



Sandy Stephan

April 28, 1960 - July 30, 2017

Stephan, Sandy, unexpectedly July 30, 2017 age 57 of Plymouth. Beloved wife of Mike. Loving mother of Allie Stephan, Joe Stephan, and Jake Stephan. Dear sister of Greg (Virginia) Watkins, and Scott (Megan) Watkins. Also survived by seven nieces and nephews. Sandy started her career as a Cardiac Nurse at U of M Hospitals, in Ann Arbor and Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston. She then devoted her time as a full-time mom raising their three children. Sandy was a very active community volunteer, helping with many different activities, including the Plymouth Community Arts Council, Educational Excellence Foundation, and the culinary arts program at the local high school. The family will gather with friends Sunday, August 6th from 1-3:30 PM with a 2 PM Memorial Service at Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 W. Ann Arbor Rd., (between Sheldon & Beck) Plymouth. Following the gathering at the funeral home, everyone is invited to join the family and Sandy's neighbors for a reception at the family home beginning at 3:30 PM. Memorial contributions may be made to Plymouth Salvation Army, 9451 South Main Street, Plymouth, MI 48170. To share a memory, please use the Share a Memory tab on this web page.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

AUG 6. 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Vermeulen-Sajewski Funeral Home Plymouth
46401 Ann Arbor Road West
Plymouth, MI 48170
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Tribute Wall



“ *Sandy Stephan*

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ *So sorry to hear this news. Sandy always had a smile for everyone. A great lady.*
Johanna Mills

Johanna Mills - August 15, 2017 at 01:34 PM



“ *Much love, The Berinti Family purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Sandy Stephan.*



Much love, The Berinti Family - August 06, 2017 at 09:14 AM



“ *Sandy will always hold a beautiful, loving space in my heart. We sat through what feels like hundreds of LAX games and Steelers football games. We carpoled the boys around and had each others' backs while parenting through the teenage "nail biting" years. Sandy was always honest, supportive and loved to laugh. That laugh...I will miss that wonderful laugh. My love and condolences to Mike, Allie, Joe and Jake. She adored you all with her whole heart. Peace, Colleen Smyth*

Colleen Smyth - August 04, 2017 at 07:47 PM

SE

“ Mike, Allie, Joe, Jake:

Our sympathy. We will miss Sandy, a lot.

Sue and Drew

Sue and Drew Egleston - August 04, 2017 at 03:11 PM

KA

“ Keith, Kendra, Kay and Sherri / Love always
*purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for
the family of Sandy Stephan.*



Keith, Kendra, Kay and Sherri / Love always - August 04,
2017 at 09:08 AM

SH

“ *Sandy will be forever be present in our hearts and minds.*

In Loving Memory- The Howies

Sherri Howie - August 04, 2017 at 08:14 AM

FF

“ *So many wonderful memories of Sandy. What an uplifting gem of a
person! Such fun memories of soccer fun with her on trips. What we
loved best about her was her deep love and solid support of her
family and friends. Will miss her sparkling eyes and infectious and
wonderful laugh.*

Furgason Family - August 03, 2017 at 01:20 PM



“ *With Deepest Sympathy Gift Basket was purchased for the family of Sandy Stephan.*



August 03, 2017 at 11:30 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Sandy Stephan.*



August 03, 2017 at 11:27 AM



“ *As so many have and will continue to say - her wonderful laugh, her gorgeous smile, her big blue eyes, her warmth to all -- will be so missed -- As one of her "across the street neighbors" from Day 1 -- we miss her already. Love, hugs, and prayers for Mike, Allie, Joe, and Jake.*

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*With Love,
Mike and Debbie Grimm*

Debbie Grimm - August 02, 2017 at 07:27 PM

MA

“Mrs. Stephan was one of the most genuinely kind human beings I have ever had the pleasure of knowing. There was never a moment that I didn't feel welcome in her presence. Whether I was a guest in her home, or a passenger in her car on the way to lacrosse practice or a swim meet. Her warmth was constantly manifested in her contagious smile and therapeutical laugh, both of which have always been and will continue to be radiated through her 3 amazing children.. In particular, I have had the privilege of developing much-appreciated relationships with her sons Joe and Jake. They, as well as their sister, are ideal examples of what can be produced when 2 phenomenal humans such as Mr and Mrs Stephan come together to raise a family. The love that the entire Stephan family has shown their community for so long is testament to how simply wonderful a clan they are. My entire heart and capacities for love and appreciation are extended to the Stephan family during this difficult time. I have eternal gratitude for Mrs. Stephan and her family for being a consistent positive influence on my life and so many others.

Mason Amin - August 02, 2017 at 06:33 PM

GB

“Mike, Allie, Joe & Jake -- our deepest sympathy. We are all so saddened by your loss. Sitting on my deck this afternoon, it was almost like I could hear Sandy laughing as I did so often in the past when she was outside with friends or family. I will miss that wonderful laugh that would always bring a smile to my face. We all have our great memories of Sandy and I know your beautiful memories of her will help ease your sorrow.

Hugs, love and prayers...

Gloria, Sarah & John Bills

Gloria Bills - August 02, 2017 at 01:56 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sandy Stephan.*



August 02, 2017 at 11:09 AM



“ *Sandy was such a warm and inviting woman. Dynamic and kind, always had a smile for whomever she was engaging with. She will be greatly missed. Our deepest condolences to all of her family and friends.*

Jeanine & David Cole

Jeanine M Cole - August 02, 2017 at 06:52 AM



“ *Sandy was the wife of a chefs club member. What i remember most was every get together we had at the chefs club, i would hear her laugh above every thing else and i would move toward her table, just to be with her. Her laugh was contagious. And it was always so much fun being with her. I miss her already. She is in my heart! Barb mccormick*

barb mccormick - August 01, 2017 at 09:21 PM



We had such wonderful times watching our boys play Steeler football and the rivalry games during High School. Sandy was such a wonderful person to be around and we will always remember her laughter, huge smiles, and the fun we had during those times together. Big hugs to the entire family from The Stella's as you are in our thoughts and prayers.

RaeAnn Stella - August 02, 2017 at 08:05 AM

DG

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debbie grimm - August 02, 2017 at 06:59 PM

LC

It had been awhile since our girls had played soccer together and we shared many good times, however I had just recently reconnected with Sandy at the Olive oil shop, where her generous nature and wonderful laugh was still evident. To share a memory: once Sandy was describing a new apple she loved, a honey crisp, I replied I had never tried one. The next day a bag of honey crisp apples were on my doorstep. A small gesture grand in its generosity! Thoughts and prayers to Mike, Allie, Joe and Jake. Lori Carollo and Family

lori carollo - August 03, 2017 at 09:14 AM

CB

Two things I remember about Sandy during our days at Bird School and soccer were she always very kind and fun to be around. Our condolences to the Stephan Family. 🌹 Colleen Bouton & Family xoxo

Colleen Bouton - August 06, 2017 at 11:18 AM