



Kelley Anne Staheli

October 2, 1979 - April 30, 2022

Kelley Anne Staheli (McCarroll) Departed from this earthly life on April 30, 2022. She was tucked peacefully in bed and surrounded by her family.

Kelley was born on October 2, 1979, in Belfast, Northern Ireland, to Thomas McCarroll and Roline Kelly. She had beautiful blonde curls, bright blue eyes, and the most kissable cheeks, (all of which followed her into adulthood).

She immigrated to America with her mom and younger sister Rebecca in 1993. Kelley's Irish heritage was a great source of pride to her. She often spoke of the day she would bring her son, Mikey, to visit the Emerald Isle. For this reason, her family has chosen to bring her ashes back to Ireland as her final resting place.

Kelley was an avid lover of nature. She loved to hike, feed the ducks, and learn about rare plants. From an early age she has been a fierce animal advocate and has rescued and cared for countless furry friends.

She always took note of the simple pleasures in life. A good cup of tea, a rainy day, and feeding her backyard birds, were just a few of her favorites.

Kelley had a strong relationship with God. In recent years her faith has grown exponentially and brought her a great deal of comfort through her heroic battle

with cancer.

She worked as a nurse at long-term care facilities. Kelley had a huge soft spot for the less fortunate and loved her patients like family. She was even known to visit them on her days off.

Although Kelley cared for so many others, the most important person in her life was her son, Mikey. At 19 she became a mother and from then on, he has been her whole world. Kelley and Mikey took on life together, as mother and son, and as best friends. They were each other's rocks, and he will always be her greatest joy.

Kelley's resilience and strength was extraordinary. Her life's journey of love, pain, recovery, and faith has inspired so many.

Kelley is preceded in death by her father, Thomas McCarroll.

She is survived by her son Michael Staheli, her mother, Roline Kapcsos, her sister Rebecca Bell (Justin), brothers, Shawn Kapcsos and Branden Kapcsos, nieces, Emma Bell and Ada Bell, and nephew Isaac Bell, as well as countless other family members, both blood and honorary.

We hope that you'll join us in remembering Kelley and celebrating her life on Monday, May 9, 2022, at 5:30 PM at Serenity Funeral home of Southern Utah. 1316 S. 400 E. St. George, UT 84790.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83578769882?pwd=WjRvMVVtb0FoV2EraHV6TEErZnVhQT09>

Meeting ID: 835 7876 9882

Passcode: 970999

The family would like to thank all that have supported and loved Kelley through her journey with cancer. Special thanks to, Dr. Lin and all the chemo nurses at Intermountain cancer center in St. George. Thank you for being so kind, gentle, and human. In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to her son, Michael's, future. Any donations to Kelley's Venmo will now be passed on to Mikey.

Irish Blessing:

May the road rise to meet you,
May the wind always be at your back.
May the sunshine warm upon your face,
May the rains fall upon your fields.
And until we meet again,
May God hold you in the hollow of his hand.

Link to view service click here <https://youtu.be/CktqBkmfC2o>

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAY 9. 5:30 PM (MT)

Serenity Funeral Home
1316 South 400 East A-5
Saint George, UT 84790
<http://www.serenitystg.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah created a Webcast in memory of Kelley Anne Staheli*



Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah - May 03, 2022 at 01:39 PM

TA

O my dearest friend we have had so many memories together you were the best and when we all grew up together all in school I am gonna miss you you have brightened everyone world with your smile and your heart

Tina strawhorn anderson - May 03, 2022 at 03:46 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Serenity Funeral Home of Southern Utah - November 22, 2022 at 01:17 PM

AS

“ *Alexes Smith lit a candle in memory of Kelley Anne Staheli*



Alexes smith - May 10, 2022 at 03:27 AM

AS

“ *I worked with Kelly at a care facility i will always remember how much she helped the CNAs when they needed help. Her smile lit up a room. Love u Kelly. Im jelly of the angels right now who get to be with you*

Alexes smith - May 10, 2022 at 03:26 AM

TA

“ *We sure are gonna miss such an amazing person Kelley you have always brightened our day may you rest easy my dear friend we all love you*



Tina strawhorn anderson - May 09, 2022 at 09:26 PM

NI

“ With fondest memories of dear Kelley who’s untimely passing has left us heartbroken.

Kelley and Beckey used to play in our home with Toei, Nicky and Simon and was always a joy, with a smile that would brighten any room. This followed her throughout her life.

We are fortunate to be left with so many wonderful memories of Kelly and her family in both Northern Ireland and Utah. We have reminisced about the many adventures we all had together and will treasure every memory.

Sending our deepest sympathies and love to Kelley’s family during this unimaginable time.

To Mikey we extend our warmest wishes in his time of sorrow and great loss, we hope to take care of you when you come to Belfast.

We are glad that so many people were able to tell her how much they loved her and what a difference she made to this world, she certainly made a difference to ours.

All our love,

The Fosters

Nicky - May 09, 2022 at 07:14 PM

AG

“ *I worked with Kelly at a couple of different jobs, one of which was the nursing home. I made friends with her and will always cherish her sweet spirit*

andrea gollaher - May 09, 2022 at 03:14 PM

MB

“ I never had the opportunity to meet Kelley in person but I know and love her mother, Roline. My thoughts and prayers continue for Roline and her family. Mama Mary

Mary Beaver - May 09, 2022 at 01:48 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Kelley Anne Staheli.



May 08, 2022 at 05:58 PM

LL

“ I worked with Kelley at a care facility she was the ray of sunshine at work always there to lend a hand go above and beyond the calling of a NURSE. Also, Kelley had a fun side we go out have some laughs that my fondest memory of her. Now the candle 🕯 lit for her eternal life, I will forever be grateful and honored to have her as my nurse and friend. I miss you so much Kelley fly high.



LisaMarie Lyngle - May 04, 2022 at 02:43 AM

TS

“ Tera Strawhorn lit a candle in memory of Kelley Anne Staheli



Tera Strawhorn - May 03, 2022 at 11:00 PM

AN

“ I worked with Kelley at a care facility for a few years and she was always so bright and so caring to the people around her. She will be greatly missed by many. Love you Kelley.

Annie - May 03, 2022 at 10:24 PM

FL

“ Kelley I remember you with your sister Rebecca coming to church (Rosetta Ward) in Belfast with your mum, two beautiful wee blonde girls never to be forgotten when you moved to America! I know our Saviour will be waiting there with his arms open wide, there will be no more suffering! At peace, safe in the arms of Jesus! 🙏❤️

Frances Lynch - May 03, 2022 at 05:18 PM

JC

“ Kelly,

You are home.

I will always love the little chats we had and especially about the Temple and what plans we had. I find myself coming across little thoughts during the day and reaching for my phone to send you what I am thinking. I will forever cherish the time we spent together and the meetings of course will always remind me of how much you came to love our Heavenly Father. The conversations of planning to go back to Ireland and see everything over there and how you wanted to take your son to show him where you grew up. I love you Kelly, you will be missed only in this Earthly realm though, as I am sure that you are now busy visiting relatives. I will look for you and feel for your presence every chance I get to enter the Temples and hope that you will be there at the Confirmation and Dedication of the new Temple and restoration of the ST. George Temple for I know that will be where I will feel you the closest, so until it is my time to return home, I will hold you close to my heart and in my memories keep.

Until we meet again.

James Cherry

James Cherry - May 03, 2022 at 04:23 PM

SK

“ *I loved living down the street from Kelley and Beckey. So many memories of sleeping endless nights in their home. Always so loving and welcoming. It's hard to believe life can end so swiftly, but I know she is surrounded by love. xoxo!*

shantell kaspar - May 03, 2022 at 03:53 PM

HL

“ Oh Kelley, the memories! I don't know which I love more us as irresponsible, wild and crazy teenage girls or us as responsible yet still crazy adults and moms. I'm glad that you got to meet my dad in this past while and boy did he take a liking to you. Maybe it was because he knew you in another lifetime (our teenage years)? He is very proud of you and loves you. You are amazing and I will always remember us, the 5 of us girls, together.



Heather Leitner - May 03, 2022 at 02:52 PM