



Kelly Lee Babcock

December 29, 1978 - September 8, 2015

Kelly Lee Babcock, 36, of Pittsfield, passed away suddenly on Tuesday, September 8, 2015 at Berkshire Medical Center surrounded by her loving family.

Born in Pittsfield, December 29, 1978 the daughter of Wanda J. Lewis and Kenneth Babcock, she attended local schools and graduated in 1999 from Taconic High School. In her younger years, she was the winner of the D.A.R.E. Essay Report and presented the essay to the school. Following her presentation, the then State Senator Jane Swift started her speech with “This is the second time in so many months I have been upstaged by this young woman.” At Crosby elementary, she received a standing ovation for her performance in the school talent show. In high school she was a member of the drama club and worked with Shakespeare & Company.

She was employed for many years at her Mom and Dad’s business, W.J. Blueprint as the “Greeter Extraordinaire.” Previously, she was one of the last Candy Stripers at Berkshire Medical Center. In 1984, the Berkshire Health Systems had her picture featured on the front cover of their annual report.

Kelly was a proud voter. When she was ten, she could be heard instructing her grandmother in the voting booth as to who she should vote for and why. She was proud to be a participant of the Take Back the Night Vigils, and

volunteering for the United Cerebral Palsy Telethons. She enjoyed reading, playing UNO, Wheel of Fortune, being on her computer, NASCAR, but most of all, her dogs “her children”.

Besides her Mother, Wanda J. Lewis and her Father, Kenneth Babcock, she is survived by her DAD, Timothy Houghtlin, her Grandmother Frances Houghtlin of Pittsfield, her siblings, Nicole Babcock-Shartrand and her husband Jeffery of Hinsdale, Derrick Babcock and his S.O. Allyson Dunham and their daughter Brianna and his son Wade of Pittsfield, Keith Babcock and his daughter Elizabeth of Cheshire, her adopted sister, Sandra Martinez and her S.O. Mauricio Fuentes and their children Alyson and Alessandro of Las Vegas, NV, her adopted brother, Innocent Iddah and his daughter Jayla of Pittsfield, several aunts and uncles, cousins, friends, Doctors, beloved Nurses, Therapist and her devoted team of personal care givers.

FUNERAL NOTICE:

The funeral will be held on Saturday at 3:30 PM at the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield, MA 01201, with Rev. William Furey, officiating. Burial will take place at a later date in Pittsfield Cemetery. Calling hours will precede the funeral beginning at 12:30PM. Memorial donations in her memory may be made to United Cerebral Palsy in care of the funeral home. DONATIONS CANNOT BE MADE ONLINE, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **12.** 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM (ET)

Dwyer Family Funeral Home
776 North Street
Pittsfield, MA 01201
(413) 442-5094
info@dwyerfuneral.com
<https://www.dwyerfuneral.com/>

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ So sorry for your loss! Kelly will always be remembered as the light of WJ Blueprint. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

*Lin Schreiber
Central Berkshire Habitat for Humanity*

Lin Schreiber - September 28, 2015 at 11:01 AM



“ What a wonderful presence Kelly always was in the hum and strum of WJ's office!!
Always thought she was an amazing person who was so so well loved!

Our company sends its condolences, thoughts and hugs.

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Mitch Nash & your pals at Blue Q.

Mitch Nash - September 16, 2015 at 08:07 AM



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Dwyer Funeral Home Inc. - September 12, 2015 at 10:14 AM

LH

“ So sorry for your loss. Kelly was a remarkable young woman loved by so many. She will be missed by many. She inspired so many with her beautiful smile , love of life, love of family and friends. Heaven gained a beautiful angel. Fly high with your angel wings.

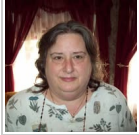
Lynne Howard-Mcguirt - September 12, 2015 at 06:39 AM

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“ Kelly, from Crosby thru Taconic I had the pleasure of knowing you. Your smile was contagious and always lit up the room. I have so many great memories of childhood and you are apart of them. Rest in peace.

-Aaron Belanger

aaron belanger - September 12, 2015 at 06:18 AM



“ *Deanna Morin lit a candle in memory of Kelly Lee Babcock*



Deanna Morin - September 11, 2015 at 02:19 PM



“ *Dear Cousin, even though we never got a chance to meet, just know you are in my heart and I love you.*
Lisa



Lisa Horan - September 11, 2015 at 08:27 AM