



Michelle Jennay Jacquard

June 13, 1962 - November 12, 2019

Michelle Jennay Jacquard passed away suddenly November 12, 2019, at the age of 57. Michelle was born June 13, 1962 in Lansing, Michigan, daughter of Jerald and Dawn Jacquard. She graduated from Bloomington High School North in 1980, and attended Indiana University where she received a BA in 1985 and an MS in 1987.

Michelle is survived by her husband, David Bowling, daughter Castine Brock, son Cortland Brock, father Jerald, mother Dawn; brother Jerome (Georgey), sisters Renee' (Paul), and Nicole (Fred), all who will miss their sister. Michelle was also survived by nieces and nephews: Cole, Sean, Mia, Katey and Clayton; aunts and uncles, as well as numerous cousins and friends.

Michelle was a devoted daughter, sister and aunt. Earlier in life she was a member of the BHSN Varsity Swim Team and excelled in synchronized swimming where she competed with the IU club team. Michelle was a master gardener, she had a green thumb that was the envy of others and was constantly digging up new garden spaces around her home. A lifelong passion of Michelle's was her love of the culinary arts. Michelle was a talented chef – and from a young age could be found in the kitchen whipping up sweet and savory dishes for family and friends. After a full career at Bloomington Hospital, Michelle later in life followed her passion for cooking and started her own catering business A Moveable Feast. Michelle would frequently be seen catering art openings at Indiana University. She and David enjoyed spending weeks on-end traveling to Las Vegas, but her favorite vacation memories

were from the countless summers spent at the family cabin in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan.

Being a wife and mother was at the heart of Michelle's soul, and she lived for her children Castine and Cortland. Michelle was loved and will be greatly missed by many – particularly David, Castine and Cortland, and her immediate family members.

Visitation will be held Saturday November 16th, from 4-6pm at Allen Funeral Home and Crematory 4155 South Old State Road 37, Bloomington, IN 47401. Online condolences, photos and memories may be shared with family and friends at www.allencares.com and any floral tributes may be delivered to the funeral home by noon on Friday please.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **16**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory
4155 S. Old State Road 37
Bloomington, IN 47401
(812) 824-5905
<http://www.allencares.com>

Tribute Wall

EW

“ I remember Michelle from BHSN Swim Team. She was a great swimmer and a kind person. I only found out about her death from the BHSN 45th Class Reunion website. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Elizabeth Whalen - February 11, 2025 at 02:25 PM

EW

“ Elizabeth Whalen lit a candle in memory of Michelle Jacquard



Elizabeth Whalen - February 11, 2025 at 02:23 PM

KS

“ Michelle was such a wonderful person. I knew her when she worked at the Bloomington Hospital medical staff office. She would do anything to help me. My condolences to you to lose such a lovely person.

Karen Shacklette

Karen Shacklette - November 22, 2019 at 04:09 PM

LS

“ Sincere condolences to Michelle's family. I was privileged to work with Michelle many years ago. She was a delight.

Lee Simpson - November 20, 2019 at 08:46 AM

RL

“ Dear Dawn and Jerry, David, Castin, Cortland, Nicole, Rene, and Jerome and the entire Jacquard clan,

I send you my sincere condolence on the sudden passing of Michelle and I am so very, very sadden. I got to know Michelle well through Nicole and her fabulously catered Grunwald receptions. I always enjoyed peaking into the kitchen and visiting with David and Michelle. Michelle had the most warm and beautiful smile and she was always so full of life and she was always very good to all of us in serving the most scrumptious delicacies. She will me greatly missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time of your grief. May memories of Michelle sustain you. She made the best brownies ever! Love, Randy

Randy Long - November 18, 2019 at 04:53 PM

KB

“ Nicole and Jerome,

We were so sorry to hear of this sudden loss of your sister. She was so young. We know it will be hard to not have her around to share your lives. We hope you have some wonderful memories that will sustain you at this very difficult time.

Kathy, Jim, and Clark

Kathy Byers - November 16, 2019 at 04:44 PM

LW

“ Michelle was a joy to everyone with whom she interacted from lifeguarding at Brian Park in the late 70s to working at the Bloomington Hospital in the 90s to neighborhood get togethers since that time. My thoughts and prayers are with you, Castine and Cortland and the rest of the family.

Lillette Wood - November 16, 2019 at 10:52 AM

MA

“ Dawn & family & Michelle's family - I am so sorry for your loss. Michelle was a wonderful lady who I am thankful I got to know thru the hospital. I remember laughing with her about some of the things she encountered. I remember talking with her while she was in the hospital while pregnant with her 1st born. She always had a smile on her face & was someone that I am glad I got a chance to work with & know. You all will be in our prayers & thoughts in the coming days. Praying for comfort & peace for all of you.

Mary Frazo

Mary - November 16, 2019 at 09:29 AM

MH

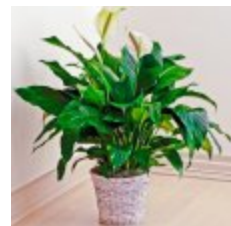
“ I am so very sorry to hear of Michelle's passing. I worked in the same department (rehab) approximately 30 years ago. I remember her as a very hard worker and a very sweet and intelligent person. She also accompanied Linda McNabb and I on a Christmas shopping trip to Chicago one year. I last saw Michelle about two years ago. At that time, she appeared to be very happy and was full of life. It is always a shock and great sadness when someone passes away at such a young age. Hopefully her memories and warmth will sustain her family. My deepest condolences.

Marsha Huberty

Marsha Huberty - November 16, 2019 at 08:00 AM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.



November 15, 2019 at 06:14 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White* was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.



November 15, 2019 at 04:58 PM



“ *Lavender & White Sympathy Floor Basket* was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.



November 15, 2019 at 04:19 PM



“ *My condolences to Cortland and his family for your loss. We had many swim team parties at your house and the desserts were always fantastic!! I'm so sorry for your loss.*

David Tanner - November 15, 2019 at 03:33 PM



“ *Kunga Norbu, Lhundrup Norbu & Family* purchased the *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket* for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.



Kunga Norbu, Lhundrup Norbu & Family - November 15, 2019 at 11:37 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 15, 2019 at 10:06 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 15, 2019 at 08:55 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 15, 2019 at 08:16 AM



“ *Rest In Peace Michelle, although I didn't know you well, I could tell you were a very nice lady. I thank you for your generous volunteer hours at the American Legion. You will be missed. David, you're in my thoughts and prayers*



Penny Buttery - November 14, 2019 at 10:16 PM

WR

“ *With Love from Aunt Julie and Rebecca and Rachel purchased the European Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



With Love from Aunt Julie and Rebecca and Rachel -
November 14, 2019 at 10:04 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 09:40 PM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – Purple was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 09:40 PM



“ *Multicolor Pastel Sympathy Basket was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 08:41 PM

AP

“ *My deepest sympathy to Michelle's family.
Abby Pietsch
BHSN 1980*



Abby Pietsch - November 14, 2019 at 08:17 PM

SG

“ *My condolences to the family for the lost of such amazing person,
daughter. wife, Mother.*

Suzanne Glynn - November 14, 2019 at 05:32 PM

GG

“ *Grunwald Gallery purchased the Multicolor Pastel
Sympathy Standing Spray for the family of
Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



Grunwald Gallery - November 14, 2019 at 04:59 PM



“ *Simply Lily was purchased for the family of
Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 02:35 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 02:30 PM



“ *Jerome & Georgey Jacquard lit a candle in memory of Michelle Jennay Jacquard*



Jerome & Georgey Jacquard - November 14, 2019 at 02:18 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 01:53 PM



“ *I spent many summers with Michelle and the family in the upper peninsula, recently reconnected online. She was such a sweet friend and person. Sorry for your loss. Prayers.*



Linda Casey Riemer - November 14, 2019 at 01:17 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 01:12 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear this. Thoughts and prayers to the family.*

Gina Wilkes Stillions

Gina Stillions - November 14, 2019 at 11:59 AM



“ *May memories of Michelle and the love of family surround you and give you strength in the days ahead. Sending caring thoughts and prayers, Debbie Wray*

Debbie Scott - November 14, 2019 at 11:58 AM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – White was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 11:02 AM

JC

“ *Julia and Mark Conlin purchased the Love's Embrace Roses – Purple for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



Julia and Mark Conlin - November 14, 2019 at 09:42 AM

HE

“ *Rene, (& all the Jacquard family)
So sorry for your loss of your sister!!! You are all in my prayers in this sorrowful time of grieving. May God speed heal your hearts & leave you with beautiful memories in your future days.
All my love,
Hope Ellington*

hope ellington - November 14, 2019 at 09:14 AM

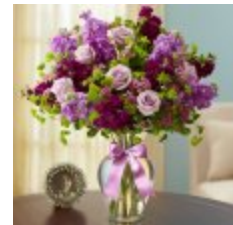
DW

“ *Thinking of the entire Jacquard family today and wishing I had the words to ease your pain. May memories of Michelle and the love of family surround you and give you strength in the days ahead. With sympathy, Debbie Wray*

Debbie Wray - November 14, 2019 at 09:12 AM



“ *Shades of Purple was purchased for the family of Michelle Jennay Jacquard.*



November 14, 2019 at 08:51 AM

ES

“ I want to express my deepest sympathies to the Jacquard family. I have loved working with Michelle for many years-she was a wonderful person.

Elizabeth A Stirratt - November 14, 2019 at 08:10 AM

CH

“ Cindy Hall lit a candle in memory of Michelle Jennay Jacquard



Cindy Hall - November 14, 2019 at 06:54 AM