



Jonna R. Rebensdorf

July 30, 1990 - September 20, 2016

NORFOLK -- Memorial service for Jonna R. Rebensdorf, 26, of Omaha will be held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, September 29, 2016 at the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk with Rev. Terry Buol officiating. Graveside service will be held at 1:30 p.m., Thursday at the Stanton City Cemetery. There will be no visitation. She passed away Tuesday, September 20, 2016, and the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk is handling the arrangements.

Jonna Ruth Rebensdorf was born to John Rebensdorf and Mary Hupp (Kilchenmann) at Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital in Norfolk on July 30, 1990 at 5:59 a.m. She was baptized on August 5, 1990 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Stanton. She was confirmed at St. Thomas Lutheran Church in Omaha on May 22, 2005 and has remained a member. Jonna attended preschool in 1994 and 1995 in Norfolk at the YMCA and St. Paul's Lutheran School. In 1996 she went to Montessori Victory School in Norfolk from K-3rd grade.

In 2000, her family moved to Omaha, NE. She then attended Millard Montessori from 2000-2003, Kiewit Junior High 2004-2005 and graduated from 8th grade on May 2, 2005 as an Honor student both years. Also in junior high she started her music career by playing the trombone in the junior high band.

In 2009, she graduated from Millard North High School in Omaha with a 3.5 Honor cord. She received the Presidents Education Award and Regents Academic Award to University of Nebraska at Omaha. She was involved in the following activities: cross country, track, Nebraska All-State orchestra, 1st chair orchestra-violin, Honor Chamber orchestra, lettered in orchestral music, lettered in school theatre and was a member of the Millard North Forensics competition team receiving many awards too numerous to list.

Following graduation in June 2009, she was recognized by Governor Heineman as a Nebraska-Ambassador of Music and toured Europe visiting 7 countries playing her Viola. In December 2012, Jonna graduated from the University of Nebraska at Omaha with a Bachelor of Art Cum Laude in Sociology. She was a member of Alpha Kappa Delta International Sociology Honor Society and held numerous board positions. Jonna also participated in the UNO Forensics competition team and went to Nationals for Dramatic Duo in 2009. From 2013 to present she was enrolled at University of Nebraska-Omaha working on her Masters in Sociology.

Survivors include Jonna's mother Mary and husband Corey Hupp of Rancho Mirage, CA, father John and wife Kathy Rebensdorf of Pierce, NE, sister Briana Rebensdorf of Fremont, NE, brother Brock Rebensdorf of Sioux City, IA, step-sister Cassandra and husband Jordan Widner of Wayne, step-brother Jacob Woslager of Pierce, grandparents John and Delores Rebensdorf of Wayne, NE, grandmother Joan Henn of Norfolk, NE, and grandmother Sue Hupp of Denver, CO.

She was preceded in death by her maternal grandparents LeRoy and Lois Kilchenmann, grandfathers Nicholas Hupp and Roger Henn.

Soloist will be Jordyn Giddings singing "Day Go By". Recorded songs will be "Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone" , "Be Not Afraid" and "On Eagles Wings".

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorials be made to the family for a future scholarship in Jonna's name through the University of Nebraska-Omaha.

Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

Events

SEP **Service** 10:30AM

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Stonacek Funeral Chapel - Norfolk
1200 N.13th St., Norfolk, NE, US, 68701

SEP **Graveside Service** 01:30PM

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Stanton Cemetery - Rural Stanton
83899 Nebraska 57, Stanton, NE, US, 68779

Comments



“ I had the pleasure of having Jonna in one of my Philosophy courses at the University of Nebraska Omaha. She was a delight and had a wonderful, creative intellect. I am so sorry to hear this sad news. My condolences to her loved ones.

Laura Grams - September 30, 2016 at 05:45 PM



“ On behalf of Millard North High School and Jonna's AP US History teacher I am so saddened to hear of this loss. Jonna was a valuable part of my APUSH classroom and a student who was so bright I could not forget her. It is unfortunate in my profession that sometimes the names and memories of students escape me. Jonna was so bright, so smart and such a great kid that her I never forgot. Please accept my condolences at this dark time. Millard North mourns the loss of one of its own.
-David Diehl

David - September 29, 2016 at 02:16 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Jonna R. Rebensdorf.



September 28, 2016 at 06:27 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers go out to John and his family at this sad time. From Dan and Kathy Blunck

Kathy Blunck - September 28, 2016 at 07:47 AM



“ Bright and Beautiful Spray was purchased for the family of Jonna R. Rebensdorf.



September 27, 2016 at 11:34 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jonna R. Rebensdorf.



September 27, 2016 at 07:41 PM



“ Mary, and Corey, and family: I am so terribly sorry to hear of the loss of your beloved, wonderful, Jonna. She always struck me as a very smart, accomplished young woman, who was also warm and loving.

I wish I could be in Norfolk this week, but cannot. My warmest thoughts and wishes for you all.

William J Walker

William J Walker - September 27, 2016 at 06:34 PM



“ Jonna was a beautiful girl who had a special love for music and was a very kind soul....you will be missed...thank you for being part of Andrea's life and ours.

Sylvio & Kim

Sylvio & Kim - September 27, 2016 at 09:01 AM



“ May the love of family and friends be of comfort to you during your time of sorrow. Our prayers are with your family. With sincere sympathy,
Kaye and Dennis Morris

Kaye Morris - September 27, 2016 at 08:18 AM



“ John and Mary, our prayers and thoughts are with you and your families. We remember Jonna as very fun and vibrant little girl, during the time Dawn had provided daycare for her when we were neighbors... Again our hearts go out to you in this time of sorrow.
John and Dawn Greve



John and Dawn Greve - September 27, 2016 at 07:38 AM



“ My deepest condolences to her Mother Mary & the entire extended family!



Brian Schlote - September 26, 2016 at 07:55 PM



“ Cindy Marr lit a candle in memory of Jonna R. Rebensdorf



Cindy Marr - September 26, 2016 at 12:20 PM



“ Mary, Corey and Bri: Praying the Lord will bless and hold each of you in His special way. Jonna's music is now a sweet sound to the Lord, and may she be at peace forever! God Bless

Cindy Marr - September 26, 2016 at 12:23 PM



“ Department of Sociology & Anthropology, UNO purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Jonna R. Rebensdorf.



Department of Sociology & Anthropology, UNO - September 24, 2016 at 05:32 PM



“ Jonna was a valued student in our department of Sociology & Anthropology at UNO. She completed her undergraduate degree, was working on her Master's degree, was a student worker, and an active member of our international honorary society, AKD. She organized our first student research symposium for university students in Nebraska, as president of the AKD. More important, though, than the roles she filled in our department, were the friends she made and the light she carried with her when she came into our department. She made many good friends here and will be missed very much. We send her family our warm thoughts and care in your loss of a wonderful young woman, Jonna. Mary Ann Powell, chair of the department.

Mary Ann Powell - September 24, 2016 at 04:26 PM



“ Tim, Kay and Emma Ward purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Jonna R. Rebensdorf.



Tim, Kay and Emma Ward - September 23, 2016 at 10:22 AM



“ I will always remember Jonna with her long beautiful blonde hair, a bubbly pre-teen, musically gifted and smart. Blessings to her family in their grief. She is now in peace, happy and free with God. Our deepest sympathy and prayers to Mary, Corey, Brianna and Family. Mary and Larry Nolte and Family.

Mary Nolte - September 23, 2016 at 08:34 AM



“ I'm not sure if you will remember me - I am Judy Lott - I knew you when I worked in Norfolk (in fact, we were neighbors at the Bel Air Apartments). I was so very shocked to see Jonna's name and I just had to reach out to you with my love and prayers for you at this heart breaking time. If you do remember me and want to talk to me - when you have time to breathe again - my phone is 402-694-4418. Please know you are in my thoughts.

Judy

Judy Lott - September 22, 2016 at 04:01 PM



“ Mary and Larry Nolte and Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Jonna R. Rebensdorf.



Mary and Larry Nolte and Family - September 22, 2016 at 03:56 PM



“ Jonna was a very talented young lady in so many ways. I remember playing the violin with her at Bob's, she taught me several things that day
My heart goes out to her mom and Corey and Bre and the whole family.
She will be missed by us all, and never forgotten.

Barb (Descombaz) Holan - September 22, 2016 at 11:13 AM