

Jolsey Marie Pierce was born to Corrina Pierce and Darin Laber on March 16, 1990, at the Carrington Hospital in Carrington, North Dakota. Jolsey was baptized as an infant at the Nazarene Church in New Rockford, North Dakota. Jolsey's journey on this earth came to an abrupt halt and she died on July 11, 2024, in Fargo surrounded by family and friends. She leaves behind a legacy of kindness, creativity, and profound love for animals and people alike.

Jolsey loved butterflies, but not all winged insects. She was terribly afraid of bees and if you were riding in a car with her as the driver and she spotted a bee in the car, you were destined for one wild ride! Jolsey loved music and she liked it loud. Everything from rock to hip hop....even her grandparents' "old fogey music". Corrina enjoyed their drives together as they would listen to music and have heart to heart conversations. Jolsey loved cooking and would look up new recipes on her phone and make them. Some of them were delicious and some of them were....well, bless her heart, she tried. Jolsey loved art and she was a heck of a good artist. She could draw almost anything but animals and cartoon characters seemed to be her strong suit. She started developing this skill at an early age by coloring all over her great grandma Phil's walls with crayons...such big visions for such a giant canvas.

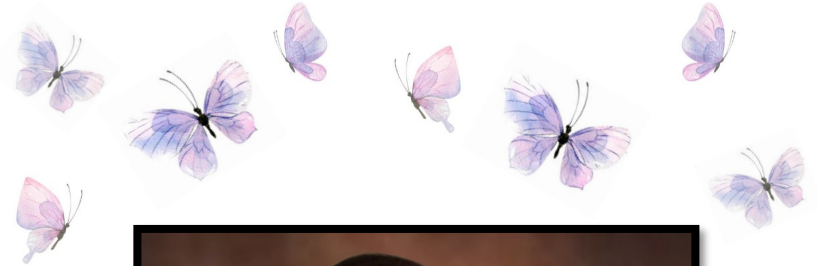
She was a child of mischief, once stealing her great grandpa's riding lawnmower and riding off into the sunset and also taking her grandma and grandpa's new Dodge Daytona for a test drive at the ripe old age of 5. Jolsey had a great sense of adventure and a great sense of humor. She loved to laugh and make other people laugh as well. She saw the good in everyone; in her eyes everyone lived on the same side of the tracks. She loved animals, especially her dog Raidon. Like Jolsey, Raidon loves adventure. Jolsey and Raidon loved to go for car rides together (the dog must've liked loud music too). Their relationship was one of trust and love and deciding on what direction their next adventure was going to be in.

Jolsey was more than smart; she was articulate, intuitive, and always surprised her mom with her wealth of knowledge. Jolsey was a hard worker and throughout her life, she dabbled at various kinds of jobs, some of those being a CNA, working at a bank, and housekeeping, but her favorite job was probably working alongside her very best friend, LaRae Sifuentes at the Loco Ketchup. People looked forward to eating at the Loco when Jolsey was working just to see her bright eyes and stunning smile. Jolsey loved makeup, Marilyn Monroe, and all things glamorous. She took pride in looking her best, but she didn't have to work very hard at it because she was gorgeous inside and out.

Jolsey is now reunited with her maternal great-grandparents, Mike and Phil Duchscherer, and Marvin and Marie Pierce; and her paternal grandparents, Marvin and Maryann Laber; and numerous aunts and uncles. Her spirit lives on in the hearts of those she leaves behind.

She will be greatly missed by her mom, Corrina; stepdad, Mark Boyer; her father, Darin; grandparents, Jerome and Carol Pierce; as well as many aunts, uncles, cousins, friends, and her loyal pup, Raidon.

In Loving Memory



Jolsey Pierce

MARCH 16, 1990 – JULY 11, 2024

When Tomorrow Starts Without Me

*When tomorrow starts without me, And I am not there to see,
If the sun should rise and find your eyes all filled with tears for me...*

I wish so much you would not cry the way you do each day...

While thinking of the many things we did not get to say.

*I know how much you LOVE me as much as I LOVE you,
And each time that you think of me, please know I will miss you, too.*

*But when tomorrow starts without me, please try to understand,
That an Angel came and called my name, and took me by the hand.*

*And said a place was ready, in heaven up above,
And that I would have to leave behind all those I truly LOVE.*

*I had so much to live for, so much yet to do.
It seemed almost impossible that I was leaving you.*

*When tomorrow starts without me, do not think we are far apart
For every time you think of me, I am right here in your HEART.*

Celebrating The Life Of

Jolsey Marie Pierce

March 16, 1990 – Carrington, ND

July 11, 2024 – Fargo, ND

VISITATION & PRAYER SERVICE

Tuesday, July 16, 2024

Visitation 5:00PM - 6:00PM

Prayer Service 6:00PM

First Lutheran Church, New Rockford, ND

FUNERAL SERVICE

Wednesday, July 17, 2024

10:00AM

First Lutheran Church, New Rockford, ND

OFFICIATING

Pastor Shirley Teske

MUSIC

Kerstin Allmaras ~ Pianist

Congregational Hymns

In The Garden ~ On Eagle's Wings

Recorded Music

Jealous Of The Angels by Donna Taggart

PALLBEARERS

Aaron Koeplin ~ Haiden Omoth ~ Matt Ystaas

Reed Ystaas ~ Maliki Kukowski ~ Shawn Marsaa

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

All of Jolsey's Family and Close Friends

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