



Sherry Hatchel

April 8, 1960 - October 18, 2021

Sherry passed away suddenly, Monday, October 18, 2021 at Franciscan Hospital, Michigan City from apparent heart failure as she entered her work area Friday, October 15th. Valiant lifesaving efforts by prison staff, EMTs and Franciscan personnel were unsuccessful.

Sherry was born in Michigan City, IN April 8, 1960 to the late L. B. and Jerry Hatchel.

She is survived by spouse Edward Sienkowski, North Judson, son Matthew Sienkowski (Elizabeth), Portage, WI

Son James Morlan Jr., Michigan City, IN and Stepson Norman Sienkowski (Kathryn), Greeley, CO.

Grandchildren, Josephine (Sophie) Sienkowski and Charlotte Sienkowski.

One brother, Anthony Hatchel (Diane), Michigan City, IN, many nieces and nephews.

Preceding Sherry in death, her parents, L. B. and Jerry Hatchel, sister, Carol Hatchel.

Sherry was employed by Indiana Department of Corrections as a Correctional Counselor for nearly 36 years, at Westville Correctional Center, Miami County, Peru and Indiana State Prison, Michigan City.

She was well respected by most of her co-workers and was a positive influence on many inmates serving time at the facility.

Many co-workers were appreciative of the positive advice Sherry was able to

offer over morning coffee.

Sherry was a Life member of Harley Owners group and member of the Kankakee Valley Harley Owners Group since 1991 based at Kersting's Harley Davidson.

Sherry owned and rode her own full-dress Harley for many years. She and Ed went on many trips to Sturgis, SD, Albuquerque, NM, Smoky Mountain National Park and many others. She really enjoyed travel on two wheels.

Sherry liked dining out on weekends, always looking for a new restaurant to try.

During quiet time at home she enjoyed doing word search and crossword puzzles while watching TV.

She will definitely be missed by all.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Catholic Cemetery

San Pierre, IN 46374

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT **23**. 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Judy Hatchel Wallig lit a candle in memory of Sherry Hatchel*



judy hatchel wallig - February 17, 2022 at 06:31 PM

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“ *Sherry was a very difficult person some times for me to understand, but in my youth she was the only light in a very dark world.. I'm sorry we all slipped apart and I'll never forget those nights watching SNL.*

Gwen Hatchel - November 03, 2021 at 06:44 PM

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“ *I worked with Sherry many years at ISP, always had very good conversations with her over various topics. Ed, so sorry for the lots of your dear wife, and friend. May she rest in peace.*
Pam Pizarek

Pam Pizarek - October 31, 2021 at 10:27 PM