



## Sarah A. Sutter

January 23, 1975 - April 6, 2026

Sarah (Reilly) Sutter, age 51, of Bourbonnais, Illinois, passed away peacefully at home on April 6, 2026, surrounded by her loved ones, leaving behind a legacy of love, strength, and unwavering devotion to her family.

Sarah was born on January 23, 1975, in Kankakee, Illinois, to Patrick and Peggy Reilly. She embraced motherhood early in life, always putting her family first. Though she never completed college, she built a meaningful and hardworking life. Over the years, she worked as a phlebotomist, an in-home babysitter, a patient scheduler, and later a claim specialist with Marsh McLennan. No matter the role, she brought compassion, kindness, and dedication to everything she did.

On July 3, 1998, she married the love of her life, Danny Sutter. Their marriage was one of deep love, partnership, and commitment. Together they built a life centered around family, supporting one another through every season. Danny was her constant source of strength, and Sarah was his heart. Their love was the foundation for what became a home filled with love, laughter, and resilience.

She is survived by her devoted husband, Danny Sutter; her three daughters: Haleigh (Tyler) Guertin and their daughter Navy; Maddison, her fiancé Shane Haas, and their daughter Rowyn; Molly and her fiancé Will Smith; her two brothers, Jeff (Chris) Reilly and Craig (Anne) Reilly; as well as several cousins, nieces, nephews, aunts, and uncles.

Sarah found immense joy in being a wife, a mother, and a Gigi—roles she

cherished above all. She had a deep love for her dogs and treasured time with her husband, children, and grandchildren. She enjoyed fishing, camping, and keeping a clean and welcoming home. After her diagnosis, she made a point to cherish the little things, often taking motorcycle rides with her husband and going hammocking—these moments together meant everything to her. She never passed up a sweet treat or a comforting cup of chai tea.

Sarah will be remembered as a fun, caring, devoted, passionate, loving, and selfless person. Her positivity and warmth touched everyone she met, and she had a unique ability to make people feel seen, supported, and loved.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Peggy and Patrick Reilly, and her brother, Adam Reilly.

Sarah's memory will live on through her loving husband, the family she adored, and the countless people she touched with her kindness.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

Memorial visitation will be held from 10 a.m. until 1 p.m. on Saturday, April 11, 2026 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais.

Memorials may be made to Uplifted Care.

Please sign her guestbook at [www.clancygernon.com](http://www.clancygernon.com).

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

APR 11. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
295 Main St., NW  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 932-1214  
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# Tribute Wall

AS

“ I am so sorry to hear of Sarah's passing. Sarah and I worked together at St. Mary's drawing blood. She was so sweet and very funny. Sending healing prayers to Danny and the girls.

Angie Smith - May 29 at 10:03 PM

RH

“ Rachel Hilton lit a candle in memory of Sarah A. Sutter



Rachel Hilton - May 12 at 02:48 PM

JH

“ Very sorry for your loss. I went to school with Sarah. We didn't hang around the same group of friends and I am very sorry for your loss.



Jason Hubert - April 16 at 01:41 PM

MP

“ Danny and family,  
Sending thoughts and prayers your way. I wish you courage, strength and peace in the days ahead.

Melissa Mollema - Pasel - April 14 at 02:45 PM

DR

“ *Deena Rabideau lit a candle in memory of Sarah A. Sutter*



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**Deena Rabideau** - April 12 at 09:48 PM

SV

“ *We send our prayers for you and your family. Young lady watch over everybody stand next to god strong.*



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**Shawn VanGilder** - April 08 at 12:25 PM

AC

“ *Aunt Cindy lit a candle in memory of Sarah A. Sutter*



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**Aunt Cindy** - April 07 at 05:28 PM

DR

“ *Deborah Regnier lit a candle in memory of Sarah A. Sutter*



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**Deborah Regnier** - April 07 at 01:31 PM