



Rikki Rene Koperski

July 26, 1987 - July 22, 2024

Rikki Rene Koperski, 36, of Grand Island passed away unexpectedly on Monday, July 22, 2024.

A memorial visitation will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Monday, July 29, 2024 at All Faiths Funeral Home. Private family burial of ashes will take place at a later date at Henderson Cemetery. Memorials are designated to the family.

Rikki was born on July 26, 1987 in Grand Island, daughter of Jerry and Trina (Penner) Koperski. Rikki was as unique as her name- thank you Rex Strinz.

Rikki was diagnosed with Juvenile diabetes at the age of 16 and battled many health issues over the years.

Rikki graduated from Aurora High School in 2006 and held various jobs after graduation until her health declined.

She enjoyed keeping up with everyone on Facebook, posting many recipes for food that we all knew she was never going to cook. Sending crazy texts and videos to her friends and family was a favorite past time, you never knew what you were going to get when Rikki's name popped up. Rikki was a fan of bright colors and it showed in her choice of hair color and nail designs.

Rikki believed that cardinals were a sign from her loved ones who had passed on and her angel babies she never got to meet. Rikki was a free spirit and lived her life her own way, never letting her issues get in the way.

Rikki is survived by her parents, Trina (Bryan Cook) Koperski and Jerry (Misty) Koperski; brothers, Matt (Mandy) Koperski, Brandon (Jaelyn) Cook, Nate Koperski, and Kelby Koperski; sister, Lexie (Rick) Bloomquist; five

nieces and nephews and one on the way; grandma, Shirley Stevenson and grandparents, Frank and Sharon Koperski; boyfriend, Clint Brainard and his children, Harley, Wyatt and Justin.

Rikki was proceeded in death by her grandfathers, Robert Penner Sr., and Greg Stevenson; grandparents, Dale and Sandy Cook and her best friend, DeAnna Athey.

Previous Events

Public Visitation

JUL **29**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
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<https://www.giallfaiths.com/>

Tribute Wall

LS

“ the salmon/Campbell family misses u and auntie. Tommrow will be 1 year without your smarty pants around. Sure miss u auntie wish I had more time with u than what I had love u and miss u so much

Lizzy salmon - July 21, 2025 at 05:24 PM

BM

“ Rikki and I worked together at Loves in Aurora for a time. Her quirkiness always brought a smile to my face. We kept in touch after we both left Loves. I'll miss our text messages and ribbing of each other

Bob Mobley - July 30, 2024 at 10:36 AM

LI

“ Lisa lit a candle in memory of Rikki Koperski



Lisa - July 29, 2024 at 05:36 PM

NP

“ Rikki, this has been a heartbreaking week since you left...we were not ready to let you go. You had a job to do and you did it so well, and there are so many people who said you are a blessing and will truly be missed. You and Matt were my everything when you were little, and yes you are your mom's little girl, but you will always be my first little girl too. Love you!! Aunt Nomi☐

Naomi Petersen - July 28, 2024 at 01:52 PM

RB

“ *Rebecca Bussinger lit a candle in memory of Rikki Koperski*



Rebecca Bussinger - July 27, 2024 at 10:11 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Rikki Rene Koperski.*



July 25, 2024 at 11:16 PM

WA

“ *Warner's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rikki Rene Koperski.*

Warner's - July 25, 2024 at 11:16 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Rikki Rene Koperski.*



July 25, 2024 at 10:16 PM

BA

“ So sorry to hear about Rikki we met once when I brought her a cat I had. Really liked her

Becky aldaba - July 25, 2024 at 08:57 PM

YL

“ Your Cardiopulmonary Family-Mary Lanning purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Rikki Rene Koperski.



Your Cardiopulmonary Family-Mary Lanning - July 25, 2024 at 06:02 PM