



## Diane C. Erickson

May 22, 1967 - March 30, 2024

NORFOLK – Memorial service for Diane C. Erickson, 56, of Randolph, will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, April 13, 2024 at the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk. Rev. Randy Rasmussen will be officiating the service. Inurnment will be held at the Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery in Norfolk. Visitation will be held 5:00-7:00 p.m., Friday, at the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Randolph. Diane passed away on Saturday, March 30, 2024 at the University of Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha. Stonacek Funeral Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Diane was born on May 22, 1967, in Norfolk, NE to Joseph and Donna (Palecek) O'Brien. She attended grade school in Norfolk and graduated from Norfolk Senior High School. Diane received her hair stylist license at St. Joseph's College and then went onto Wayne State College and received her Bachelor's Degree in Political Science.

Diane moved to Randolph and she worked at Monson & Hollway Law Firm at the time of her death. Diane loved spending time with her family, which included swinging on the front porch and picking out toys for her grandkids. She also enjoyed spending time with her significant other, Stephen "Spide" Shaffer, going camping and hanging out at the lake. She loved decorating for the holidays, reading, and keeping up with the news.

Diane is survived by her significant other of 28 years Stephen "Spide" Shaffer, her children, daughter, Elizabeth (Jesse) Olson of Bennington, NE; her son, Curt Erickson of Norfolk, NE; her son, Jason (Amanda) Erickson of Osmond, NE and their children, Aubree, Gunnar, Myles and Oliver; and Dana Erickson of Waterloo, IA and her children Olivia and Beckett her mother Donna O'Brien of Norfolk, her siblings: Shane (Andrea) O'Brien, Norfolk, Jolene (Don) Groninger of Norfolk, Joe (Malissa) O'Brien of Rosemount, MN, Lori O'Brien of Omaha, Jaci (Steve) Rydberg of Portsmouth, IA, Jennifer (Tim) Grashorn of Norfolk, and Sarah O'Brien of Norfolk, along with many nieces, nephews, and great nieces and great nephews. She is preceded in death by her father Joseph and aunt Rosemary Janovec.

Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at [www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com](http://www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **12**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Stonacek Funeral Chapel - Randolph  
107 E. Hwy 20  
Randolph, NE 68771  
(402) 337-2016  
info@stonacekfuneralchapel.com  
<http://www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com>

## Memorial Service

APR **13**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Stonacek Funeral Chapel - Norfolk  
1200 N.13th St.  
Norfolk, NE 68701  
(402) 371-7676  
info@stonacekfuneralchapel.com  
<https://stonacekfuneralchapel.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *My condolences to your family, may you rest in peace.*

Tammy Lewis - April 15, 2024 at 06:38 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Diane C. Erickson.*



April 12, 2024 at 04:42 PM



“ *Joe and Peri Schomaker planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diane C. Erickson.*

Joe and Peri Schomaker - April 12, 2024 at 04:42 PM



“ *Chelsey Lamb (Bloomquist) & Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Diane C. Erickson.*



Chelsey Lamb (Bloomquist) & Family - April 11, 2024 at 10:53 PM

CF

“ Chelsey Lamb (Bloomquist) & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diane C. Erickson.

Chelsey Lamb (Bloomquist) & Family - April 11, 2024 at 10:53 PM

YF

“ Your STRATCOM family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Diane C. Erickson.



Your STRATCOM family - April 11, 2024 at 01:49 PM

JW

“ John Walz purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Diane C. Erickson.



John Walz - April 09, 2024 at 12:43 PM

LF

“ Love, Connie and Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Diane C. Erickson.



Love, Connie and Family - April 08, 2024 at 02:29 PM

CS

“ So sorry to hear of Diane's passing used to work with her at CJ's at the Lake she was and awesome cheerful friend and will be missed God Bless you all

Carol M Schnebel - April 07, 2024 at 08:03 AM

LP

“ Lisa Pavlik purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Diane C. Erickson.



Lisa Pavlik - April 06, 2024 at 09:12 AM

LP

“ Lisa Pavlik planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diane C. Erickson.

Lisa Pavlik - April 06, 2024 at 09:12 AM

LC

“ Lara, Kit and Chris purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Diane C. Erickson.



Lara, Kit and Chris - April 05, 2024 at 06:26 PM

TO

“ Dear Donna and family, my heart was broken when I heard about the passing of Diane. I cannot imagine how painful this must be for you and your family. I am thinking of you and will continue to hold you in my thoughts during this difficult time. Love, Tracey Olson



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**Tracey Olson** - April 05, 2024 at 12:18 PM

SS

so sorry to hear about the passing of Diane, our thoughts and Prayers are with you all.  
Richard and Sharon Schnoor

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**Sharon Schnoor** - April 08, 2024 at 02:27 PM

BD

Dear Donna and Family. We are so sorry to read of your daughter's passing. You are all in our thoughts & prayers.

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**Betty & Don Dammast** - April 09, 2024 at 03:14 PM