



Rebecca May Contreras

September 11, 1984 - March 3, 2023

Rebecca May Contreras, 38, of Grant Park, IL, passed away on March 3rd, 2023.

Becky was born on September 11th, 1984 to Barbara (nee Dunn) and Salvador Contreras Chavez. She was the youngest of five daughters and one of 40+ first cousins from both sides of her family. She attended Grant Park schools and enjoyed playing softball and made many lifelong great friends there. She was a loyal Chicago Cubs fan, but that caused no loss of love between her and the love of her life, White Sox fan Eric Huisman. They met over a decade ago and together they built a beautiful family and home with their twin sons Benjamin and Brody, age 8.

Becky worked in the veterinary industry, most recently as a dedicated Client Service Representative at Lowell Animal Hospital. She shared an intense love of animals with all the dear friends she made throughout her career. She was an avid member of the Chicago French Bulldog Rescue and proud mom of her fur baby, Niko.

She leaves behind her husband, Eric Huisman and their sons, Ben and Brody. She also leaves her parents Sal and Barb Contreras, mother-in-law, Sue Huisman, her sisters Andrea (Roger) Baldwin, Melissa Contreras, & Amanda Contreras, brothers-in-law Jeremy (Jaclyn) Huisman & Ryan (Brianna)

Huisman, paternal grandmother Theresa Chavez de Contreras, nieces and nephews Chloe, Julia, Henry, Coleman, Gaby, Frankie, & Caleb, as well as a plethora of extended family members and close family friends.

She was preceded in death by her paternal grandfather, Ramiro Contreras Barragan, maternal grandparents Eldon & Dorothy Dunn, her beloved sister Cindy Contreras and her father-in-law Jeff Huisman.

Visitation will be held on Saturday March 11th from 10am to 3pm at Jensen Funeral Home in Kankakee with service and burial immediately following.

The Huisman and Contreras families extend their deepest gratitude for the outpouring of love shown to them during this difficult time.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 11. 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Jensen Funeral Home
3639 EAST State Route 17
Kankakee, IL 60901
jensenfuneralhomes@yahoo.com

Funeral Service

MAR 11. 3:00 PM (CT)

Jensen Funeral Home
3639 E IL-17
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-4001
<https://www.jensenmemorialchapel.com>

Burial

MAR 11 (CT)

St. Patrick's Cemetery
10516 E. 4000N Road
Momence, IL 60954

Tribute Wall



“ *Rebecca May Contreras*

October 08, 2023 at 04:39 PM



“ *Nancy lit a candle in memory of Rebecca May Contreras*



Nancy - March 31, 2023 at 08:09 PM



“ *Norman purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.*



Norman - March 10, 2023 at 07:56 PM



“ *Theresa lit a candle in memory of Rebecca May Contreras*



Theresa - March 10, 2023 at 05:01 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



March 10, 2023 at 02:49 PM



“ Beecher Learning Center purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



Beecher Learning Center - March 10, 2023 at 12:18 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



March 09, 2023 at 07:57 AM



“ Your TY Family purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



Your TY Family - March 08, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



March 08, 2023 at 01:46 PM



“ Jeff & Rosa Carroll and Lupe Carroll purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



Jeff & Rosa Carroll and Lupe Carroll - March 08, 2023 at 12:59 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



March 07, 2023 at 11:43 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



March 07, 2023 at 08:44 PM

SG

“ Stacy N Graves lit a candle in memory of Rebecca May Contreras



Stacy N Graves - March 07, 2023 at 07:50 PM

SG

God Bless you Mr. & Mrs. Contreras and family. My deepest sympathy.

Stacy N Graves - March 07, 2023 at 07:52 PM



“ Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.



March 07, 2023 at 03:30 PM

LH

“ I'm so very sorry -Such a huge loss to her boys husband , family, friends and all who knew her. Everyone loved Becky. She'll be greatly missed. My sincere condolences to Eric, Ben , Brody, her mom and dad and all her family and friends.

Lynne Huntley - March 07, 2023 at 01:13 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.*



March 07, 2023 at 12:30 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.*



March 06, 2023 at 10:28 PM



“ *My condolences to Becky's family & friends. Such a great , great loss. Becky always had a big smile and was kind to those of us that knew her. She lovingly cared for the many animals in her life. She will be missed so very much. KS*

Karen R. Silver - March 06, 2023 at 04:50 PM



My Condolences to Roger and Andrea.. Prayers

Eleanor Franks - March 07, 2023 at 10:33 AM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.*



March 06, 2023 at 03:58 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Rebecca May Contreras.*



March 06, 2023 at 02:54 PM