



Jennifer A. Homoki

January 27, 1985 - December 8, 2023

Jennifer A. Homoki, 38, of New Cumberland, passed away peacefully on Friday, December 8, 2023, at Penn State Health Hampton Medical Center.

Born January 27, 1985 in Oakland, California, Jennifer was the daughter of the late Steven J. Homoki. She was also the loving mother of Sydney Mistick and found joy making memories with her. Jennifer and Sydney enjoyed visiting waterparks, zip lines, beaches, and mountains. Together they could be found exploring on her motorcycle (Sydney had her own sidecar), riding horses, finishing puzzles, reading, and building with Legos. Through her own actions, Jennifer taught Sydney the importance of respect and the meaning of unconditional love.

Jennifer's smile was contagious and so was her desire to live life to its fullest. Hiking, kayaking, jet skiing, mountain biking and experimental cooking were all activities Jennifer enjoyed with her fiancé Martin Hartel, Sydney, and their beloved dog Brownie by her side.

Jennifer also had an undeniable passion for education, that of others and her own. Jennifer earned her Bachelor's Degree in Education from Millersville University and her Masters of Education and Principal Certificate from Shippensburg University of Pennsylvania. Jennifer began her career in education teaching Special Education for Lincoln Intermediate Unit 12 and

joined the West Shore School District as a Special Education Teacher at Cedar Cliff High School in 2010. After briefly leaving to teach at Dauphin County Technical School, she returned to West Shore in 2017 to serve as the District's Supervisor of Special Education before being promoted to Director of Special Education. Jennifer was also teaching several courses as an adjunct professor at Shippensburg University and was actively pursuing her doctorate degree at Wilkes University.

Jennifer was respected, admired and renowned for her generosity and dedication to others. Her life has left a lasting impression on all who knew her and she will be deeply missed by family and friends.

In addition to her daughter Sydney, and fiancé Martin, she is survived by her best friend Amy Howard, and cousins Beth, Erica, Sarah and Jarrod.

Following cremation, a memorial service to celebrate Jennifer's beautiful life will be held on Monday, December 18, 2023 at 11 a.m. at Grace Baptist Church, 780 Woodland Avenue, Lewisberry, PA, 17339.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Sydney's college fund. Additional details will be shared with family and friends.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

DEC 18. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Grace Baptist Church
780 Woodland Avenue
Lewisberry, PA 17339

Tribute Wall

JB

“ Thank you for your support, Ms. Homoki.

I am honored to have met Ms. Homoki in-person. She was a very intellectual person and one of the very few who understood, cared and helped the gifted students progress.

A young, smart and good person gone too soon. I feel so sorry to learn this sad and shocking news. May her soul rest in peace. My condolences to her loved ones. May her memories be their strength and guiding star. Amen.

JB - February 10, 2024 at 08:23 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jennifer A. Homoki.

December 17, 2023 at 08:19 AM

JS

“ *I had so much respect for Jennifer as an educator and a mother. Her family and friends are in my thoughts as they grieve the loss of this beautiful life.*

Jolynn Sullivan - December 15, 2023 at 04:12 PM





“ A grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jennifer A. Homoki.

December 15, 2023 at 12:50 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Jennifer A. Homoki.



December 15, 2023 at 12:39 PM



“ So sorry to hear of her passing. Although I never met her personally, I had many conversations with Martin, her fiance, as he did building and/or repair work for me. It was obvious how much he loved her.

Karen Mari Calloway - December 15, 2023 at 11:55 AM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Jennifer A. Homoki.



December 15, 2023 at 07:47 AM

WA

“ WSSD Board of Directors & Administration planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jennifer A. Homoki.

WSSD Board of Directors & Administration - December 15, 2023 at 07:47 AM



“ Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Jennifer A. Homoki.



December 14, 2023 at 05:31 PM

RA

“ River Rock Academy purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Jennifer A. Homoki.



River Rock Academy - December 14, 2023 at 09:09 AM

RS

“ Prayers and Love to Syndey and family.

Rhonda Sheely



Rhonda Sheely - December 14, 2023 at 08:19 AM

MF

“ *Michael and Annette Findley purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jennifer A. Homoki.*



Michael and Annette Findley - December 13, 2023 at 10:25 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jennifer A. Homoki.*



December 13, 2023 at 10:21 PM

JR

“ *Jeannette Robinson lit a candle in memory of Jennifer A. Homoki*



Jeannette Robinson - December 13, 2023 at 07:22 PM

JG

“ *My sympathies to the family. I am privileged to have worked with Jennifer. She was a dedicated professional.*



John Gombocz - December 13, 2023 at 05:52 PM

RK

“ Rachael Kruleski lit a candle in memory of Jennifer A. Homoki



Rachael Kruleski - December 13, 2023 at 01:00 PM

LI

“ Lisa lit a candle in memory of Jennifer A. Homoki



Lisa - December 13, 2023 at 09:16 AM



“ Divine Light was purchased for the family of Jennifer A. Homoki.



December 12, 2023 at 11:45 PM

DF

“ Daniel J Homoki and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jennifer A. Homoki.

Daniel J Homoki and Family - December 12, 2023 at 11:45 PM

DB

“ Jen was a beautiful soul inside and out and was a bright, shining star to all who knew her. I will remember her most for her sense of humor. The world needs more like her and she will truly be missed.

Denise Bernatos - December 12, 2023 at 04:11 PM



“ Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of Jennifer A. Homoki.



December 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM

MM

“ Michael, Susan, Harper, Betsy and Mark planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jennifer A. Homoki.

Michael, Susan, Harper, Betsy and Mark - December 12, 2023 at 10:45 AM

JW

“ I remember the first time I met her at Mt Hill Tavern. She was a server and I was a hostess at the time. When we had a chance to talk it was like I knew her all my life. We got this Hugh fish in the restaurant. She got so excited that there were eggs in that fish. She scooped out all the eggs and took them to school for her students. She has us all laughing because of her excitement. Love you Jen

Janet Wingle - December 11, 2023 at 08:06 PM

JZ

Jen showed us all how to live life to the fullest, personally and professionally. What a remarkable person!

Jan Zeager - December 13, 2023 at 08:54 PM