



Patti Nelson

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Patti L. Nelson, 67, of Clinton, passed away, Monday, March 31, 2025 at her home.

A visitation will be Tuesday evening from 4:00-7:00pm at the Clinton Chapel Snell-Zornig Funeral Homes & Crematory.

Patti Lou Nelson was born on March 4, 1958 in Morrison, Illinois, the daughter of Dwayne and Lila (Reed) Nelson. She was a 1976 graduate of Clinton High School.

Patti was a case manager with the YWCA and also worked as a regional supervisor with the Salvation Army.

Patti enjoyed helping others, saving animals, and spending time with her family and friends.

Patti is survived by her children: Abbey (Dan) Estrella of Clinton and Eugene Gertson, III of Davenport, Iowa; three grandchildren: Javier, Elliana, and Isaac Estrella; her two brothers: Jeff (Sandy) Nelson of Sabula, and Gary (Gwen) Nicholson of Texas. She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother: Nick "Bobbie" Nicholson.

In lieu of flowers memorials can be made to the family.




Events


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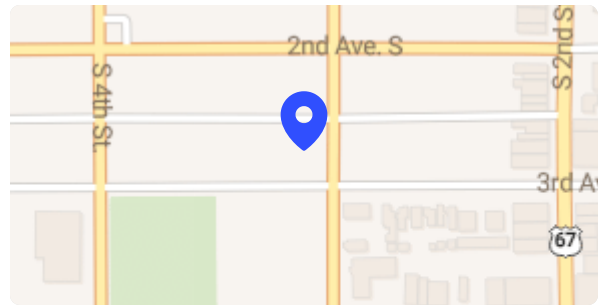
Visitation

 **Tuesday**, April 8, 2025

 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM CT

 **Snell-Zornig Funeral Home & Crematory,
Clinton**

302 Third Avenue South, Clinton IA 52732





Tribute Wall

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Linda Putman sent a Beautiful Heart Bouquet to the Nelson family.



April 7 at 4:17 PM



Brittany , Mycah & Mason Starr sent an Arrive in Style to the Nelson family.

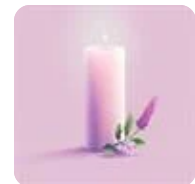


April 7 at 11:36 AM



Rhonda & Stacey Robertson lit a candle in honor of Patti.

Our deepest condolences to you all. Patti loved you kids adored grandbabies. We work at Mercy together. I'm proud to have been a friend and coworkers. Well done my friend say hi to Mom. Hugs and prayers for blessed soul gone home rest. See you again Patti cakes.



April 5 at 3:11 AM



Suzy Malone-Jacobsen April 5 at 5:09 AM

I do not ever not remember Patty.While her job at Mercy ,Patty would always be compassenet to her friends when she seen they were grieving.A beautiful Soal



Nicole Abbott Paulsen lit a candle in honor of Patti.

Patti and I worked together at Mercy. We had some interesting conversations over our time span there. She had a great sense of humor and a great big heart. I'm sure she will be missed



April 4 at 11:52 AM



Sue Mckenzie posted:

mom will be missed so much. so many great memories with her that im sure made her crazy. much love to abbey and gertie.

April 4 at 8:55 AM



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LC

Love, Missy Gema And Caiden sent an Arrive in Style to the Nelson family.

April 3 at 4:44 PM



TG

Taylor, Kenzee, And Kendall Graves sent a Beautiful Heart Bouquet to the Nelson family.

April 3 at 1:12 PM



SC

Sue Cieminski posted:

I'm not sure what to do with myself. I miss my friend so much! I can barely type this! My deepest condolences to Patti's family. Please know she was loved so much. Now she flies high above us. Watching over us all. Rest in peace my dear friend. I miss you beyond belief! Hoping to take you on my travels and sprinkle you all over this world. I'll never stop talking about you! Sue

April 3 at 10:42 AM

TG

Todd Godat posted:

I first met Patty when she worked at big tenmark across the street from the Clinton Police department the jail she was a cool chick she made quick friends with me always enjoyed her company wherever I seen her at rest in peace Patti I'm going to miss you old girl

April 3 at 10:35 AM

DV

Deb Vilmont posted:

Rest easy and fly high sweet Patti. You were such a genuine soul. All of your support with people of any walk of life, and the care you gave to animals, will live on with your memory. Prayers for all of your friends and family...

April 3 at 8:47 AM



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Kim Willis lit a candle in honor of Patti.

Rest in Peace Patti. I will always remember all the things you did for everyone. Thank you for helping WTH the mental health other peoples benefits, finding places for people to live, the homeless and all the list animals. You will sadly be missed beyond measure.



April 3 at 8:35 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Patti by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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