



## Janine Kay Emling

July 10, 1964 - July 10, 2018

Janine Kay Emling, 54, of Kankakee, IL, passed through the eternal gates of heaven to join her Dad, Gerald and Mom, Roberta and infant sister, Brenda Joy, on her birthday July 10, 2018 at Citadel Care Center in Kankakee, IL. She was born on July 10, 1964, in Kankakee and lived in the Bradley/Kankakee area most of her life. Janine was a consumer at KCTC of Kankakee for several years. During the last 4 ½ years, she lived in a Trinity Service group home in Wilmington, IL where she enjoyed life making many new friends and participating in the activities. Janine's activities included bowling, trips to the zoo, word search puzzles, and coloring. She loved stuffed animals and dogs. Holidays were spent with family which she loved very much. Her happy personality was reflected in daily life with mutual love between her and her family/friends. When physically able, Janine attended Calvary Baptist Church of Kankakee.

Surviving family members are five siblings: Kathy (Eric) Routson, Bourbonnais; Larry (Rayette) Emling, Kankakee; David (Leanna) Emling, St. Anne; Denise Betourne, Las Vegas, NV; and Steve (Laura) Emling, Phoenix, AZ. Also surviving are numerous nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles.

A memorial service will be held at Calvary Baptist Church of Kankakee on Monday, July 16, 2018. Visitation will be from 10:00am –10:45am with a Celebration of Janine's Life at 10:45am. Burial graveside service to follow at

Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Aroma Township, Kankakee. Pastor Scott Paisley will officiate. Memorial gifts may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley or Trinity Homes, 1197 South Buchana, Wilmington, IL 60481. Please sign the guestbook at [jensenfuneralhome.com](http://jensenfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 S 3000 E Road  
Kankakee, IL 60901

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 16. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

Calvary Baptist Church  
1925 South Schuyler  
Kankakee, IL 60901

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Janine Kay Emling*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *I miss you so much Janine, miss your smile when I entered the room, and you would always say to me Hell-o Kathy Lynn, you would always hug me and say I love you. I know you are in no more pain, and that Jesus is holding you, you are with mom, dad and Brenda but I still miss you so much. My heart and soul ackes for you but I also know I will see you one of these days then I can give you hugs and kisses, then I will hear you say I love you Kathy Lynn and I will say I love you Janine too. 💕*

**Kathy Routson** - July 14, 2018 at 07:32 PM



“ *I love you, Nini Kay! You were always so loving and didn't know an enemy. Your love of animals was wonderful! You always had a big hug for me when you saw me and loved to talk to me on the phone when your Mom & I talked. I'll always remember you from the day you were born! Tell you Mom, Dad & Brenda I said "Hi" and I'll see you all later.  
Love, Aunt Ev*

**Evelyn Hrusovszky** - July 14, 2018 at 11:50 AM

PD

“ Polly Davis lit a candle in memory of Janine Kay Emling



Polly Davis - July 12, 2018 at 10:51 AM

HM

“ I am sorry for your family's loss, Janine was a sweet precious woman. Helpful and a ready smile. See you in heaven Ja-nee-nee.

Holley Maitland - July 11, 2018 at 07:00 PM

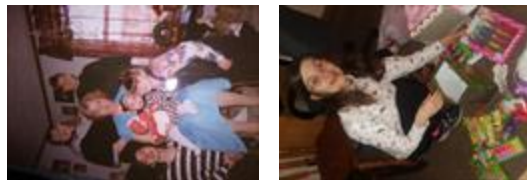
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“ My sweet niner she was loved so much. I will miss her so much. Love you Niny Kay Happy a great Birthday in heaven wit Jesus

Rayette Emling - July 10, 2018 at 10:00 PM

DB

“ My little sister had so much love for everyone that knew her!! I love u little sissy !! Always in my heart!! ❤️❤️❤️ R.I.H JANINE AKA NEENEE!! ❤️❤️



Denise Betourne - July 10, 2018 at 06:22 PM

PA

*So sorry for your loss sending prayers for the family God Bless Rayett and Larry  
Ms Pam*

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**pam** - July 10, 2018 at 07:33 PM



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**Jensen Funeral Home** - July 10, 2018 at 04:04 PM