



## JoEllen D. McCord

December 24, 1976 - October 29, 2017

PIERCE -- Funeral Service for JoEllen D. McCord, 40, of Pierce will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 4, 2017 at Stonacek Memorial Chapel in Pierce with Reverend Terry Buol officiating. Private Burial will take place at Prospect View Cemetery in Pierce. Visitation will be Friday, from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. at Stonacek Memorial Chapel in Pierce. Joellen died Sunday, October 29, 2017 at the Faith Regional Hospital in Norfolk.

The daughter of William and Marcia (Willans) Decker was born Dec. 24, 1976, in Sioux City. She attended Sioux City West High School and lived in Sioux City, where she worked at Barnes & Noble for 10 years. On April 6, 2014, she moved to Pierce. JoEllen worked at Earl May Nursery in Norfolk. She enjoyed gardening, reading books and helping people.

Survivors include her boyfriend, Pat Abbenhaus of Pierce; two sisters, Victoria Scott of Edenville, Wash., and Cynthia McNally of Denver, Colo.; a brother, William Decker Jr.; a niece, Beth Horstkotte of New York and three nephews, John (McKenna) Wear of Tacoma, Wash., Kendon Brawner of Lawrence, Kan., and Andrew Brawner of Lawrence. She was preceded in death by her parents, William and Marcia Decker; a sister, Meriel Brawner; and a brother-in-law, Russell Brawner. In lieu of flower, memorials can be made to the Northeast Nebraska Animal Shelter for JoEllen.

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



# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Stonacek Memorial Chapel - Pierce  
403 West Main Street  
Pierce, NE 68767  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *JoEllen D. McCord*

October 05, 2023 at 03:46 AM



“ *JoEllen was such a sweetheart. She was a self-taught horticulturist who could tell you all you needed to know on how to care for plants and trees. She would eagerly solve my gardening dilemmas or give out a cutting from her plants to send home with me to start a plant of my own. I will miss her. My sympathies to you, Pat, and family.*

**Doris Krueger** - November 08, 2017 at 09:55 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. She was a great neighbor who loved her gardening and flowers! My sympathies to the family and especially to you Pat.*

**Barb Oppliger** - November 02, 2017 at 04:12 PM



“ *Jo shared her gardening expertise with neighbors and was a very nice person.*

**Kim Sothan** - October 31, 2017 at 04:32 PM