



## Michelle Rae Iffert

January 7, 1970 - October 2, 2020

Michelle “Momma” Iffert passed away peacefully in her home on October 2nd, 2020 after her battle with cancer. Michelle was born in Salem, IL on January 7th, 1970 to her loving parents, Bill and Carolyn (Cripps) Jones . She grew up in Salem with her big brother, Michael Jones and his wife Peggy. On August 29th, 1992 she married the love of her life, Shannon “Bubba” Iffert, who survives in Iuka, and they brought into this world two daughters: Ashley (Iffert) Schaubert and her husband Heath and Heather (Iffert) Hester and her husband Levi, who absolutely adored her, along with her mother: Carolyn Jones and her brother: Michael Jones and his wife Peggy. When she married Shannon, she gained three wonderful sisters, Becky (Iffert) Shew and her husband Brad, Christy (Iffert) Blank and her husband Ryan, and Beth (Iffert) Cantrell and her husband Gary, as well as another set of beautiful parents, Donald and Linda Iffert.

Michelle always wanted to live life to the fullest and with her husband, she did. She loved most, spending time with her family and friends. She enjoyed “quiet” evenings with her husband, daughters, sons-in-law, and three grandchildren, Cooper, Cormick, and Shannon. She was excited about welcoming a new grandbaby in January 2021. She also loved vacationing with family and friends, going on motorcycle rides, sharing meals with those she loved, especially at the Elks, and camping at the Salem Sportsman Club in which they are members of both. She was also a long-time member of St. Theresa of Avila Catholic Church in Salem. She was close with her Savior and

is with Him now on the Feast Day of Guardian Angels.

Michelle loved fiercely and to know her was to love her in return. She put everything she had into everything she did, whether that be protecting a loved one or playing a prank on them with a mischievous grin. She also put everything she had into fighting to stay with her loved ones.

Momma leaves behind a legacy of love that will never be forgotten and will continue to grow through all those who knew her. She was preceded in death by her father, grandparents, and angel baby, whom she miscarried in 2001. She leaves behind her husband, two daughters and sons-in-law, four grandbabies, mother, brother, sisters and brothers-in-law, mother and father-in-law, nieces and nephews, and countless friends.

Visiting hours for Michelle "Momma" Iffert will be held Sunday, October 4, 2020 at the St. Theresa gymnasium in Salem from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM.

Those who would like to wear camo in her honor may feel free to do so. Due to the recent CDC guidelines, masks will be mandatory and social distancing will occur at the church for all guests. The Funeral Mass will be held Monday, October 5, 2020 at 10:00 AM at the St. Theresa gymnasium in Salem. Burial to follow at East Lawn Cemetery. Memorials can be made to the Pregnancy Care Clinic of Salem or the organization of the donor's choice and will be accepted at the Sutherland-Rankin Funeral Home at 310 North Broadway, P.O. Box 97, Salem Illinois 62881, (618)548-1234, who is entrusted with the family's care. Online expressions of sympathy may be left at [www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Funeral Mass

OCT 5. 10:00 AM.

St. Theresa gymnasium

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sutherland Funeral Homes, Cemetery and Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Michelle Rae Iffert*



**Sutherland Funeral Homes, Cemetery and Cremation Services** - October 04, 2020 at 01:52 PM

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“ *I am sorry for you Shannon on the loss of your dear wife. Be assured that you are in my thoughts and prayers. May she now rest in peace.*  
*Cousin Al's wife, Dorothy Uebinger*



**Dorothy Uebinger** - October 05, 2020 at 11:24 AM

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“ *Calvin And Anita Lake lit a candle in memory of Michelle Rae Iffert*



**Calvin and Anita Lake** - October 05, 2020 at 10:38 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michelle Rae Iffert.*



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October 05, 2020 at 09:12 AM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Heaven gained an Angel here. She will be missed by all who touched her life. She was always up for a good laugh every morning when I saw her. My thoughts are with the family now in this time of grief. She may not be with us physically but she will always be in our Hearts. Rick and Tina Klanke.*

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**Rick Klanke** - October 04, 2020 at 08:36 PM

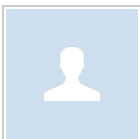


“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Michelle Rae Iffert.*



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October 04, 2020 at 02:43 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Michelle Rae Iffert.*



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October 04, 2020 at 12:32 PM

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“ Shannon, we are so sorry to hear about Michelle passing. We wish we would have got to know her better personally besides the passing wave when going by the house. Are prayers are with you and your family.

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**David & Susan Decker** - October 04, 2020 at 09:40 AM

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“ Shannon, my heart goes out to you and your family with the passing of Michelle. She must have been a wonderful person. Having lost Lou to cancer seven mos. ago, I know the difficult days ahead for you. My thoughts and prayers go out for you and your family.

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**Cecil Cochran** - October 04, 2020 at 09:03 AM

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“ Shannon and Family, So sorry to hear of Michelle's passing, just know that we are thinking and praying for you all. She is no longer in pain, Rest in Peace Michelle

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**Brad and Vickie Kessler** - October 03, 2020 at 09:50 PM

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“ I am so thankful to have known Michelle and experience the beauty she has. She was always smiling and kind. Her caring nature and beautiful soul shined. She will be missed by so many. God has a true angel with him. God bless Michelle's family.

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**Tamara S Purcell** - October 03, 2020 at 04:47 PM