



## Sharon F. Lienemann

June 9, 1965 - March 18, 2024

NORFOLK -- Funeral service for Sharon F. Lienemann, 58, of Pierce, will be held 10:30 a.m., Saturday, March 23, 2024 at Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk, NE. Officiating the service will be Reverend Bridget Gately. Interment will be at Prospect View cemetery, rural Pierce, NE. Visitation for Sharon will be 9:30 a.m. prior to service time Saturday at Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk. The service will be live-streamed on the Stonacek Funeral Chapel website at <https://www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com/obituaries/Sharon-Lienemann#!/PhotosVideos>. Sharon passed away on Monday, March 18, 2024 surrounded by her family at the Methodist Hospital in Omaha. Sharon died of complications of endometriosis cancer. Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk is in charge of the arrangements.

Sharon Fay Lienemann, beloved daughter of Arnold and Phyllis (Walmsley) Lienemann, was born on June 9, 1965, at the Norfolk Hospital, Norfolk, NE. Growing up on the family farm northeast of Pierce, Nebraska, she enjoying sewing, cooking, gardening, animals and was actively involved in the 4-H program and showing dairy cattle, livestock judging teams, and was a 4-H camp counselor. She was selected to represent Nebraska at the National 4-H Congress, a National 4-H Leadership Ambassadors, and a 4-H exchange student in Denmark. As the 1983 Nebraska Dairy Princess, she enjoyed promoting the agriculture and dairy industry. She was involved in community organizations and the Methodist church youth group. She attended Pierce

schools, participating in band, speech, served as the junior class president, and graduated valedictorian from Pierce High School in 1983.

She continued her education at Nebraska Wesleyan University, Lincoln, NE graduating in 1987 with a BS in Mathematics and minor in Chemistry with a dual degree graduating from Washington University, St. Louis, MO in 1988 with a BS in System Engineering. While starting her career, she became a licensed professional engineer and graduated with a Master of Business Administration (MBA) with an emphasis in Finance and Strategic Planning from Washington University, St. Louis, MO in 1993. She also graduated with a Master of Engineering (MEng) degree in Industrial Engineering with emphasis in operation research from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI in 1995.

During college she was active in student organizes and served officer positions in the Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority, Student Ambassador, honorary societies, and elected President of the student Judiciary Board. She was selected to be a congressional intern in Washington DC for the Nebraska United States Representative Doug Bereuter drafting medical and public health policy positions. She also was an intern at the Ralston Purina Company conducting pricing analysis. She worked at the Proctor & Gamble Company – Folgers Coffee, in Cincinnati, OH establishing risk forecast commodity buy plans.

Sharon started her 27-year career at the McDonnell Douglas / Boeing Corporation in St. Louis, MO as a project engineer optimizing advanced design of F-15 military aircraft. She continued to advance her career with the Boeing Defense, Space and Security Military Aircraft Division and took on several management and technical positions in St. Louis, MO and Washington DC to lead teams in strategic planning, technology transfer, global business development, R&D, and operations for the next generation of aircraft, helicopter, tankers, surveillance, and special mission products. She also

served as a manager with the Boeing Defense – Australia - Strategy Development Division.

She continued her career as Vice President of Business Information and Project Management at Mutual of Omaha – Financial Services in Omaha, NE. Most recently was a Senior Manager of Systems Engineering at Northrop Grumman Corporation, Space Systems Division in Omaha, NE.

Sharon will be remembered for her extraordinary kindness and friendships, warm generosity, and optimistic encouragement for all.

She enjoyed spending time with family and friends, playing with her nephews, traveling to national parks, Europe, and the Olympics in Sydney Australia, going to cultural and historical events, learning new craft techniques such as Swedish weaving and bobbin lace, sewing, baking, spring time planting new flowers and garden, and volunteering with non-profit organizations initiating science, technology and engineering with youth programs.

She is survived by her father Arnold C. Lienemann, Pierce, NE, sister Jana Lienemann, Elkhorn, NE, brother Dave and Beth Ann Lienemann, Pierce, NE with family Clayton and Elizabeth (Liz Wallace) Lienemann, Pierce, and Heath Lienemann, Pierce, and brother Timothy Lienemann, Pierce, NE with family Nicholas Lienemann and Andrew Lienemann.

She was preceded in death by her mother Phyllis (Walmsley) Lienemann, sister-in-law Faith (Young) Lienemann, grandparents John B (JB) and Lucile (Plummer) Lienemann, and Lawrence and Lenora (Gummus) Walmsley.

Hymns are “Spirit Song” and “Hymn of Promise.” Casket bearers are brothers Dave Lienemann, Tim Lienemann and nephews Clayton Lienemann, Heath

Lienemann, Nicholas Lienemann and Andrew Lienemann. Honorary casket bearers are her friends.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the 4-H Foundation, American Cancer Society, or charity of your choice.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Prospect View Cemetery - Rural Pierce

Pierce, NE

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 23.** 9:30 AM (CT)

Stonacek Funeral Chapel - Norfolk  
1200 N.13th St.  
Norfolk, NE 68701  
(402) 371-7676  
info@stonacekfuneralchapel.com  
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## Funeral Service

**MAR 23.** 10:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Stonacek Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Sharon F. Lienemann*



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**Stonacek Funeral Chapel** - March 23, 2024 at 09:16 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Sharon F. Lienemann.*



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March 28, 2024 at 10:22 AM



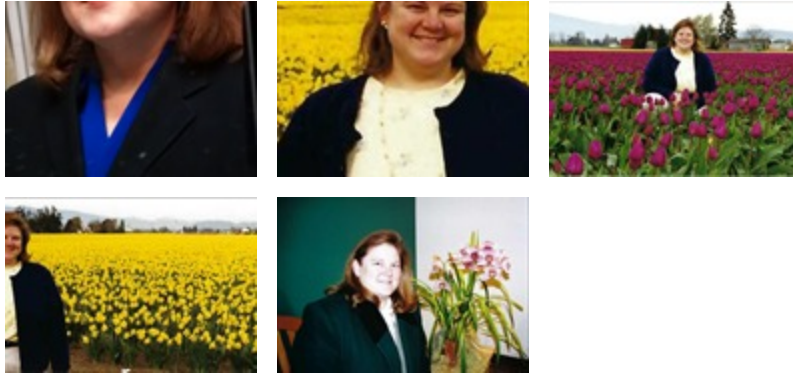
“ *UPRR IH&SE Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sharon F. Lienemann.*

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**UPRR IH&SE Team** - March 28, 2024 at 10:22 AM

JA

“ 9 files added to the album Sharon L



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**Jana** - March 25, 2024 at 02:14 AM

MG

“ Sharon was delightful to be around.

*After she transferred to DC, I managed to meet up with her a couple of times over the last few years while on business travel - she was always up for meeting for dinner, and introducing me to interesting corners in the DC area. I even managed to meet up with her on a chance visit to Omaha. We always had engaging and wide ranging conversations which I found enjoyable and sometimes educational.*

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**Mike Goodrow** - March 23, 2024 at 04:53 PM

CS

“ Sharon will be truly missed at NG. She always took time to see how I was doing. No matter how difficult the situation, she had a joyful demeanor and outlook. It was clear she cared for others. I will miss our late evening chats.

*To her family, I am deeply sorry for your loss.*

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**Catherine Steinbock** - March 22, 2024 at 11:12 PM

PD

“ Sharon was a wonderful person to work with. She will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers for her and her family!

*Pat Devereaux (NG)*

Pat Devereaux - March 22, 2024 at 02:07 PM

JS

“ This makes me so sad. I never know. I loved my interactions at work (NG) with Sharon. She was always so positive, pleasant. Always had a smile on her face and a nice word to say. Sorry for your loss.

Jennifer Smith - March 22, 2024 at 12:23 PM

BS

“ My deepest condolences to her Brother Dave & the entire family!



Brian J Schlote - March 22, 2024 at 09:04 AM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sharon F. Lienemann.



March 22, 2024 at 08:33 AM

KL

“ So sorry to hear this! I fondly remember Sharon at CWF, Congress, and so many state 4-H events. Not to mention egg judging! You two sisters were the best! May she rest in peace.

Kathleen Lodi - March 21, 2024 at 10:43 PM

TD

“ The Women of Alpha Gamma Delta purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Sharon F. Lienemann.



The Women of Alpha Gamma Delta - March 21, 2024 at 07:30 PM

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“ The Women of Alpha Gamma Delta planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sharon F. Lienemann.

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BR

“ Barb Birks, Joyce Hesskamp, Jeryl Rawson purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Sharon F. Lienemann.



Barb Birks, Joyce Hesskamp, Jeryl Rawson - March 21, 2024 at 12:18 PM

BR

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Barb Birks, Joyce Hesskamp, Jeryl Rawson - March 21, 2024 at 12:18 PM



“ *Sharon was a dear friend to our whole family. Her sunny, positive outlook, sense of fun and humor made for a lot of memorable moments. From being the little tag-along sister in high school to Pierce county fairs to Mardi Gras in New Orleans, Sharon was ready for any adventure and always had a quick come back that left us laughing. Sharon was like a member of the family in St. Louis, the kids always had a blast when she accompanied us to the Zoo, City Museum, Forest Park or came over to play, read books and pull them around in their wagon. Thank you for your friendship, you will be missed but never forgotten.*

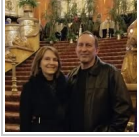
Connie Simmonds - March 20, 2024 at 08:46 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Sharon F. Lienemann.*



March 20, 2024 at 08:28 PM



“ I worked with Sharon for a number of years at Boeing and was always impressed with her intelligence, her quick grasp of a situation, her sense of humor and the time she devoted to giving back and helping others. She was a member of our theater group for many years. Most of us worked at Boeing and would leave work to meet for dinner and a show at the St Louis Repertory Theater. One thing we could count on was Sharon being 20 minutes late for dinner. There was always one more thing she needed to do. It was a great group and we truly missed her when she moved to DC. Rest in Peace, Sharon.

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**Joyce Hesskamp** - March 20, 2024 at 03:53 PM



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**Joyce Hesskamp** - March 20, 2024 at 03:37 PM



“ Sharon was a wonderful person to know. I occasionally had lunch with her and got to work with her a few times when she was in St. Louis. She will be missed.

*Mark Hartford*

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**Mark Hartford** - March 20, 2024 at 01:17 PM



“ Sharon has been my good friend for almost 40 years. We shared many interesting adventures, particularly when she was working for Boeing in Washington, DC. She was always ready to try a new restaurant or find somewhere off the beaten track to visit.



*She will be missed.*

*Jill Conlon*

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**Jill Conlon** - March 20, 2024 at 11:33 AM



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