



## Shaun M. Finch

December 8, 1969 - November 4, 2016

Shaun M. Finch, age 46 of Chebanse, passed away Friday, November 4, 2016 at Spearfish Regional Medical Center in Spearfish, South Dakota while travelling to support the People of Standing Rock. She was born December 8, 1969 in Kankakee, the daughter of James and Mary Lou Richmond Stahl. She married Gregory Finch May 5, 1990 in Bourbonnais.

Shaun was a homemaker. She had been employed by the Elks Country Club, Walmart, and Prudential Insurance. She enjoyed travelling, helping people in need, gardening, going to rock concerts, and loved her dogs.

She is survived by her husband Gregory Finch of Chebanse; one son, Jacob Finch of Chebanse; one daughter, Shannon Finch of Chebanse; and one brother, James Stahl of Aroma Park. She is preceded in death by her parents.

A visitation will be held Thursday, November 10, 2016 from 4- 8 p.m. at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral home in Kankakee, where funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday November 11, 2016. Toni Hassett will officiate.

Cremation rites will be accorded following the services.

Memorials may be made to the People of Standing Rock in North Dakota.

([standingrock.org](http://standingrock.org))

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **10.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home  
1480 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

NOV **11.** 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

CB

“ *From Arizona, I did not know you but prayers and blessings for your love and support of others. Spirit will embrace you for it.*

*Condolences to the family.*

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**C Black** - November 12, 2016 at 06:35 AM

BS

“ *Bj Stevens lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



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**Bj Stevens** - November 11, 2016 at 05:20 PM

 Tom Koehler

“ *Tom Koehler lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



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**Tom Koehler** - November 11, 2016 at 12:58 PM

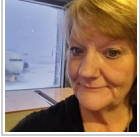
CS

“ *So sorry for your loss.*



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**coleen scholfield** - November 11, 2016 at 11:20 AM



“ Blessings Love and Prayers to you and your family Shaun. Please know that your sacrifice will not go unnoticed by the people at Standing Rock & Cheyenne River. Rest in peace knowing that you are loved and appreciated by so many.



Katie Barber - November 11, 2016 at 11:17 AM



“ May you crossover peacefully and know we are all warriors, thank you for your stand, oka Yanalli



Oka yanalli - November 11, 2016 at 10:50 AM



“ I never knew her....But I imagine she was loving and caring for others as she was traveling to stand in solidarity with Standing Rock Water Protectors💕 My Condolences to her family may you find peace and comfort in this trying time🌿🌸🌿



Janell Bradford - November 11, 2016 at 09:18 AM



“ Gloria & Bill Graham lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch



Gloria & Bill Graham - November 11, 2016 at 08:08 AM

LH

“ *LHomewytewa lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



LHomewytewa - November 11, 2016 at 07:47 AM

CK

“ *Charlene Kaprolet lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



Charlene Kaprolet - November 11, 2016 at 07:33 AM



“ *Hard to find the words of gratitude in this ultimate sacrifice for saving drinking water for millions of people, now & in the future...MANY are TRULY GRATEFUL, especially myself, from the Warm Springs Indian Reservation in East Central Oregon.*



*Our Vetran's Powwow begins tonight. I will request an honor song for her, as I'm sure there will be many others sang across these hundreds of Nations within our Nation. She has surely helped in bringing attention to such an important issue. Again, thanks very much & condolences for your loss. ♡Attawishshamaash♡*

Mina Shike - November 11, 2016 at 06:14 AM



“ *My condolences to the family. Much love, respect and honour to a wonderful warrior family now missing a piece of their heart's. We remember your efforts on the Earths behalf. Willing Peace, Strength and Love. Juhl*

**Juhl Lighthouse** - November 10, 2016 at 10:01 PM



“ *Rest East, may the four winds blow you safely home. We stand in Solidarity for the Water Protectors. #WaterisLife*

**tracey sylvester** - November 10, 2016 at 09:27 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of this wonderful water Protector. May the Great Spirit bless your family in this time of sorrow. A'ho.*

**pat Hill** - November 10, 2016 at 08:03 PM



“ *God bless your family. You had a huge heart and your journey to support the Standing Rock tribe is a small measure of how huge your life is. I only read of your passing, but I am in spirit with your loved ones.*

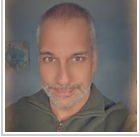


**Melissa Addison** - November 10, 2016 at 07:52 PM



“ *I didn't know Shaun, but I know she would have been a wonderful addition to Standing Rock. I am very sorry for your loss.*

**Nancy Camardo** - November 10, 2016 at 07:29 PM



“ *Such an amazing person has gone on without us. I will miss you dearly and always remember all our jokes and talks at work.*

*Daryl*

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**Daryl Heath** - November 10, 2016 at 05:02 PM

RV

“ *Was such a pleasure to have known Shaun.. so full of life.. My Deepest Sympathy to the Family..*



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**roberta volpe** - November 09, 2016 at 08:54 PM

NM

“ *I remember Shaun was always there to support her kids and was the cool mom. She was a very caring woman as was shown by the fact she was traveling to support others in need of support.. Sending my prayers of comfort to family and friends!*



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**Norma Meents** - November 09, 2016 at 02:37 PM

MH

“ *MICHAEL HOLLIS lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



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**MICHAEL HOLLIS** - November 09, 2016 at 02:26 PM

MH

*Rest in Peace my Friend ! My deepest condolences to Shaun's Family!!*

**MICHAEL HOLLIS** - November 09, 2016 at 02:28 PM

DO

“ *Donelle lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



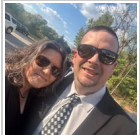
**Donelle** - November 09, 2016 at 08:04 AM

RR

“ *Ron Ramsey lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



**Ron Ramsey** - November 09, 2016 at 12:33 AM



“ *Angie Mollema Jackson lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



**Angie Mollema Jackson** - November 08, 2016 at 08:05 PM



“ Angie Mollema Jackson lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch



Angie Mollema Jackson - November 08, 2016 at 08:03 PM



“ Angie Hays lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch



Angie Hays - November 08, 2016 at 07:38 PM



“ Kelly And Gabrielle Lockwood lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch




Kelly and Gabrielle Lockwood - November 08, 2016 at 06:36 PM



“ Met Shaun @ Prudential - always admired her strong confidence and sense of right, her love of her family, and that beautiful smile. The world is a little smaller without her. May her memories live on in all those she touched. Greg, Shannon, Jake and family - may you find peace and comfort in the days ahead.

Lisa Navardauskas - November 08, 2016 at 02:31 PM


 Misty Bass

“ *Misty Bass lit a candle in memory of Shaun M. Finch*



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**Misty Bass** - November 08, 2016 at 02:00 PM

 Stephanie Billips

“ *I will always cherish our inside jokes, shared musical references, and intellectual banter. There's no one like you, but I'm honored to have known you and your family. Your influence is definitely with me. You were such a blessing to all who knew you. Thank you for sharing a smile and a word with whoever needed it. 💜*

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**Stephanie Billips** - November 08, 2016 at 12:38 PM

LB

“ *To the Finch Family: Shaun was always at CHS functions that Shannon and Jacob were in. She was very supportive of them. We were sad to hear Shaun had passed. She will be missed. Love, Hugs and Tears to all of you! Robert and Linda Bohlmann, CHS Alumni Parents, Rachel and Leah CHS Alumni*

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**Linda Bohlmann** - November 08, 2016 at 07:37 AM