



Kimberly "Kim" Dawn DeMers

March 25, 1978 - February 27, 2026

Kimberly "Kim" Dawn DeMers, age 47, of Grand Island, passed away on Friday, February 27, 2026 at Nebraska Medicine in Omaha.

A celebration of life service will be held on Friday, March 6th at 10:30am at Abundant Life Church. Kim's dear friend Angie Rose will be the service celebrant. A visitation will be held on Thursday, March 5th from 5-7pm at All Faiths Funeral Home. Memorials are suggested to the family or donor's choice. All Faiths Funeral Home is entrusted with arrangements. Condolences can be left at www.giallfaiths.com.

Kim was born on March 25, 1978, in Grand Island. She attended Westlawn Elementary School, Walnut Middle School, and Grand Island Senior High, graduating in 1996. After graduation she received a bachelor's degree in human services and then attended Bellevue University where she earned a master's degree in leadership and organizational development. Kim worked in family services as a social worker, and loved working with the children in any area she was involved in.

Kim was united in marriage to James Arnold, Jr. and Scott DeMers.

Kim had taken up sewing over the last few years. She found great joy in the friendships she made and how much she had learned. She was working on

creating her first quilt. Her faith was unwavering and her walk with Christ was very important to her. She attended Abundant Life Church and was active in her Bible study group. Kim had a servant's heart and spent many hours helping family members as well as friends.

Those left to cherish her memory include her son, Tylan Arnold of Grand Island; parents, Dana and Julie Bernth of Grand Island; sisters, Jennifer Bernth of Grand Island and Jaime (Mike) Woodruff of Blue Springs, MO; nieces, Reace and Rylee Woodruff and aunts, uncles and cousins.

Kim was preceded in death by her grandparents.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
2929 S Locust St
Grand Island, NE 68801
(308) 398-2929
allfaiths@giallfaiths.com
<https://www.giallfaiths.com/>

Celebration of Life

MAR 6. 10:30 AM (CT)

Abundant life Christian center
3411 W Faidley Ave
Grand Island, NE 68803

Tribute Wall



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Kimberly "Kim" Dawn DeMers.*



March 04 at 07:54 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kimberly "Kim" Dawn DeMers.

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“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kimberly "Kim" Dawn DeMers.*



March 04 at 02:31 PM



“ *Kim went to school and graduated with my little sister, Christi Gilliland. And was very good friends with my sister Angela as well. She was a great friend, one you could always count on for anything. I have very fond memories of her hanging out with my sister at my house. And she even went with our family to Great Lakes IL to Christi's Navy graduation. Prayers for her son, family and friends. Stephanie Gilliland-Webb*

Stephanie Webb - March 04 at 09:32 AM

BM

“ Kim and I met at my job and we became good friends. We talked about alot of things and one Saturday she decided she wanted to go to the dirt tack in Mccool Junction with me. We had so many laughs and she was learning what car was what and she liked it except the heat. But otherwise we had a blast. She got me a God's fingerprint and to this day its hanging on my wall. I will forever grateful to her and our friendship and all texts we sent eachother. I will miss her smile and laugh. Sorry for your loss to Tylan and the family.



Brenda Murphy - March 02 at 09:47 PM

TC

Thank you for your kind words. We miss her alot.

Trisha Copley - March 04 at 01:09 AM



“ I met Kim through Kristen Reeser on Independence Day in 2004 or 2005. Right away I was smitten with the sheer joy she brought into every gathering we had together. Kim was easy to talk to, a fierce friend, keeper of secrets, and steady prayer warrior. I could always count on Kim in good times and in bad. One of my best memories is when she asked me to crochet her a ladybug blanket. I was just learning at the time but, I did my absolute best and the blanket came out okay but, the ladybug looked like something out of a Picasso painting! Kim was over the moon about it though. She said, "No one else will ever have one exactly like it." That's who Kim was and I will miss her smile, her exuberance, and her light.



Michele Hahn - March 02 at 01:31 PM

TC

Thank you for your kind words and your beautiful picture. She was so much fun to be around. We miss her so much.

Trisha Copley - March 04 at 01:10 AM

DM

Thank you Kimmy for all the joy and smiles you so freely shared with everyone. We love you and will miss you. Love Aunt DeeDee. See you on the other side.

Diana Lynn Mckoski - March 06 at 11:50 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Friends of Kim*



Michele Hahn - March 02 at 12:38 PM