burial will be held in Riverside Cemetery in Jackson, MN. Arrangements are under the direction of the Robinson Funeral Home in Spirit Lake, IA. Online condolences may be left at www.spiritlakefuneralhom.com

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

Jackson, MN 56143

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 27. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

United Methodist Church
900 N HWY
Jackson, MN 56143

Celebration of Life

AUG 28. 10:30 AM (CT)

United Methodist Church
900 N HWY
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Tribute Wall

RC

“ I miss you so much you will always always always be in my heart I will miss you forever Grandma and I'm so sorry for everybody's loss



rebecca crawmer - September 28, 2025 at 12:44 AM

SZ

“ My deepest sympathy to Shirley's family & friends. So sorry Trin and Travis. Your mom was a pretty cool woman. My sister's friendship with her over the years kinda made me forget just how long I'd known her. I started at Stylecraft in late 1989, and I think she was there already. She will be missed by many. Rest easy Shirl!

- Steve Zittritsch [Z-Man]

Steve [Z-Man] Zittritsch - September 28, 2024 at 05:00 PM

BE

“ marc and shirley were good friends while the guys went to electronics school

bettyolesen - September 08, 2024 at 12:59 PM

LH

“ Sincere sympathy to Shirley's family - she will be missed by many. So enjoyed meeting and working with Shirley at the Wild Rose. Loved that she walked like she was always on a "mission" and she was!

Lou Ann Huberty - August 28, 2024 at 10:30 AM

DE

“ So sorry to hear this. As children my brother and sisters played with her and her brothers and sisters and the memories will always be there.

Donald & Judi Edwards

Donald Edwards - August 27, 2024 at 05:40 PM

MD

“ Shirley was an Awesome lady. Prayers being lifted for her family as they grieve her loss.



Megan Inman Dublinske - August 27, 2024 at 11:51 AM

KK

“ Kent And Jo Kastrup sent a virtual gift in memory of Shirley Ellen Crawmer



Kent and Jo Kastrup - August 26, 2024 at 05:54 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.*



August 26, 2024 at 04:47 PM



“ *Wild Rose Casino & Hotel, Jefferson purchased the Beautiful Whisper for the family of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.*



Wild Rose Casino & Hotel, Jefferson - August 26, 2024 at 03:43 PM



“ *Wild Rose Casino & Hotel, Jefferson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.*

Wild Rose Casino & Hotel, Jefferson - August 26, 2024 at 03:43 PM



“ *Travis & Kelley Dvorak purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.*



Travis & Kelley Dvorak - August 26, 2024 at 03:37 PM

TD

“ Travis & Kelley Dvorak planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.

Travis & Kelley Dvorak - August 26, 2024 at 03:37 PM



“ Sheryl McKeivitt lit a candle in memory of Shirley Ellen Crawmer



Sheryl McKeivitt - August 26, 2024 at 03:13 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.



August 26, 2024 at 10:38 AM

WF

“ Wild Rose Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.

Wild Rose Family - August 26, 2024 at 10:38 AM

LO

“ Travis so sorry to hear about your mom I'll be thinking of you on this hard day . Lori Beal

Lori - August 26, 2024 at 10:29 AM

MF

“ Marlys and Don Nolan and family purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.



Marlys and Don Nolan and family - August 25, 2024 at 06:35 PM

MF

“ Marlys and Don Nolan and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.

Marlys and Don Nolan and family - August 25, 2024 at 06:35 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.



August 24, 2024 at 09:50 PM

TF

“ Tim Mcknight and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.

Tim Mcknight and family - August 24, 2024 at 09:50 PM

MF

“ We are so very sorry to hear that Shirley has gained her heavenly wings so soon! Mike worked with her at Wild Rose for many years and we both enjoyed when she would stop to visit us after Mike retired! She was a great friend.

Mike and Carol Fogarty - August 24, 2024 at 08:23 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Shirley Ellen Crawmer.



August 24, 2024 at 05:59 PM

MJ

“ Our Oregon contractor friend, her brother Hank, admired her greatly and we met some of the family who came to visit and see the nice things Hank built here over the years. Sympathy and love ❤️ to the family- I know Hank cared deeply for you all and Bobbi here too. 🐝

Marge Jacob - August 24, 2024 at 05:19 PM

SS

“ Deepest Sympathy to the entire family, I was a High School Classmate in Jackson. Always fun to see at class reunions.

Sherrill Hakes Schutz - August 24, 2024 at 04:38 PM

DM

“ *I'm very sorry for your loss of Shirley. My deepest sympathy and condolences to you all. Many prayers to you all. I loved it when she would come to the laundry mat and do laundry. We would have quite the chat. I'll miss her dearly. R.I.P. my friend. Love you! Hug's to all.* 🙏🙏🙏❤️

Deb Mouw - August 24, 2024 at 04:33 PM