



Ms. Crystel Arnette Daugherty

March 9, 1967 - January 30, 2026

Ms. Crystel Arnette Daugherty, age 58, of Peoria, IL, passed away at 2:50 pm on Friday, January 30, 2026 at Carle Health Methodist Hospital.

Crystel was born on March 9, 1967 in Peoria, IL, to Wendell and Mardell (Hayden) Daugherty.

Crystel 1986 Richwood High School graduate. She worked as a Certified Nursing Assistant for nursing homes. Crystel was a breast cancer survivor and frequently participated yearly in Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure. She was a foster mom and like to cook and decorate her home. Crystel was a mother to all in the neighborhood.

Crystel leaves to cherish her most precious memory her mother, Mardell Daugherty of Peoria, IL; two sons, Dejuan Lancaster of Peoria, IL and Devon Willis of San Antonio, TX; one daughter, Fatime (Michael Martino) Daugherty; one brother, Carlos Daugherty and one sister, Aqua Daugherty all of Peoria, IL and a host of other relatives and friends who loved her. She is preceded in death by her father.

The family will have a memorial service at a later date.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences

may be shared at SimonsMortuary.com.

Tribute Wall

PW

“ *Pamela Webster lit a candle in memory of Crystel Daugherty* ”



Pamela Webster - February 26 at 10:32 AM

RH

“ *Rena Webster Horton lit a candle in memory of Crystel Daugherty* ”



Rena Webster Horton - February 26 at 10:31 AM

EB

“ *Emel Buckner lit a candle in memory of Crystel Daugherty* ”



Emel Buckner - February 14 at 11:03 PM

TP

“ *Tricia Pollard lit a candle in memory of Crystel Daugherty* ”



Tricia Pollard - February 13 at 08:44 PM

MC

“ I'm Marcy Cook Crystal was my best friend in high school we had all our classes together we even took the same swimming classes together she was just not a class mate she was like a true sister I'm truly going to miss that pretty smile continue to RIH my dear friend ❤️ ❤️ ☐☐☐purple was her favorite color



Marcy Cook - February 13 at 05:09 PM

RA

“ Renee Adell lit a candle in memory of Crystal Daugherty



Renee Adell - February 11 at 04:30 PM