

Laumer, Jenna 1983 - 2010



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LAUMER

Jenna Clare, born January 13, 1983, resident of Northside. Passed on January 19, 2010. Jenna was the second beloved daughter of Dave Laumer and Michele Laumer both of North Avondale. Dear sister of Sierra and Alaina Laumer. Granddaughter of Tom and Audrey Dierker. Visitation will be at The Gwen Mooney Funeral Home, on Saturday, January 23, 2010 between 4:00 and 8:00 p.m. On-line condolences to www.springgrove.org.

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Jenna attended Sands Montessori, Walnut Hills High School and Clark Montessori. Jenna graduated in the second graduating class of 2001 from Clark Montessori. She attended Warren Wilson College in Asheville, North Carolina and graduated from the University of Cincinnati in 2006 with a degree in Communications. She worked as an assistant cellar master for Dunham Cellars Winery in Walla Walla, Washington. Most recently, she worked for Urban Sites Properties, a developer of urban housing in Over the Rhine.

Jenna was a spirited, passionate woman who was deeply loved by many. Her bright energy and mind combined with her compassionate heart and empathy touched every one lucky enough to meet her. She had the unique ability to bring out the best in people. She lived her 27 years with fierce love, enthusiasm and courage. She would want us to do the same.

Jenna was diagnosed with T-Cell Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia in April, 2009. She was treated at Children's Hospital on A5South, and her family is forever grateful for the high-quality, loving medical care Jenna received during the past several months at Children's.

In addition to her parents, Jenna is survived by her sisters Sierra and Alaina and her boyfriend Timmy Carlin, her dog, Marlow, her grandparents, Tom and Audrey Dierker, as well as many aunts and uncles (Laumers, Dierkers, and Weavers) and dozens of cousins.

All are invited to gather to celebrate Jenna's life with her family in the Gwen Mooney Funeral Home at Spring Grove Cemetery on Saturday, January 23, 2010 between the hours of 4 and 8 p.m. Donations in Jenna's memory can be made to advance leukemia research to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, the Hoxworth Blood Bank or Visionaries and Voices, a non-profit that provides artistic and cultural opportunities for artists with disabilities.

Visit www.caringbridge.org/visit/jennaL to read more about Jenna's journey living with leukemia in her own words or to post a message to Jenna and or family or visit www.springgrove.org to send an online condolence.

Jenna asked that her family host a party/picnic for her when the weather is nicer. She asked for a celebration of life -hers and ours--and celebrate we will. She didn't want a funeral that was sad or dramatic--she really wanted us to have fun and to gather with a spirit of joy and love, the spirit she embodied so naturally. So we plan to have a party, hopefully at a lodge at a local park and we'll have music and potluck and dancing and we'll celebrate Jenna's amazingly bright light and the love we shared with her and between us. We'll send out details via [caringbridge](http://caringbridge.org), facebook and let the word spread. You can also send your email address to laumers@fuse.net.

On behalf of Jenna's family, thank you for the outpouring of love that continues to flow. It's like being in a tsunami of joy, appreciation and love -what better testament to a life well lived can there be!