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Amanda Rutz Obituary

Amanda C. Rutz (nee Snyder), 31, of Elyria, passed away unexpectedly Wednesday March 26, 2025. She was born July 2, 1993 in Elyria, was a 2011 graduate of Lorain Admiral King High School and served with the United States Air Force. She liked music, playing guitar and collecting pressed pennies. Amanda loved her children, animals and sharing Pokemon with her son. She was a member of Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, Elyria.

Amanda is survived by her husband of 8 years, Michael Steven; children, Noah, Mikayla and Evan Rutz; brother, Jerry (Madison) Snyder III; mother, Teresa (Tom) Adams; step-brother, Iain (Brittany) Adams; step-sister, Stephanie (Justin) Oviatt; nephews, Greyson and Asher; uncles, Steve Dempsey and Tim (Laura) Dempsey; grandmothers, Betty Dempsey, Darlene Handyside and Delores Snyder; mother and father-in-law, Rachelle and Michael A. Rutz and other cousins, aunts and uncles.

She was preceded in death by her father, Jerry Snyder, Jr.; grandfathers, Cecil Dempsey and Jerry Snyder, Sr. and step-grandfather, Don Handyside.

Friends will be received Wednesday, April 2, 2025 from 4:00 pm until the time of a 6:00 pm service at Dicken Funeral Home & Cremation Service, 323 Middle Avenue, Elyria with Lemuel Uliano officiating.

To send flowers
to the family or plant a tree
in memory of Amanda C. Rutz, please visit our floral store.



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AR

A Memorial Tree Was Planted For Amanda C. Rutz posted:

A Memorial Tree was planted for Amanda C. Rutz We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ the staff at Dicken Funeral Home & Cremation Service Join in honoring their life - plant a memorial tree

January 29 at 9:42 AM



Anonymous posted:

A Memorial tree was ordered in memory of Amanda C. Rutz. Plant a Tree

January 29 at 9:42 AM

ES

Expression Of Sympathy posted:

A Memorial tree was ordered in memory of Amanda C. Rutz. Plant a Tree Laura and I will always remember Amanda as a wonderful Loving mom and stepmom to all her children, She was also a Loving daughter to her mom Teresa and her stepdad Tom and a caring sister to her brother J.D. and his wife Madison. Amanda also took the time to be with her grandmother, who she called grannie, Amanda would spend quality time sharing weekley lunches and shopping with grannie not to mention picking up a hot coffee and bagel as a surprise in-between. All this just goes to show what kind of person Amanda was to all she loved. We chose to plant a tree in Amanda's honor in the hopes that it grows and flourishes in life as she did.

January 29 at 9:42 AM

IB

Iain And Brittany posted:

A Memorial tree was ordered in memory of Amanda C. Rutz by Iain and Brittany . Plant a Tree We are so truly sorry for your loss... No loved one should experience this kind of pain. I hope in time and through the love/support of everyone around you, your hearts will heal. Iain and Brittany

January 29 at 9:42 AM



Anonymous posted:

Purple radiance was purchased for the family of Amanda C. Rutz. Send Flowers

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KD

Kreig Brusnahan And Bob Dixon posted:

Jade joy was purchased for the family of Amanda C. Rutz by Kreig Brusnahan and Bob Dixon. Send FlowersOur deepest sympathy,Kreig Brusnahan and Bob Dixon

January 29 at 9:42 AM

OA

Olivia Avalos posted:

White designer's choice bouquet was purchased for the family of Amanda C. Rutz by Olivia Avalos. Send FlowersWe pray the love of God surrounds you during your journey through grief.Olivia Avalos

January 29 at 9:42 AM

L2

Lorain High School Class Of 2011 posted:

Yellow designer's choice bouquet was purchased for the family of Amanda C. Rutz by Lorain High School Class of 2011. Send FlowersPlease accept our deepest sympathies for your loss. Our thoughts are with the entire family during this difficult time. Amanda will be missed.Lorain High School Class of 2011

January 29 at 9:42 AM

MB

Mary Barker posted:

Small spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Amanda C. Rutz by Mary Barker. Send FlowersWe pray the love of God surrounds you during your journey through grief. Love Mary BarkerMary Barker

January 29 at 9:42 AM

JM

Janet And Joe Mandat posted:

A Memorial tree was ordered in memory of Amanda C. Rutz by Janet and Joe Mandat. Plant a Tree

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TF

The Sefcovic Family posted:

I would just like to express my condolences to the Snyder and Rutz Family on the unexpected death of Amanda. She was a beautiful soul and I'm sure she will be missed. Garry Dylan and I send our love and our condolences to you.

April 12 at 3:28 PM

TF

The Sefcovic Family posted:

Just wanted to send our condolences to the Rutz and Snyder family for the loss of Amanda. She was a really beautiful soul and I am so sorry that she died so unexpectedly, please accept my condolences from Garry Dylan and I, I hope that Jehovah gives all of you the strength and the love to get through this.

April 12 at 3:22 PM

EA

Elizabeth Arnold posted:

Sweet Amanda, I first met you many many years ago working at JC Penny in Avon. Even though you didn't remember, we had many conversations about your desire to be a minister and how much you loved your brother and mother. I was so impressed that at such a young age you knew what you wanted and weren't afraid to tell others. Years later when we met again, Your love for your husband and children was beautiful. I look forward to the future when where all all tears and pain are gone... Beth

March 31 at 6:00 PM

KS

Kim Sanchez posted:

Teresa and family, There are no words that can comfort you right now, but I want you to know that my prayers are going out to all of you..Much love to you my friend, Teresa..❤️

March 31 at 11:20 AM

TJ

Terri& James posted:

Amanda Cecilia, Words can not express how much you meant to Us. You were such a sweet soul. I have revisited all the memories we made from when you were little, growing up with my kids, we were family, I will miss you so much. Its not goodbye its see you later. love you Cecilia.

March 31 at 8:50 AM



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BW

Brenda Gooding (Willis) posted:

Teresa and Tom, JD and Betty and all that Loved Amanda my heart is breaking for all of you. my prayers and thoughts are with you all. she will always be in your heart and watching over you."Lord, we ask that you would wrap all of Amanda's family, especially her mom. in your loving arms and bring them peace in the midst of their pain. Grant them the courage to face each day, the strength to endure the journey, and the hope to look beyond the present sorrow and bring them Peace.
Brenda Gooding

March 29 at 5:55 AM

TD

Tim And Laura Dempsey posted:

We have so many memories of Amanda it's hard to know where to begin, We remember Amanda for being the most amazing, loving mom and step mom that any mother could be. Amanda was also a loving daughter to her mom Teresa and her stepdad Tom, Amanda was always there for both of them and only a phone call away. I also know Amanda loved her brother J.D. and his wife Madison, To me what also really stood out as a great memory to me was how Amanda loved her grannie, Betty, I remember how Amanda took the time to take grannie out to lunch, and of course some shopping trips, and as if that wasn't enough, the surprise coffee and occasional bagel was always so thoughtful of Amanda. To me, all this just shows how amazing Amanda was. We'll all miss her. We gave it much thought and wanted to plant a tree in honor of Amanda and as this tree grows year after year so will the great memories of my niece and all the family members who loved her.

March 28 at 8:05 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Amanda by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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