



Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood)

December 11, 1976 - December 21, 2019

Erin M. Ernst, (nee Rood), age 43 of Pierron, IL, died Saturday, December 21, 2019, at Barnes-Jewish Hospital (BJC) in Saint Louis, MO.

She was born on Saturday, December 11, 1976, in Highland, IL, the daughter of Robert and Pamela (nee Lancaster) Rood.

On Saturday, August 30, 2008, she married Jacob M. Ernst at The Falls, Columbia, IL, who survives.

She was born in Highland, IL. Grew up in Troy, IL and graduated from Triad High School, Troy, IL, in 1995. She received a Certified Medical Assistant degree from SWIC, Belleville, IL. She worked for Maryville Women's Center, Maryville, IL for the past five years. She and her family have lived in Pierron, IL, for the last seven years. She enjoyed raising her children, sports, camping and boating.

Survivors include:

Husband - Jacob M. Ernst, Pierron, IL

Son - Jakob R. Ernst, Pierron, IL

Daughter - Emma M. Ernst, Pierron, IL

Daughter - Avery M. Ernst, Pierron, IL

Parents - Robert S. "Bob" & Pamela D. "Pam" (nee Lancaster) Rood,

Troy, IL

Brother - Steven R. (Jenny) Rood, Troy, IL

Brother - Mark S. (Valerie) Rood, Jacksonville, IL

Father-In-law & Mother-In-law - Gary & Sherry (nee Miller) Ernst,
New Douglas, IL

Brother In-law - Brian P. (Trisha) Ernst, New Douglas, IL.

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in
Highland, IL.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Thursday, December 26,
2019, and from 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM on Friday, December 27, 2019, at
Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral Service will be at 10:00 AM on Friday, December 27, 2019, at
Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL, with Rev. Fr. Pat. G. Jakel,
Pastor, St. Paul Catholic Church, Highland, IL, officiating.

Interment will be at Highland City Cemetery in Highland, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to Family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Sweet Tenderness* was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).



December 26, 2019 at 09:50 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).



December 25, 2019 at 11:53 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).



December 25, 2019 at 08:41 PM



“ *Gabriel W Christopher* purchased the *Sweet Tranquility Basket* for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).



Gabriel W Christopher - December 25, 2019 at 04:23 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).



December 25, 2019 at 12:24 PM



“ We are saddened by such loss of a beautiful gal. We remember you growing up during the school days in Troy. Stacy & Tiffany Thomas are indeed saddened as their school age friend has been called way to early to heaven. God rest your sould & may your loved ones be strong during such a challenging time. We will all miss you Erin!!

Thomas Family - December 25, 2019 at 10:31 AM



I was a member of the Lancaster family for a few years in the 70s. I remember Pam and Bob wanting another baby for quite awhile then finally they were expecting!! I remember when they brought her home from the hospital and asked me to be her godmother at her baptism. Also she had such pretty blue eyes that almost immediately turned a deep brown. Learning to talk she pronounced her name “Ewin Mawie Wood.” Just random memories like sitting at Pam’s kitchen table and we started giggling at Erin sitting in the corner drinking a bottle in just a diaper. And how she worshipped her brothers!! I exited the family a few years later and completely lost track. Mark, Erin and I caught up on Facebook. She was so torn up bout losing her granny last December. Well they are reunited now. My thoughts and are with all of you. So unbelievably sad. Love- Linda Lancaster Horvath

Linda Lancsster Horvath - December 28, 2019 at 01:44 AM



“ You will be so missed by so many. Loved ya like a daughter hon

mama Davis - December 24, 2019 at 02:50 PM

MB

“ *Bob and Pam, my heart aches for you & your family. While I did not know your daughter, I'm sure she was a wonderful sweetheart because you two raised her. My deepest sympathy to all.*

Mary Bernasco - December 24, 2019 at 12:37 PM

MK

“ *Mike, Sherry, Andy, Toni, Bria, Tyler and Kristen purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).*



Mike, Sherry, Andy, Toni, Bria, Tyler and Kristen - December 24, 2019 at 12:05 PM

CK

“ *Charlie And Kathy Kelpel lit a candle in memory of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood)*



Charlie and Kathy Kelpel - December 24, 2019 at 02:55 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).*



December 23, 2019 at 07:30 PM

SM

“ I am so sorry for the loss. Way too young. May you rest in peace Erin. And many prayers for the family!

Sandra Myatt

Sandra Myatt - December 23, 2019 at 02:18 PM

TL

“ The Key family - Mike, Max, Jennifer, and Lauren purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).



The Key family - Mike, Max, Jennifer, and Lauren - December 23, 2019 at 12:37 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).



December 23, 2019 at 08:25 AM

AC

“ To all the family of Erin, my heart is heavy. You have my deepest sympathy and I will cherish the memories I have you sweet Erin forever. R.I.P. sweet Erin 🙏



Amanda Crews - December 22, 2019 at 08:10 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).*



December 22, 2019 at 07:00 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).*



December 22, 2019 at 06:55 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).*



December 22, 2019 at 06:07 PM



“ *I enjoyed watching you grow from a young girl into the beautiful woman, wife, mother and extremely wonderful friend that you are. Thank you for always being there to share not only all the laughs but the tears. May God bless you and your family. Rest now dear friend until we see each other again.*

Debbie Walsh - December 22, 2019 at 03:40 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).*



December 22, 2019 at 03:22 PM



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Erin M. Ernst (nee Rood).*



December 22, 2019 at 03:02 PM