



# Christina Brinkoetter

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**D**ecatur-Christina Brinkoetter, 47, of Decatur passed away at 10:50 pm Thursday March 24, 2011 in her home.

Mass of remembrance and celebration of her life will be at 11:00 am Monday, March 28, 2011 in Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church with Rev. Rick Weltin as Celebrant. Visitation will be 6-9 pm Sunday in Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church. Burial will be in Resurrection Gardens at Graceland Cemetery. In Lieu of flowers memorials are suggested to Land of Lincoln Credit Union for the education fund of Christina's Children.

Christina Brinkoetter was born on May 12, 1963 on Mother's day in Davenport, Iowa to Ann and her late father Charles D. Hawkins. She married Peter Brinkoetter on June 4, 1988 in Davenport, Iowa. She is survived by her husband, Peter, and her children Nathan, Nicholas, Audrienne, and Meredith. Christina is also survived by her mother, Anna Ludtke and step-father, John, her brother, Charles S. Hawkins and wife Sandy, grandmother, Elsie Roenfeldt, nephew, Colin Brinkoetter and wife Meleah, as well as many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, friends, and a very special best friend Barbara Schaab. She was preceded in death by her father, Charles Hawkins, and grandfather Charles W. Roenfelt. Christina also had many special friends who blessed her with their prayers and help throughout her life.

The family is being served by Moran & Goebel Funeral Home, 2801 N. Monroe Street, Decatur, IL.



## Tribute Wall

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TF

**The Thompson Family** posted:

We are so very sorry for your family's loss and we will surely keep each of you in our prayers. The Thompson Family Brady, Kam, Corey, Jada, and Ryane Decatur, IL US

March 30 at 7:00 PM

AG

**Amy Gagnon** posted:

I am so sorry to hear about Christina passing – my prayers are with Pete and the kids as well as other family members and friends. Forsyth, IL US

March 27 at 7:00 PM

SR

**Steve & Ann Richard** posted:

We are very sorry to hear of the loss of your wife, mother and friend. You have been in our thoughts and prayers. May God give you peace & strength at this difficult time. May Christina enjoy the beauty of God's presence now as she prays for you, and for all eternity. God bless, Steve & Ann Richard, Angela Teresa & Joey former music ministers at Lourdes Glen Carbon, IL US

March 27 at 7:00 PM

CS

**Cheryl Somers** posted:

Dear Brinkoetter family, So sorry to hear of the death of Christina; she was such a kind person and her love for her children was so apparent. You all are in my prayers. Cheryl Somers – taught Nathan and Nick at OLOL Joliet, IL US

March 27 at 7:00 PM

MB

**Mary Lou Boles** posted:

I was really sorry to hear about Christina. You have my deepest sympathy. Mt. Zion, IL US

March 27 at 7:00 PM

RA

**Ron Austin** posted:

So sorry to hear of your loss, Pete. We send our deepest condolences and pray that you will find strength and comfort through prayer during the difficult days ahead. Knoxville, TN US

March 27 at 7:00 PM



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LW

**Lindsey Walters** posted:

Christina was fun to work with and a very loving mother and wife. She will be greatly missed by all who had the opportunity to be around her. Decatur, IL US

March 26 at 7:00 PM

JB

**John F Boone li** posted:

So sorry for your loss...Keeping you all in prayer during this difficult time Monticello, IL US

March 26 at 7:00 PM

KP

**Kathy And Gary Pflieger** posted:

I want to express our deepest sympathy for you and your family. Remember her beautiful smile and laughter. We will keep you in our prayers. Decatur, IL US

March 26 at 7:00 PM

LE

**Lori Baugher Engel** posted:

Chris and I were both Sigma Kappas at the University of Iowa and quickly became great friends. She had a sparkle in her eyes and a love for life. We roomed together our junior year and she talked me into becoming a Delta Chi little sister. Because of that, I met my husband, for which I'll always remember her for and be grateful for. My deepest condolences to all of the family and you are in my prayers for His comfort and strength. West Bloomfield, MI US

March 26 at 7:00 PM

LA

**Lori Althoff** posted:

Thinking of you at this sad time. Will be lifting your family up in prayer during the next few days...you will be thought of often. God bless..... Decatur, IL US

March 26 at 7:00 PM

AC

**Alan Clark** posted:

You and your family are in our prayers. We are so sorry for your loss. We will continue to pray for all of you. God Bless Alan Clark Decatur, IL US

March 25 at 7:00 PM





## **Memories only last if you share them**

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