



Sandra Moeckel

June 14, 1956 - March 20, 2020

ADRIAN – Sandra Moeckel, 63, of Adrian, passed peacefully on Friday evening, March 20, 2020 from early onset Alzheimer’s, surrounded by her family.

Born June 14, 1956 in Adrian, Sandy was the daughter of Richard and Helen Bennett, their precious gift from God. A 1974 graduate of Adrian High School, she married Brian Moeckel on August 25, 1978, sharing over 41 years of marriage.

Sandy filled homes and hearts with her laughter and joy. Welcoming others into her home provided invitation to experience her compassionate and loving heart. An amazing mother and wife, she willingly sacrificed and gave to no end, an example of Christ. Dedicated and committed, she loved the Lord and poured out her heart to the children of Bethany Assembly of God. Her warm friendship and beautiful smile remained with her until the end.

Surviving in addition to her husband, Brian, are her children, Allison Vandersteen and Brandon Moeckel; her mother, Helen Bennett, brothers Richard Bennett and David Bennett, and three grandsons, Caleb, Lucas, and Josiah Vandersteen. Sandy was preceded in death by her father, Richard Bennett Sr.

A Memorial Service for Sandy will held on Sunday, August 9, 2020, at 4:00 p.m. at Bethany Assembly of God in Adrian with Pastor David Bennett officiating. Following the Governor's executive order, all attendees are required to wear a proper face covering, with the exception of those under the age of five years old or those who cannot medically tolerate.

Memorial contributions to honor Sandy are suggested to Bethany Assembly of God, Children's Ministry. Online memories and condolences may be shared at www.WagleyFuneralHome.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

AUG 9. 4:00 PM (ET)

Bethany Assembly of God
2045 East US 223
Adrian, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Wagley Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Webcast in memory of Sandra Moeckel*

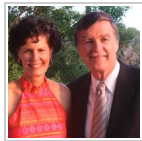


Wagley Funeral Home - August 12, 2020 at 02:33 PM



“ *Sandra Moeckel*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Sandy's passing, Brian. And I'm so sorry that it was during this time of social distancing, when it's so important to have the love and comfort of friends and family. Joe and I are praying for you and for all of your family.*

Nancy Oliver

Nancy Oliver Wanamaker - April 03, 2020 at 02:58 PM



“ *We were so saddened to hear of Sandy's passing. Please accept our deepest sympathy and we know she will live in your hearts forever.*

Vivian and Dan Dermyer

Vivian Dermyer - March 26, 2020 at 12:33 PM

BM

“ So sorry to hear of your wife's passing, Brian. I know it was a long journey for you both. My sincere condolences.

Beryl McHenry

Beryl McHenry - March 26, 2020 at 10:13 AM

BM

“ I will miss my Sandy - but only until we meet again in Heaven. Sandy loved Jesus, and loved people - and still does! I'll always be grateful for the opportunity we had to live with Brian and Sandy in 2016. I have many good memories, including delighting together in God's creation, especially the cardinals and hummingbirds outside, and lots of laughs. It's hard not being able to be with family right now.

Bonnie Moeckel - March 25, 2020 at 10:54 PM

BM

“ 1 file added to the album Sandy & Bonnie



Bonnie Moeckel - March 25, 2020 at 09:40 PM

DW

“ My deepest sympathy.
Choyce Quigley and Family

David Wagley - March 25, 2020 at 02:05 PM

MM

“ Dear Brian and family,
My heart was saddened when I found out that Sandy had passed and also by her diagnosis. I have many memories of being friends with her when I was in high school through David. Mike and I have many great memories of a bunch of us getting together for football parties and just fellowship, cookouts and it was always a blast. I'll never forget her laughter and contagious smile! Boy, I just can't get my mind around this. But I do know beyond a shadow of a doubt, that she is dancing with Jesus and I'm sure she happy to see her daddy. All our love and prayers,

Mike and Joy Martin

mike and Joy Martin - March 25, 2020 at 08:21 AM

JR

“ I met Sandy when she interviewed for a position at Vo-Tech. After the interview, I called someone Sandy supervised and asked about her. I was given a flow of enthusiastic praises for not only Sandy's work ethic and ability, but also for her accepting and loving way with people. It didn't take long to recognize that Sandy was that special and that words are too limiting to describe her kindness and zest for life.

*Rest in peace, Sandy. You are missed.
Joel Rodriguez*

Joel Rodriguez - March 24, 2020 at 06:27 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sandra Moeckel.*



March 24, 2020 at 11:15 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sandra Moeckel.*



March 23, 2020 at 08:29 PM



“ *My heart aches for all of you with such a loss. For Sandy , I rejoice that she is in the arms of Jesus! What a wonderful loving person Sandy has always been. I remember when our family first started attending Bethany, Sandy and Allison reached out to us and welcomed us. They continued to love on us and welcome us, not only to the church family but into their home. Sandy was always smiling and reaching out to others with the love of Jesus. So blessed to have known her and loved her. May you feel Gods loving arms around you at this difficult time. Love and prayers for all of you. Connie Potter*

Connie Potter - March 23, 2020 at 05:07 PM

DF

“ Many fantastic memories of fun and laughter with Sandy!! This one stands out when Brian came up to me and said Diane introduce me to her!!

That's all it took!!

Prayers are continuing for you Brian and family down here in Florida!!

Diane Feltman

Diane Feltman - March 23, 2020 at 03:12 PM

RS

“ I am thinking and praying for you Brian and your family during this time of loss and healing. You always had wonderful stories of your life with Sandy and the kids to share. May God bless you with love and peace in this trying time. Fondly, Roxanne Stringer

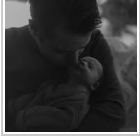
Roxanne Stringer - March 23, 2020 at 02:07 PM

SM

“ There is not enough space to recall all the memories shared with Sandy. She came to work at the Vo-Tech Center and changed my life forever. She brought me closer to the Lord and we spent a lot of time discussing our faith. We did many things together and laughed and acted silly and I will never forget her. It makes my heart so sad for what she has endured these past years and I have cried many tears. My heart is happy now that she is in heaven with Jesus and healthy again. Sandy, I love you and will never forget you. I can't wait to see you in heaven.

Sue McMahon

Sue McMahon - March 23, 2020 at 12:08 PM



“ Brandon,

Your mother was a wonderful woman. I was just on the phone with Daniel Brooks and we were remembering all the times we would have nerf wars in the dark of your basement or when we would play hide and seek around the neighborhood. Your mom put up with a lot with us in your basement or running around outside. She had the best snacks in her cupboard too. Oh man, the best snacks. As I get older, I realize the wonderful ability to open your house to people and your mom was so good at just letting us be kids. She always greeted us with a smile, talked with us and was so supportive of you and your accomplishments. It is not fun losing a parent so please know I will be praying for you and your family as you walk through this time.

- Ben McClure

Benjamin McClure - March 23, 2020 at 11:05 AM



“ Sandy was a good friend for many years, and a prayer partner. She gave me the most encouraging word God had given her about my husband's destiny. I remember the moment in her kitchen when she told me, and she still ministers to me. I'm so sad. Yet I know she is with Jesus, and I shall see her again, and we will rejoice together. Much love to the family, from Pastors Rich and Lisa Clay

lisa Clay - March 23, 2020 at 11:04 AM

TJ

“ Tammy L Jewell lit a candle in memory of Sandra Moeckel



Tammy L Jewell - March 23, 2020 at 10:57 AM

TJ

“ Sending prayers to Sandy's family during this very sad time . I met Sandy through Daybreak and what a beautiful friend she was . Her love for others was often shown even through Alzheimer's . Sandy , May you dance in Heaven like no one is watching .

Tammy L Jewell - March 23, 2020 at 10:56 AM

SK

“ To all Sandy's Family & Friends,

I am so very sorry for your loss! I had no idea that Sandy and all of you were going through this life challenging time. Though I haven't been a part of Sandy's in recent years, I remember fondly the times we spent together at Raisin Center. I remember the joy that Sandy added to each of those gatherings. Her smile and bubbly personality was a reflection of her honest faith, love, and caring heart. I look forward to meeting up with her again in the glorious presence of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. God bless us all and bring us His peace as we hope for our joyful heavenly reunion.

*All my love,
Sharran (Dull) Krueger*

Sharran Krueger - March 23, 2020 at 08:27 AM

JV

“ *Your love & reflection of Jesus
Your smile
Your laugh
Will always be remembered
Jim & Chrys VanEtten*

Jim & Chrys VanEtten - March 23, 2020 at 07:47 AM

GC

“ *During Sandy's time at Malone we roomed together. What a sweet, fun loving person she was... I had always thought we would reconnect someday. So sorry we didn't. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Gale Hatcher Carner*

Gale Carner - March 23, 2020 at 04:49 AM

RR

I fondly remember Sandy, meeting her at Malone College and going up to Michigan many times to spend time with her and her family. I remember when she met Brian, and how she glowed when she talked about him. She was so kind, and loving and her deep faith was so evident in everything she did. We lost touch after her wedding and touched base a few years ago. My heart goes out to her family and I will be praying for you all. Ruth Herbert Ridley.

Ruth Ridley - March 24, 2020 at 09:35 PM

 Karen Mitchell

“ *God picked another beautiful flower for His treasured bouquet. So glad she is with Him and now has peace and total healing. Gone but not forgotten. Karen and Terry Mitchell*

Karen Mitchell - March 23, 2020 at 03:39 AM

CW

“ Sandy encouraged me to live a Godly lifestyle. She was my confidant for many years. She loved my daughter as her own. She was a good cook and loved to have us over for lunch. Her love for children was evident. Her creativity and gentleness for children was overwhelmingly beautiful. Thank you sweetie for befriending my family. Till we meet again...Heaven bound.

Cindy Williams - March 23, 2020 at 02:23 AM

JW

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Sandy was always a bright cheerful person, she will be missed. *hug*
Jerry and Jackie Waldfogel

j Waldfogel - March 23, 2020 at 12:02 AM

CP

We moved away from Michigan before Sandy's illness became severe, and saw her for the last time at Nicholas Wilson's wedding where she embraced life with a spontaneous, childlike joy. I carry a mental snapshot of her from that event and only imagine she is embracing heaven with the same passion and exhilaration as she did at the wedding reception. May Our Lord comfort her friends and family during this tragic time of loss as we all look forward to that great heavenly reunion.

Cheryl Pickford - March 23, 2020 at 10:54 AM

 Laurie Mohler

“ I'm so sorry to learn of your passing, Sandy. I know you are fully restored and dancing with our Jesus, surrounded by loved ones who have gone before. Even though I haven't seen you in many years I remember being delighted by your joy, infectious laughter, kindness and generosity. I was so glad you found a lifelong partner in my old friend Brian. Cheers to you Sandy, as you celebrate new life! - Laurie (Wotring) Mohler

Laurie Mohler - March 22, 2020 at 11:27 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sandra Moeckel.*



March 22, 2020 at 07:47 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sandra Moeckel.*



March 22, 2020 at 06:26 PM



“ *Sandy was one of the most wonderful people I ever knew. Praying for all of you especially Allison, Brandon and Brian*

Betty Griffith - March 22, 2020 at 04:05 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Sandra Moeckel.*



March 22, 2020 at 03:34 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Sandra Moeckel.*



March 22, 2020 at 03:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sandra Moeckel.*



March 22, 2020 at 02:01 PM



“ *A special friend that I met at DayBreak. We danced and we laughed. Rest In Peace dear Sandy. Thinking of you, Brian and your family, and praying you will be comforted and find peace from family, friends and God.*
Connie Graf

Connie Graf - March 22, 2020 at 01:37 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sandra Moeckel.*



March 22, 2020 at 12:54 PM