



## Laura Langemo

October 4, 1980 - July 30, 2020

To say Laura was passionate about her career as a nurse would be an understatement. She loved everything about the human body, how it worked and why it worked. The aspect that she enjoyed the most was people's stories. It wasn't an uncommon occurrence for Laura to get home hours after a shift had ended because she had connected with a patient and just had to get the rest of the story or to find out how their story ended.

Laura was born on October 4th, 1980, in Carrington, ND to Swede and Judy Swenson. Her birth was a true miracle as Judy was told she was unable to have any more children. Laura lived her life believing that she was given life to help others and became a nurse to do just that.

Laura's first experience with nursing, at 11 years old, was changing her mom's PICC line dressings when her mom broke her arm and contracted a staph infection. In her essay for entrance to nursing school, she referenced that moment as the inspiration for wanting to become a nurse.

Laura met the love of her life, Chris Langemo, in Valley City, ND and they were married June 9th 2001. They moved to Flagstaff, AZ where Laura attended Northern Arizona University. She received her BA in Nursing, graduating with honors, as a registered nurse in 2005. Laura enjoyed camping on the Mogollon Rim, hiking the AZ forests and visiting the haunted mining town of Jerome.

After seven years in Arizona, Laura and Chris spent a year in Pittsburgh, CA before packing up and moving across country to Milford, VA. Laura began her

nursing career with Mary Washington Hospital in Fredericksburg, VA. Fredericksburg was the perfect location for Laura who enjoyed history. Frequent trips to Washington D.C. to visit museums and monuments, day trips to Civil War battlefields, and a weekend trip to New York City were all things Laura got to cross off her bucket list while in Virginia.

Laura and Chris returned to North Dakota in 2010 to take over the Langemo Family Farm. Laura continued her love of helping others with Sanford Health, first with labor and delivery in Fargo and later at the clinic in Valley City.

Laura's life revolved around her family. Her three children Aidan, Nixon and Corrigan were her world. Most weekends she could be found in a gym or a hockey arena supporting her favorite athletes. Making slime, coloring and building with LEGOs were her other favorite things to do with the kids. Each one of her kids is a perfect representation of her best qualities. Aidan got her sense of humor, Nixon received her passion and Corrigan represents her caring heart.

Laura's infectious smile and laugh will be sorely missed.

Laura is survived by her husband Chris, her daughter Aidan, sons Nixon and Corrigan and honorary daughter Destiny Swenson; her parents Judy and Swede Swenson of Valley City; brothers Ryan Swenson and Wade Swenson; mother and father in-law Tom and Kathy Langemo; brothers and sisters-in-law, Ben (Stacy) Langemo and Stephanie (Darren) Volk; grandmother-in-law Ethel Heckman; nieces Landry Swenson and Sydney Langemo; nephews Easton Langemo and Beckett Volk; and great niece Averly Culligan; as well as numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

A public visitation will be held Wednesday, August 5, 2020 from 5:00 pm to 6:30 pm with a time to share at 6:30 pm at Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel.

COVID-19 Social Distancing guidelines will be enforced with masks strongly encouraged. A private family memorial service will be held Thursday, August 6, 2020 at Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel. The family invites family and friends to view Laura's memorial service online Thursday, August 6, 2020 at 3 pm at <https://www.olivernathanchapel.com>

Memorials may be directed to: Valley Wealth Advisors, PO Box 997 Valley City, ND 58072, Payable to College Save - in memo please state Langemo Education Fund. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel, Valley City. An online guestbook is available at [www.oliver-nathanchapel.com](http://www.oliver-nathanchapel.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 5. 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM (CT)

Traditions Funeral Services - Oliver Nathan Funeral Chapel  
251 Central Ave. S.  
Valley City, ND 58072  
(701) 845-2414  
o-nchapel@bektel.com

## Time of sharing memories of Laura.

AUG 5. 6:30 PM (CT)

Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel  
251 Central Ave. S.  
Valley City, ND 58072

## Memorial Service

AUG 6. 3:00 PM (CT)

Online Memorial Service  
<https://www.olivernathanchapel.com/m/obituaries/Laura-Langemo/MemorialMedias>  
<https://www.olivernathanchapel.com/m/obituaries/Laura-Langemo/MemorialMedias>

# Tribute Wall

JM

“ *Judy, Swede and family. I'm so sorry for your loss. Words won't help heal your heart, but know you are all in many thoughts and prayers in these very hard days.*

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**janice mcintosh** - August 15, 2020 at 12:05 AM

LL

“ *Chris and family,*

*Julie and I send our deepest sympathy to you on Laura's passing. We are praying for you to have peace and the strength to go forward.  
God bless you all.*

*Larry Langemo*

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**Larry Langemo** - August 12, 2020 at 03:31 PM

MS

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I only knew Laura for a short time... she was my Lamaze instructor nearly 28 years ago. (My son is now 27.) And I never forgot her. I was so sad to hear of her passing. This is a woman that will be missed. God's blessings and grace to you all.  
Maxine Schmidt*

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**Maxine Schmidt** - August 10, 2020 at 03:08 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Laura's Memorial Service*

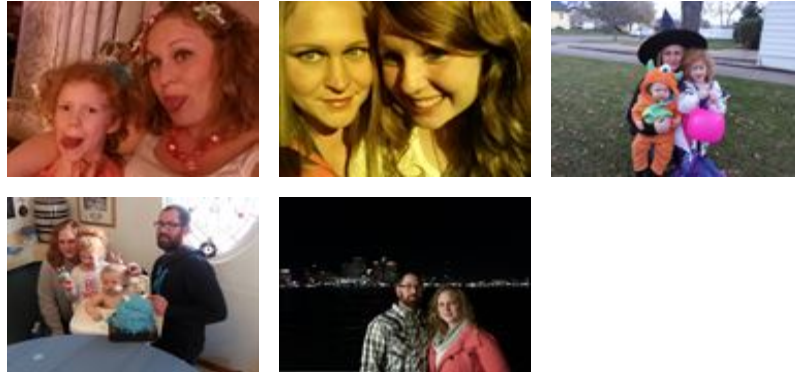


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**Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel** - August 06, 2020 at 03:14 PM



“ 87 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel** - August 05, 2020 at 03:23 PM



“ *Your Light Shines* was purchased for the family of *Laura Langemo*.



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August 05, 2020 at 10:06 AM

RK

“ We extend our sincere sympathy to the Swenson and Langemo families. Laura's obituary is a beautiful tribute to her care for her family and, as a nurse, her compassion for mankind! We are so sorry for your loss.

Richard and Clarice Kadry - August 04, 2020 at 11:48 PM

EA

“ Ellen Anderson lit a candle in memory of Laura Langemo



Ellen Anderson - August 04, 2020 at 11:45 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



August 04, 2020 at 07:42 PM

RW

“ Chris: Roger and I are saddened by the loss of Laura. We extend our sincere sympathy to you and your family. May the Peace of our Lord be with all of you.

Roger and Cindy Weisenburger - August 04, 2020 at 03:15 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.*



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August 04, 2020 at 01:06 PM



“ *Nix lit a candle in memory of Laura Langemo*



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**Nix** - August 04, 2020 at 12:33 PM



“ *Summer's Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.*



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August 04, 2020 at 11:48 AM

KL

“ Chris, I am so sorry to hear of Laura's passing. I realize that words don't do much to ease the loss you are feeling and no one knows what to say or how to say it, and to say my thoughts and prayers are with you sounds so cliché, but know that I have you on my mind and I am hoping for God's grace, mercy and love to be with you and your family at this time.

*Kevin Lahlum*

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**Kevin Lahlum** - August 04, 2020 at 10:39 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



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August 04, 2020 at 09:14 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray* was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



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August 03, 2020 at 11:09 PM

DL

“ Chris my heartfelt thoughts go out to you and the family. I remember the love you and Laura shared. Her visiting you to help set up your classroom, her coming to watch the Battle of the Bands and you traveling to see her on the weekends to Cali. God bless my friend.



Deb Lopez - August 03, 2020 at 10:45 PM

WS

Chris, our heartfelt condolences on the passing of your Laura. My favorite niece. Marilee and I are both heart broken over this sad sad time. Take care. Our prayers are with you.

willis swenson - August 03, 2020 at 11:04 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



August 03, 2020 at 10:15 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



August 03, 2020 at 07:09 PM

NK

“ I grew up going to school with Laura. My thoughts and prayers are with her husband, parents, extended family, and especially her beautiful children she left behind. May you find peace in the days and weeks ahead that Laura is in the arms of her Savior. God bless you all & keep enjoying those beautiful memories of her for years to come. 🙏❤️

Nicole E. Komrosky - August 03, 2020 at 06:06 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



August 03, 2020 at 05:52 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



August 03, 2020 at 05:14 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



August 03, 2020 at 05:10 PM

JT

“ Jen, Connor and Taryn purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Laura Langemo.



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**Jen, Connor and Taryn** - August 03, 2020 at 05:03 PM

CM

“ Dear Swede & Judy, and Chris & family,

*Words seem inadequate, but I want to express my sincere sympathy and care to each of you.*

*Charlene Myers*

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**Charlene Myers** - August 03, 2020 at 04:42 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



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August 03, 2020 at 03:04 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Laura Langemo.



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August 03, 2020 at 01:04 PM