



Stephanie Ann Lucas

April 11, 1974 - April 13, 2026

It is with heavy hearts that we announce the passing of Stephanie Ann Lucas, a devoted mother, a selfless friend, and a beacon of warmth to all who knew her. She passed away peacefully on April 13th, 2026, leaving behind a legacy of kindness that will never be forgotten.

Born on April 11, 1974, Stephanie spent her life putting others before herself. She possessed a rare kind of empathy—the ability to make anyone feel seen, heard, and deeply loved.

Professionally, Stephanie worked as a physical therapist assistant. She was far more than a healthcare worker/provider; she was a healer in every sense of the word. Known for going above and beyond for every patient like it was her own family. She combined her technical abilities with a deep genuine empathy.

While she took pride in her work, her favorite title was “Mom.” Her three children—Luke, Sydney, and Blake— were the absolute center of her world. She poured her entire spirit into raising them, teaching them what it meant to be compassionate, resilient, and fiercely loving. Her devotion to her children was her life’s greatest work.

Stephanie will be remembered for her smile, laugh, unwavering support, and the gentle way she cared for everyone in her orbit. She taught us that love isn’t just a feeling, but an action—something you give freely and often.

Stephanie is survived by her children, Luke (Kourtnee), Sydney & Blake Jarvis, all of Kankakee; her parents, Steve & Susan Lucas of Kankakee; her

sister Jennifer Lucas-Hoye (Sean) of Chicago and her favorite nephew, Maddox; also survived by several aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. She was preceded in death by her grandparents, William & Beverly Lucas and Leonard & Roberta Blake; as well as her beloved dog, Jak. Cremation rites have been accorded. In lieu of visitation, a Celebration of Life will be held at Manteno American Legion Post 755, 117 N Walnut St. from 1-4pm on April 25th.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR **25**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Manteno American Legion
Manteno, IL 60950

Tribute Wall

DM

“ Debra McCarty lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Ann Lucas



Debra McCarty - April 20 at 03:59 PM

DO

“ Sue and family - I'm sorry to learn about Stephanie's passing. Always enjoyed running into her and chatting. Such a sweetheart! Many prayers for all of you. Love, Donna Oxner

Donna Oxner - April 19 at 09:22 PM

TD

“ Heartfelt sympathy for Stephanie's passing. Wish I had some words of comfort.



Tom Dandelles - April 18 at 10:56 AM

TW

“ Susie, time and miles have shuffled us far apart, but family connections span all that. The Good Lord will be with you all during this most difficult time. Sending sincere sympathy..... Tom Wieliczko (middle name of course is Blake)

Thomas Wieliczko - April 17 at 05:49 PM

BS

“ *May Stephanie Eest peacefully in Paradise so sorry to hear this.*



Bev Sorensen - April 16 at 08:55 PM

BS

Rest peacefully

Bev Sorensen - April 16 at 08:57 PM

RC

“ *Steve & Sue, we are so sorry to hear of the passing of your daughter. Will be thinking of all of you during this difficult time.*



Rodney & Christie - April 16 at 05:54 PM

SU

“ *Steve, Sue, Luke, Sydney and Blake, We are so sorry for the loss of your daughter and mom. May God give all of you strength during this time of grieving. Nick and Susan*

susan - April 16 at 02:14 PM

DS

“ *Sending love and prayers for her family and friends. Our sincere sympathy*
Denise and Rich Seliga

Denise Seliga - April 16 at 11:46 AM

RS

“ There not enough paper to write about Stephaine she poured her heart into everything she did. We’re gonna miss her.



Renee Stewart - April 15 at 04:54 PM

CI

“ Have been praying for you all and will continue to pray for strength. Cindy and Jerry Luzeniecki.

cindy - April 15 at 10:30 AM

LM

“ We are so sorry. We are praying for you all during this most difficult time. May the beautiful memories you've shared with Stephanie help to bring some comfort and peace in time. Sending hugs and prayers to you Sue, Steve and the Lucas family. 🙏



Linda Meehan - April 15 at 07:31 AM

GD

“ Greg & Barb Dams lit a candle in memory of Stephanie Ann Lucas



Greg & Barb Dams - April 15 at 12:26 AM

CH

“ Our sincerest sympathy to you all. We have such fond memories of Stephanie growing up in the neighborhood. She was always so sweet. Prayers for you Steve, Sue, and family.
Cindy and Jerry Hebert

Cindy Hebert - April 14 at 10:57 PM

KW

“ I worked with Stephanie at Riverside Home Care. She was unceasingly kind & compassionate to all of her patients and coworkers. I am so very sorry for your loss.

Kristi Wakat - April 14 at 09:54 PM

CB

“ Steve and Susan I am so so very sad and heartbroken to hear of Stephanie's passing. From the times I knew her as a little girl going to St. Pat's Church on Sundays, then attending St. Patrick's grade school and playing basketball at Mac with our daughter, Jackie, then as a wonderful Mom at our shared children's sporting events. She was such a beautiful, kind person and I can still hear her laugh. I just can't believe that she's gone. May she find eternal heavenly peace.

Chris Breault - April 14 at 09:03 PM

DF

“ I'm so sorry to hear of your great loss. I remember the girls when they were younger and always such beauties both in and out Steven Suzanne I remember you from our interactions through school but also through the dry cleaners I'm so very sorry ...take gentle care.

Debra Pomon Foulks - April 14 at 08:19 PM

TA

“ *Thomas Anthony lit a candle in memory of
Stephanie Ann Lucas*



Thomas Anthony - April 14 at 06:17 PM