



JaNae Eggert

June 29, 1957 - August 25, 2012

JaNae Arlene Kunze was born on June 29, 1957 in Valley City, ND the daughter of Keith and Gwen (Martin) Kunze. She was a member of the Luverne High School class of 1975. Following graduation, she went on to Valley City State University. In 1979, she achieved her Bachelor's Degree in Business and Music Education.

On April 29, 1978, JaNae married Kerry A. Eggert at Wesley Acres Bible Camp near Valley City. They made their home in Valley City where she worked at Pamida. She opened Eggert Family Daycare so she could be at home with her children. She had been providing daycare for 32 years and was a major part of many children's lives.

Some of the things she enjoyed were going to craft shows, taking care of her flowers, and reading. Her life revolved around her family and the kids she cared for.

JaNae died at Mercy Hospital in Valley City on August 25, 2012. She is survived by her husband, Kerry; daughter KeriAnn (Chad) Lahlum; sons, Erik (Tracy) Eggert and Adam Eggert; granddaughter, Jadyn Eggert; mother, Gwen Kunze; siblings, Myron (Kathy) Kunze, Lori (Jay) Omdahl, Todd Kunze, and Daryl (Jody) Kunze; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents and father, Keith Kunze.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **29**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel
251 Central Ave. S.
Valley City, ND

Service

AUG **30**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Elim Evangelical Free Church
1141 9th St. SW
Valley City, ND

Tribute Wall



“ you and your unconditional love for your friends like Chandi are amazing. I am really amazed at how wonderful you are she is when you are together. It is a pity that you cannot come to Christ Church and spread your inspiration around here as our non-human friends have been completely unsettled by our continuing earthquakes. If I make it to England one day to see you and Chandi perform I will be happy to meet you and shake your hand. Watching your videos are so inspiring and bring happiness to our bleak days##imported-begin##Love##imported-end##

October 28, 2012 at 07:11 PM



“ KeriAnne and Chad, So very sorry to hear of the loss your your Mother. I send my comfort and sympathy during this difficult time. My thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Judy Sambrano##imported-end##

September 05, 2012 at 06:30 PM



“ So sorry to hear about your loss. Our prayers are with you.

Sorensen Family##imported-begin##Tammy Sorensen##imported-end##

September 04, 2012 at 08:26 PM



“ Kerry and family,

I am very sorry to be reading JaNae's obituary today. Kerry you have always been a person who made a great difference in my life. I think of you often and please know my family has your family in our thoughts and prayers.

Ed Steckler and family##imported-begin##Ed Steckler##imported-end##

September 04, 2012 at 04:44 PM



“ Chad & Kerri Ann

I'm so sorry to hear about your loss. Please know you and your family are I our prayers.

Brian and Alison Offner##imported-begin##Brian &alison Offner##imported-end##

September 02, 2012 at 06:17 PM



“ *Thinking of all of you during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Robni (Marler) Calkins##imported-end##*

September 01, 2012 at 12:48 AM



“ *My wife and I are sorry to hear of your loss. God must have called her to work at a much bigger daycare. She will be missed.##imported-begin##Dewey & Darci Magnuson##imported-end##*

August 30, 2012 at 12:03 PM



“ Gwen,
My prayers are with you in this difficult time. Hold on to all your wonderful memories. Thinking of you and God Bless you and your family.
Take care,
Fran###imported-begin##Fran Duffy###imported-end##

August 30, 2012 at 11:28 AM



“ Kerry and Family,
We are so sorry for your loss.
You're in our thoughts and prayers.
Sincerely
Connie and Irv Hone###imported-begin##Irv and Connie Hone###imported-end##

August 30, 2012 at 07:45 AM



“ Kerry Please accept my sympathies. Ray###imported-begin##Ray Scott###imported-end##

August 29, 2012 at 07:59 PM



“ Keri Ann and Chad, So very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time.###imported-begin##Ron & Tracey Dahl###imported-end##

August 29, 2012 at 06:59 PM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family in the difficult time. God is always there to comfort our needs at any time, lean on him. God be with you...##imported-begin##Monte, Penny & Hailee Peterson##imported-end##

August 29, 2012 at 05:41 PM



“ Kerry and family: So sorry to hear of your loss. JaNae always had such a wide and bright smile every time I saw her. My mother, Irene Clark, will surely miss her. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Marci Clark Koesterman##imported-end##

August 29, 2012 at 04:43 PM



“ Our hearts go out to the Eggert family; JaNae not only babysat my children she was the best second Mother any child could ask for. My children are richer for having her as a part of their life. We will always treasure our times with her. God bless from Darrell, Margie, Jeanie & Jody Ourenhagen##imported-begin##Margie Ourenhagen##imported-end##

August 29, 2012 at 11:05 AM



“ To Kerry and all the Eggert families and the Kunze families, please accept my deepest sympathy on the loss of JaNae. She was always smiling, always had time for a brief conversation. You are all in my thoughts and prayers during this time of sadness and sorrow.##imported-begin##Marilyn (Reidman) Geary##imported-end##

August 29, 2012 at 10:34 AM



“ We are truly sorry for your loss. May it give you comfort know JaNae is safely in the hands of the Lord. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time.

With Deepest Sympathy,

*The Fiebigers##imported-begin##Darlene Sather
Fiebiger##imported-end##*

August 29, 2012 at 09:31 AM



“ I did not know JaNae, but was a friend of her Mother, Gwen in high school. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.##imported-begin##Mary Jane Grotberg Billing##imported-end##

August 29, 2012 at 02:06 AM



“ Eggert Family - Words can not express the incredible sadness we feel by the loss of a wonderful woman. We are so thankful that we were able to have her in our lives the last 4 1/2 years & blessed that we had the wonderful care for our children that we did. We will always consider the entire Eggert family as our family!##imported-begin##Boyd, Rebecca, Kellen, & Cambrie Westman##imported-end##

August 28, 2012 at 10:24 PM



“ Our deepest sympathy goes out to all of you. My kids will never forget JaNae. They miss her so much. Thank You, so much for allowing us to be apart of your lives. Much love and Hugs.##imported-begin##Mindy Myers, Ashlyn (2) Braeden (8)##imported-end##

August 28, 2012 at 10:06 PM



“ I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. I worked at Leever's with KeriAnn & Chad many years ago. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this difficult time...##imported-begin##Louetta (Paulson) Hanson##imported-end##

August 28, 2012 at 06:30 PM



“ Kerry and family: We were shocked and so sorry to hear the news. I know both my parents have so appreciated having you as neighbors over the years. JaNae was such a great friend to my mother. She will be sorely missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Jan and Bob Klein##imported-end##

August 28, 2012 at 12:00 PM



“ We are so sorry for this huge loss in your family. Prayers, thoughts and sympathy to you all now and the long days ahead. She will be missed by so many people of all ages, as I know she touched alot of peoples lives.##imported-begin##Leah & Wayne Thoreson & family##imported-end##

August 28, 2012 at 11:38 AM



“ Eggerts,
Our time has ended w/ our Previous Mother, Grandmother,
Daughter, Friend and Care Giver. Has I have told my Kids "JaNae
loved all of them and God said to come home and take care of my
kids in Heaven." We will NEVER forget all the "precious moments
and memories" that she has given our family. We were very luck to
have her and you care for our children. We know that every moment
spent with them was like one of her own. We will deeply miss her -
her smile - her laugh and all the hugs and kisses.
Remember that "Life is not measured by the number of breaths we
take, but by the moments that take our breath away."###imported-
begin###Jason, Kirstin, Riley(10), Gavin(7) & Addy(2)
Gerhardt###imported-end###

August 27, 2012 at 10:49 PM



“ Prayers for all you guys! She was my babysitter for about 7yrs! She
was a very kind lady that is dearly missed by all of us and my
cousins that she babysat!###imported-begin###Tory Hafele
###imported-end###

August 27, 2012 at 08:15 PM



“ May God grant comfort and peace to you Kerry and family. It is truly
sad but the memories created throughout your lives will be the
guiding beacon to lead you through this difficult time. Blessed be
JaNae's memory.###imported-begin###Dale Johnson###imported-
end###

August 27, 2012 at 07:44 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Janae. I graduated a year after Janae from Luverne Public School. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. Another angel in heaven!###imported-begin##Brenda Gjesdal##imported-end##

August 27, 2012 at 07:21 PM



“ Hugs and prayers to you all in this sudden loss. JaNae was the singer at my wedding 35 years ago today at St. Mary's. JaNae always had such a kind smile. Her precious memories held forever in your hearts. With heartfelt condolences, Monica###imported-begin##Monica Kunze Mohs##imported-end##

August 27, 2012 at 06:36 PM



“ We are deeply saddened by JaNae's passing. She was our daycare provider for 7 years. My kids, now 16 and 14, still talk fondly of the time they spent in her care. She was a kind woman who loved her family immensely. Prayers and thoughts to your family.

Diana###imported-begin##Diana Anton##imported-end##

August 27, 2012 at 05:49 PM



“ My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to the family. JaNae was my son's very first daycare provider until we moved to Grand Forks. My thought are with you all during this difficult time and with each person that was touched by this wonderful hearted woman.

Angela (Cook) Bolonchuk###imported-begin##Angela (Cook) Bolonchuk##imported-end##

August 27, 2012 at 02:20 PM



“ *Eggert family and Gwen and family,*

Our deepest sympathy to you at this time. What a shock to hear. I have fond memories of JaNae, and how much fun to visit with her when ever I saw her. I think the last time I saw her, she was delivering the newspaper to my mother-in-law, Gilda Dreher, I was happy and surprised to see her.

You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely,

Carey and Beth Byberg Dreher and family##imported-begin##Beth Byberg##imported-end##

August 27, 2012 at 02:05 PM