



Sydney Kathryn Carfine

January 23, 2002 - June 15, 2019

Sydney Kathryn Carfine, 17 years old, passed away unexpectedly on June 15, 2019.

She had a beautiful SMILE which was infectious. She had the biggest open heart to anyone who met her. She touched the lives of so many. She was a great listener, realistic, and knew exactly who she was. She excelled in the classroom and had a bright future in golf. Helping others through social work was her passion. Although her dreams of accomplishments were cut short, she would want those who knew her to always “just do you.”

Sydney was preceded in death by her maternal grandfather, Mike “King” Mieras. She is survived by her parents Mark and Jennifer Carfine; her maternal grandmother, Kathy Mieras; uncle, Mike (Julie) Mieras; paternal grandparents Joan (Vincent) Cucina; aunt, Denise (Bert) Savarese; cousins Robbie, Vince, Christopher, Kara, and Dana Savarese; great-uncle, David (Mary) Mieras; and many other extended relatives and friends.

“Favorite little girl in the whole wide world,” butterflies and flowers, sweet Bug. We love you more.....

(Location of Service has changed to Rush Creek Bible Church.)

A Celebration of Life will be held on Sunday, July 14, 2019 at 2 p.m. at Rush Creek Bible Church, 2334 76th Street SW, Byron Center, MI 49315.

The family welcomes memories and messages in their guest book online at www.cookcares.com.

Comments



“ Sydney was a one of a kind person. Although I live 2 hours southeast from her, she always stayed in touch and always was there to put a smile on my face. I really cannot believe that beautiful queen is gone. To her mother, Jennifer, you raised an incredible young lady. Thank you for bringing her into this world. She's in gods hands now I love you Sydney and miss you so much.

brendan balas - July 19 at 06:58 PM



“ I worked with Sydney at the movie theater. She was one of the people you would want to know if you were lucky enough to meet her. She laughed when she found out her grandfather Mike Mieras and her great uncle Dave Mieras graduated just ahead of me. She was so loved by all of us. Each time she walked by me at work, she'd stop and hug me. I'll cherish that memory. We miss her terribly.

Julianne Austin Hudgins - July 09 at 11:40 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Sydney Kathryn Carfine.



June 29 at 06:43 AM



“ I will always remember Sydney's smile. Maybe it's because her grandpa wanted her to smile! She was so positive and was truly the type of person that you got excited to see! I had the great privilege to teach Sydney, but she was teaching me things along the way as well. I miss her but I will never forget her! My sincere love and care to the Carfine family.

Jeff Caminiti - June 27 at 06:49 AM



“ So very sorry for your loss Jen. I remember Syd as this spunky little kid who loved to play golf in the Maple Hill Jr. golf camps. She and her little girlfriend would ask me to ride them up to the pro shop so they could get some treats. I also remember her last year at the golf camps as a wonderful young woman who had a gentle touch with the

young ones. I did not know Syd very well but she appeared to me to be a person who was raised to be a caring person by a mother who loved her very much.

Bobby Mac

Bobby Mac - June 27 at 05:33 AM



“ So sorry that Syd was taken from us way too soon. She had a smile that would light up a room and a personality that was second to none. Almost had a glow to her in the happiness and laughter she brought to those around her. We will miss her so much, and we will be hoping and praying for Jenn and the family to cope with this. Sending tons of love. - Andy Kitchen

Andy Kitchen - June 26 at 06:49 PM



“ Well I didn't know this beautiful girl well, but for hanging out in our days at Hidden Valley and our one epic trip to Harding's when I got to feel what it was like to have a daughter for an hour. (I loved it by the way. She sat so sweet in that cart and just chatted away with me, like we were long lost pals.) She was so easy to love. She was so special, and she was everything to her family. Thanks for sharing her with me, even for a moment.

Jodi Sevigny - June 26 at 01:03 PM



“ I remember her at Hidden Valley always seemed so happy. She was also so cute . My heart aches for you Jen and your family. Remember all the happy times. If you want to talk about her do it. It will bring a lot of comfort to you and your family. I personally know that helped me with my son Mark . Bless you and I'll see you July 14 . If I can do anything to help you please ask I loved all your family. Try to have a good day bless you.

Linda Seartout - June 26 at 01:00 PM