



Samantha Kleeman

October 6, 1977 - May 14, 2019

Samantha “Sam” Kleeman, 41, of Mancelona, passed away on Tuesday, May 14, 2019 at her home. She was born on October 6, 1977 to Kenneth and Denise (Smith) Kleeman.

Sam graduated from Bellaire High School in 1996. She loved being an “aunt” to her nephews and nieces. Her dogs were her children, Tuko, LouLou, and Dad’s dog Jack. Her hobbies included painting, drawing, Star Wars and Disney. Sam’s classmates from high school were still her close friends.

Sam is survived by her parents, Ken and Denise Kleeman of Mancelona; her sister, Holly (Chad) Draper of Ellsworth; nieces and nephews, Corbin Newton, Gavynn Newton, Sadie Newton, Zane Newton, Kenny Gilbert, Dalton Hosler, Tijaun Kleeman and Devlin Kleeman; and great nephew, Nova Kleeman.

Proceeding Sam in death was her sister, Amy Meter in April 2016.

Visitation will be on Sunday, May 19th from 3:00 pm – 8:00 pm at Wolfe-O’Neill Funeral Home. Funeral services will be on Monday, at Antrim Church of Christ at 11:00 am with Pastor Mark McCool officiating. Burial will be at Coldsprings Twp. Cemetery.

Memorials can be made in Sam’s memory to Antrim County Animal Shelter, 4660 M-88, Bellaire, MI 49615.

Online condolences can be left at wolfeoneill.com

Arrangements were made by Wolfe-O’Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **19**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home
106 S. Cherry
Kalkaska, MI 49646
(231) 258-5121
<https://www.wolfeoneill.com/>

Service

MAY **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Antrom Church of Christ
10228 US-131
Mancelona, MI 49659

Tribute Wall



“ Samantha Kleeman

January 30, 2023 at 04:02 AM



“ Samantha Kleeman

January 30, 2023 at 01:03 AM

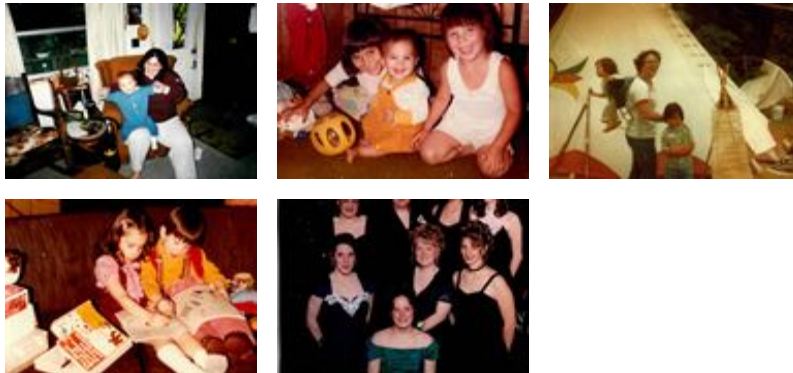


“ *Sam was always such a sweet soul. I am glad I was able to share so many memories with her. Sam was a tell it like it is kinda girl. I will always cherish the times we had in school and beyond. My heart goes out to her mom and dad, and to Holly. No one can compare to Sam, and she will be greatly be missed by all who knew her. I wish I could have been there today. Love you Sam.*

Amanda Teal - May 20, 2019 at 02:46 PM



“ 75 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home - May 18, 2019 at 10:31 AM

KL

“ Sam will be greatly missed by her co-workers at Kresnak and the Listening Ear Crisis Center Family. It is with heavy hearts we send our love and prayers to Sam's family and Friends for their loss.

Keitha Lochinski - May 17, 2019 at 03:18 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Samantha Kleeman.



May 17, 2019 at 09:04 AM



“ I am so sorry to hear this. Ken, Denise & family, my thoughts and prayers are with you. Sam was a sharp cookie and a lovely, kind lady. She will be missed.

Tracey Bodnar - May 16, 2019 at 06:22 PM

JM

“ Samantha was always cool and calm. She never let anyone get to her. She was Always ok with who she was and in those ways I wished I was more like her. She always had a smile on her face and was a friend to anyone who needed one. She will be missed ❤️



jodie mitchell - May 16, 2019 at 12:30 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Samantha Kleeman.*



May 15, 2019 at 10:43 PM



“ *Samantha, I haven't seen you since high school, but you were a good friend and I'll sure miss you. ❤️ Amanda*

Amanda Hamp - May 15, 2019 at 08:47 PM



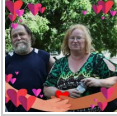
“ *Sam was a very hard worker we had many talks she was fun to work with everything had to be in its right place or she would Re-organized so I asked her one time why she always Re-organized everything she said it just drives her crazy if it's not in the right spot so when she came into I would wait for her to Re-organize things I will miss her and miss working with her love and prayers to her family*

jean peters - May 15, 2019 at 08:16 PM



Sam you were like a whirlwind the minute you came to work. Always happy and busy, busy, busy. I enjoyed getting to work with you. My love goes out to you Denise, and the rest of your family. I'm so sorry for your sudden loss.

Amie Chandler - May 15, 2019 at 09:00 PM



Denise and Kenny as well as the family, I can't begin to imagine what pain you and your family are experiencing with your daughter's passing.

I hope that you find her memories soothe your souls.

Sending my love and prayers.

May God bless you and your family and sustain you all through your grieving.

Ellen Smith - May 16, 2019 at 07:05 AM

HF

“ *Sam was at our house and with Jenny a lot. Very sad to hear of her passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Henrietta Tweedie Fabatz - May 15, 2019 at 07:53 PM

NI

“ *Natasha Ingersoll sent a virtual gift in memory of Samantha Kleeman*



Natasha Ingersoll - May 15, 2019 at 07:44 PM

NI

“ *Sam, was a great friend. She was honest and a very hard worker. She will be missed dearly. Thinking of her family.*

Natasha Ingersoll - May 15, 2019 at 07:43 PM

JC

“ *Jo Crossett lit a candle in memory of Samantha Kleeman*



Jo crossett - May 15, 2019 at 07:39 PM

JC

“ *Samantha will be dearly missed. She was a hard worker, dependable, cared about the consumers she took care of and a funny caring person. Miss her already.* 🌸🌹

Jo crossett - May 15, 2019 at 07:38 PM

 Cindi Owens

“ *I'm gonna miss that smile kiddo! Kleeman family, I'm so sorry for your loss.*

Cindi Owens - May 15, 2019 at 07:38 PM