



## Holly Volquartsen Kanne

January 3, 1977 - November 9, 2017

Holly Volquartsen-Kanne, age 40 of Carroll, passed away unexpectedly on Thursday, November 9, 2017 at St. Anthony Regional Hospital in Carroll.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, November 18, 2017 at Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Carroll. The Celebrant will be Fr. Timothy Johnson. Music will be by Marcy Anderson and Sherry Loughran. Mass Servers will be: Max Pietig, Nate Overmohle, and Nolan Overmohle. Lectors for the funeral mass will be Julie Williams and Lori Seidl. Gift Bearers will be: Trevin Vanderheiden, Megan Volquartsen, and Griffin Volquartsen. Eucharistic Ministers will be: Shelli Juergens, Joni Badding, and Ann Pottebaum. Honorary Casket Bearers will be: Jen Burns, Steph Horbach, Anne Collison, and Shelli Juergens. Casket Bearers will be: Nick Collison, Jagar Vanderheiden, Trevin Vanderheiden, Joel Williams, Craig Reiman, Tom Reiman and Tony Troutman.

Visitation will be from 4-7 p.m. Friday at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll. The casket will be moved to Holy Spirit Church on Saturday morning where visitation will resume at 9:30 a.m. and will continue until time of the funeral mass.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be left at the funeral home or the church for Animal Rescue of Carroll.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of the Sharp Funeral Home in

Carroll and online condolences may be left for Holly's family at [www.sharpfuneral.com](http://www.sharpfuneral.com).

Holly "Hilda V" Lyn Volquartsen was born on January 3, 1977, in Carroll, Iowa, the daughter of Tom and Linda (Reiman) Volquartsen. Holly graduated with the Class of 1995 from Kuemper Catholic High School. She then enjoyed working alongside her siblings in the family business, Volquartsen Custom, as well as adding her artistic contribution of the VC symbol. The year 2000 brought her greatest joy when she was blessed with her beautiful daughter, Scyler. On July 3, 2010, she was married to her love, Chad Kanne, in Carroll, Iowa, where they made their home with Scyler, and her beloved pets, Hunter, Joplyn, Butch, and Kya.

Holly was definitely one of a kind known for her bigger-than-life presence and always ended up the center of attention. She had a way of embellished storytelling that would have everyone rolling with laughter. She was fiercely loyal to her family and friends. She had a generosity that surpassed any. If you ever complimented anything she had, she would more than likely offer it to you on the spot or soon get it for you. Her charismatic and magnetic personality lit up a room with her way of making everyone welcome and feeling they were leaving with a new best friend. Those that knew her well appreciated her entertaining vocabulary. Holly truly enjoyed being with her husband, family, and friends, but, most of all, time with her daughter, Scyler. She was good about attending her nieces and nephews' activities. Holly was a huge fan of the Dallas Cowboys, shopping, dancing, lip syncing, and anything related to Prince and his music with her two favorite quotes being: "Dearly beloved, we have gathered here today to get through this thing called life," and "life is just a party and parties weren't meant to last." - Prince

We were not blessed to have our beautiful Holly take as many breaths as we wanted, but the time we had with her took our breath away.

Left to cherish Holly's memory are her husband, Chad Kanne of Carroll; her daughter, Scyler Menke of Carroll; her parents, Tom Volquartsen of Council Bluffs and Linda Volquartsen of Carroll; her siblings: Jodi (Marty) Vanderheiden of Carroll, Scott (Amy) Volquartsen of Carroll, and Nic (Stephanie) Volquartsen of Carroll; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Neil and Deb Kanne of Lidderdale; sister-in-law, Kari (Trent) Martin of Minneapolis, MN; maternal grandmother, Marge Reiman of Carroll; step-grandfather, Wilbert Lussman of Carroll; grandmother-in-law, Bernice Heisterkamp of Carroll; nephews and nieces: Jagar Vanderheiden, Trevin Vanderheiden, Nick Collison, Megan Volquartsen, Griffin Volquartsen, Jace Volquartsen, Jemma Volquartsen, and Ivey Volquartsen; aunts and uncles; as well as many cousins and friends.

Holly was preceded in death by her paternal grandfather, Paul Volquartsen; paternal grandmother, Dorothy (Volquartsen) Lussman; maternal grandfather, Orv Reiman; grandparents-in-law, Lyle Heisterkamp; Aloys Kanne and Louise Kanne.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 17. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Sharp Funeral Home ~ Carroll, Iowa  
226 W. 8th St.  
Carroll, IA 51401  
(712) 792-4301  
info@sharpfuneral.com  
<https://www.sharpfuneral.com>

## Visitation

NOV 18. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Holy Spirit Catholic Church  
421 E. Bluff St.  
Carroll, IA

## Mass of Christian Burial

NOV 18. 10:30 AM (CT)

Holy Spirit Catholic Church  
421 E. Bluff St.  
Carroll, IA

# Tribute Wall

David  
Dudley

“ *To Linda, Tom, Marge and the rest of Holly's family. I was saddened to hear of Holly's unexpected passing. My heart goes out to you all. I can't begin to imagine to pain and sense of loss you are experiencing.*

*I pray that God wraps His loving arms around you all, today and always. May God grant you His Peace, Comfort and Strength in the days ahead. Our God is a loving God who loves us all more than we can even fathom.*

*We struggle and sometimes question why God would take a loved one away from us so early, when there is so much more we want to say and do with them. I know that God's plans for us are perfect, even though we question those plans quite often.*

*Your precious Holly is in the Loving presence of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Look to Him in your time of need and He will be there to Love and Comfort you all.*

*Again, I am so very sorry for your loss. My love and prayers go out to you all.*

*Philippines 4:7  
And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.*

*Love,  
David Dudley*

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David Dudley - November 18, 2017 at 09:35 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.*



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November 17, 2017 at 04:55 PM



“ *Holly was the most amazing person and always had a way of making you feel like you were her close friend, no matter how long it had been since you last saw her. My son Teren and Scyler went to the same in home daycare when they were little. They were adorable together, even appearing together as models one time. I most admired Holly for just being who she was and being totally okay with that. She will be greatly missed.*

*Special condolences to my high school friend Nic, I can't imagine the pain of losing your sister. I will be keeping you all in my thoughts.*

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**Trish Nees** - November 17, 2017 at 10:45 AM



“ *Sending love and hugs from your Okoboji Condo neighbors / friends. Holly's energy and spirit for loving life will be missed. May you find comfort and peace in the middle of the sadness. My heart is broken for all of your family and Hollie's dear friends.*

*Anne Broderius*



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**Anne Broderius** - November 17, 2017 at 07:30 AM

LO

“ *Landon&Nicole Drake and Andy& Molly O'leary purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.*



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**Landon&Nicole Drake and Andy& Molly O'leary** - November 16, 2017 at 06:32 PM

TT

“ *Tyler Tigges and Chris "Cakeboy" Tigges purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.*



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**Tyler Tigges and Chris "Cakeboy" Tigges** - November 16, 2017 at 05:50 PM

JD

“ *Our deepest sympathies to the Volquartsen and Kanne Families. May God give you comfort during this time of sorrow.*



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**Joe & Kelly Danner** - November 16, 2017 at 09:42 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.*



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November 15, 2017 at 10:09 PM

LJ

“ *Linda Volquartsen and Family,  
I send my deepest sympathy to all of you at this time of great loss. I never met Holly, but in reading all of the memories that have been shared about her, I realize that she loved life, and was loved by so many! I pray for comfort and peace for her family in this time of sorrow, and hope that memories of happy times spent with Holly, will help to ease the burden of your grief. RIP, Holly!  
Sending my love, Linda Jensen*

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**Linda Jensen** - November 15, 2017 at 09:41 PM

LW

“ *Our hearts are so heavy. We will forever remember Holly laughing, smiling and being just a little bit naughty. She was so much fun and had a heart the size of Texas. We send Chad and Scy and all the Volquartsen Kanne clan our deepest condolences. She is surely raising a ruckus in heaven.*

*Lesleh Wright and Family*

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**Lesleh Wright** - November 15, 2017 at 04:28 PM

LL

“ *Leroy(Red)&RoseMary Lynch purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.*



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**Leroy(Red)&RoseMary Lynch** - November 15, 2017 at 03:40 PM

DW

“ To the entire family of Holly. My heart aches for all of you as you go through this very painful grieving process. Depend on the love and support of friends and family and know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. I didn't personally know Holly but I know her mother very well and therefore I know Holly was a beautiful person. Blessings to all of you and Holly, may you Rest In Peace!  
*Donna Anderson Watts*

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**Donna Anderson Watts** - November 15, 2017 at 01:07 PM

DQ

“ Chad and the Volquartsen family my thoughts and prayers are with you all. Holly was a great friend to all and the memories she gave to many will never be forgotten. RIP Holly!

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**Danielle Quinn** - November 15, 2017 at 10:27 AM



“ Chad, Scy, and the Volquartsen crew, I'm so very sorry for your loss. H was larger than life & loved by so many. I've been rolling around so many stories and so many memories since I heard the tragic news last week. Gather strength from each other. I am unable to pay my respects this weekend but will be thinking about you all, as I have been all week. I'm going to miss my crazy Dallas Cowboys girlfriend !!  
*Jacque Masching*

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**Jacque Masching** - November 15, 2017 at 10:13 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.



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November 15, 2017 at 09:50 AM

BP

“ Thoughts and prayers are to all of you! Holly was a bright light that touched so many lives. She was a great friend to all. She will be missed dearly.



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**Brenda Havermann Peatrowsky** - November 14, 2017 at 11:08 PM

CW

“ Chad, I am very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

*Chris Way*

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**Chris Way** - November 14, 2017 at 09:47 PM

MD

“ Linda and family,

*We were saddened to learn of the loss of Holly. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Jay and Maureen Drees*

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**Maureen Drees** - November 14, 2017 at 08:11 PM

GM

“ Sorry for your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers. Gail (Haverman) Mlnarik

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**Gail Mlnarik** - November 14, 2017 at 06:35 PM

SP

“ SHAG and "ROCKY" POMEROY purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.



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**SHAG and "ROCKY" POMEROY** - November 14, 2017 at 09:52 AM

KG

“ Dear Linda And family....we are so saddened by the loss of Holly. She was always full of life and laughter. We are lifting prayers for all of you RIP Holly... ❤️ Jim and Kristine Gallagher

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**kristine gallagher** - November 14, 2017 at 02:36 AM

LS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Please rely on your family and friends during this time, they can help hold you up and support you during this sorrowful time in your lives. We will be thinking of you all...  
Robert & Lorie Snyder--R.W. Snyder Custom Guns



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**Lorie Snyder** - November 13, 2017 at 08:27 PM

DO

To all of Holly's family and friends ! Hold all your memories of the love and laughter each of you have shared close to your heart at this time of sadness. You know this is what Holly would've wanted. My deepest sympathy for your loss. Diane Olson

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**Diane Olson** - November 13, 2017 at 08:57 PM

JB

“ *Linda and family,  
I am so sorry for you loss of Holly. I can't imagine how hard it is for you! You are in my prayers daily an a candle for holly is burning at Saint Francis in West Des Moines. I will do everything I can do to come to the funeral or wake.  
I know Shelley and her family is praying for your family also.*

*Your friend since Grade School,  
Jake (Slater) Brinkman*

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**Jake Brinkman** - November 13, 2017 at 08:18 PM

AB

“ *My prayers go out to you. So sorry for your loss.*

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**Adam Biris** - November 13, 2017 at 04:49 PM

AF

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your family! Alyson (Stork) Fleming*

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**Alyson Fleming** - November 13, 2017 at 03:51 PM

AH

“ *Alan Hinchliffe purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.*



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**Alan Hinchliffe** - November 13, 2017 at 02:34 PM

MS

“ Linda and family, my heart breaks for you! This is the time that love, trust and faith has to come in to help carry you through this unexpected loss. As parents, we never want to lose a child first. Take comfort in the fact that she is still near, God has huge comforting arms to hold her and the family until you are all together again. Love you prayer buddy! Mary Ann Schulte

Mary Ann Schulte - November 13, 2017 at 12:34 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.



November 13, 2017 at 11:14 AM

BK

“ My sincerest thoughts and sympathies to Holly's family and friends. May you all find peace and comfort in your memories of Holly.

Beverly (Pietig) Kramer

Beverly Kramer - November 13, 2017 at 09:04 AM

JS

“ My heart aches for you and your family Chad, May your faith in God help you through this very sad and trying time in your life. John Snyder

john snyder - November 13, 2017 at 07:43 AM

TF

“ *The Demers Family lit a candle in memory of Holly Volquartsen Kanne*



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**The Demers Family** - November 13, 2017 at 07:05 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.*



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November 12, 2017 at 05:49 PM

ME

“ *Linda - We are so sorry to hear about your daughter. Our sympathies and prayers are with you. Always a terrible loss to lose a child .*  
*Mick and Pam Everett*

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**mick everett** - November 12, 2017 at 05:48 PM

CS

“ *Charlotte Schroeder lit a candle in memory of Holly Volquartsen Kanne*



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**Charlotte Schroeder** - November 12, 2017 at 10:01 AM

RR

“ Ryan Rupiper lit a candle in memory of Holly Volquartsen Kanne



Ryan Rupiper - November 12, 2017 at 04:17 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.



November 12, 2017 at 02:46 AM

LB

“ Linda Bluml lit a candle in memory of Holly Volquartsen Kanne



Linda Bluml - November 11, 2017 at 08:03 PM

JV

Linda and family, so sorry and saddened to hear of your loss. Prayers and hugs to all of you.

Judy Vorsten - November 12, 2017 at 07:59 PM

BR

Sad news.....so sorry to hear of Holly's passing. May you hold your faith with you every step of the way. Praying for strength for the entire family. Hugs

Bev Ramsey - November 12, 2017 at 09:26 PM

KS

“ Karen And Dan Steck lit a candle in memory of Holly Volquartsen Kanne



Karen and Dan Steck - November 11, 2017 at 11:53 AM

KS

Your entire family are in many prayers and thoughts at this time. We are terribly sorry and saddened for you all.

With Love and Sympathy-  
Dan and Karen Steck and family

Karen and Dan Steck - November 11, 2017 at 11:54 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Holly Volquartsen Kanne.



November 11, 2017 at 10:17 AM

LK

“ Lynn Kirsch lit a candle in memory of Holly Volquartsen Kanne



Lynn Kirsch - November 11, 2017 at 01:40 AM

LK

“ *RIP Holly. So very sorry.*



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**Lynn Kirsch** - November 11, 2017 at 01:33 AM

ST

“ *Susan Teter-Lord sent a virtual gift in memory of Holly Volquartsen Kanne*



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**Susan Teter-Lord** - November 10, 2017 at 11:47 PM

MB

“ *Chad and family,  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. We are so sorry for your loss.  
In deepest sympathy,  
Mike, Denny, and everyone at AgVenture*

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**Mike Bieret** - November 10, 2017 at 06:01 PM

CH

“ *I am so very sorry for the loss of Holly. May your happy memories sustain you during this most difficult time.*

*Christine Wuertz Labozan*

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**Christine** - November 10, 2017 at 04:32 PM

LR

“ Scyler and Family..... Words cannot express how saddened we are about your loss. What a Great lady and Friend. She will be Greatly missed!! Heaven gained another Angel. Keeping you all in our Thoughts and Prayers!  
Rick and LaVonne Richardson



LaVonne Richardson - November 10, 2017 at 03:41 PM

DG

“ My words cannot express how sad this loss is! Prayers to everyone who knew Holly! RIP Holly

Dan Gronstal - November 10, 2017 at 11:59 AM

JB

“ My heart goes out to you, Jodi, and your family...prayers for you all...



Jeanette Bender - November 10, 2017 at 11:27 AM

BO

“ Family of Holly, I am saddened to learn of the loss of Holly, she was a wonderful woman. I met Holly bowling in Carroll. We had many wonderful nights and weekends of laughs and fun times. She will be missed and loved by all who knew her... RIP Holly...



Bobbi - November 10, 2017 at 11:08 AM