



## Tamera "Tammy" M. Sark

January 13, 1961 - May 9, 2012

Tamera "Tammy" M. Sark, 51 of Bluffton went home to be with her Lord early Wednesday morning with her family at her side.

Tammy was born on January 13, 1961 in Bluffton to James L. & Gloria J. (Messner) Courtney. She graduated from Bluffton High School with the class of 1979. After High School she worked at Corning Glass Works and CTS in Berne before attending Masters of Cosmetology School in Fort Wayne. Tammy was very proud to own and operate her shop titled "Hair For You" for over 20 years. She considered her customers to be close friends and family. Her smile and positive attitude always greeted others each day.

On May 23, 1987 in Bluffton Tammy (Knoble) and Rick Sark were married. They have shared the last 25 years together. When the twins, Chase and Shelby were born, Rick & Tammy's family was complete. She quickly became very involved in their lives as a Proud Bluffton Band Booster and working as a Bus Driver for many years. She was instrumental in starting Kate's Kitchen in Bluffton as a way to serve others in need. She attended Hope Missionary Church. Over the last 9 years she and Rick have operated Sark's Concessions.

Survivors include her father Jim Courtney, Husband Rick and children Chase & Shelby Sark all of Bluffton, along with sisters Linda Thompson and Pam

Warthman of Bluffton along with a brother James Knoble of Madison, West Virginia.

Friends are invited to visit with Tammy's family from 12 noon to 8 on Friday at the Thoma/Rich, Chaney & Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 12, 2012, at Hope Missionary Church with Pastor Gary Aupperle officiating, with calling starting at 12 noon at the church. Burial will follow at Elm Grove Cemetery in Bluffton. Memorials may be made to Kate's Kitchen through the funeral home. Friends can send online condolences to the family at [www.thomarich.com](http://www.thomarich.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 11. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich,Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
(260) 824-3850  
info@thomarich.com

## Visitation

MAY 12. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Hope Missionary Church  
429 E. Dustman Rd.  
Bluffton, IN

## Service

MAY 12. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Tamera "Tammy" M. Sark*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - May 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Tamera "Tammy" M. Sark*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *The family of C. Robert & Jane Reusser (both deceased) wish you and your family our sincere condolences at this time. I just read about her on-line; may your good memories console you. I remember her when she was young and growing up, as well as her mom, Gloria and Grandma Marge. Love, Nancy, Carol, Jim (deceased), John, Tim, Dave, Donna and Brian Reusser##imported-begin##Nancy (Reusser) Halstead##imported-end##*

May 19, 2012 at 01:02 PM



“ *Rick & Family, so sorry for your loss. Tammy was a good woman and will be greatly miss.##imported-begin##Jeff Bowman##imported-end##*

May 16, 2012 at 11:47 AM



“ Dear Rick,

*Chuck and I would like to express our deepest sympathies for your recent loss. I was sorry to hear the news when Chuck told me. May God be with you at this time and we will keep you and your family in our prayers.*

*Sincerely,*

*Caroline and Chuck Martin##imported-begin##Chuck & Caroline Martin##imported-end##*

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May 14, 2012 at 06:53 PM



“ RICK AND FAMILY,

*I AM SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS, YOU'RE IN MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS.*

*GOD BLESS,*

*JANET MYERS(JCI)##imported-begin##JANET MYERS##imported-end##*

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May 14, 2012 at 07:54 AM



“ Rick and family, Sorry to hear the lost of your wife and mother. You have our deepest sympathy and our prayers are with you at this time. The Lord be with you during this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Myron and Linda Hamrick##imported-end##

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May 12, 2012 at 05:30 PM



“ Dear Rick and family,  
We were very sorry to hear of your loss.  
Prayers are with you and the family.  
Larry and Mary##imported-begin##Larry and Mary  
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May 12, 2012 at 04:36 PM



“ You are always in our thoughts.

Sincerely,  
Kelly, Suthin Carney##imported-begin##Kelly Carney##imported-  
end##

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May 12, 2012 at 09:22 AM



“ Dear Rick, Chase & Shelby-

So sorry to hear of your loss. I remember Tammy from family  
holiday celebrations at her Grandma Marge's home when we were  
children (2nd cousins). I hope the memories of the love you shared  
bring you peace at this time.##imported-begin##Jerry Wittwer and  
family##imported-end##

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May 11, 2012 at 04:52 PM



“ Rich, Chase, Shelby and Jim,  
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Tammy was such a wonderful person and now she is a beautiful angel that will watch over you all forever. My thoughts and prayers are with you and the rest of your family and friends.

Dan##imported-begin##Dan Zeilbeck##imported-end##

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May 11, 2012 at 01:02 PM



“ Rick.. Just letting you know that we are thinking of you, Shelby and Chase. Our hearts, thoughts and prayers are with you. We will be thinking of you. I do hope that you have the Lipstick on Tammy! Love you. Julie and Dick##imported-begin##Julie and Dick Hinshaw##imported-end##

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May 11, 2012 at 11:21 AM



“ Dear Rick and Family

Was so sorry to hear about your loss. You are in our hearts, thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Dean and Brenda Fisher##imported-end##

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May 10, 2012 at 07:41 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. Keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Tami Grice LeFever##imported-end##

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May 10, 2012 at 03:11 PM



“ Dear Rick, Chase & Shelby,  
Our thoughts and prayers are with you all in this time of  
sorrow.##imported-begin##Bluffton First United Methodist  
Church##imported-end##

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May 10, 2012 at 10:56 AM



“ We know Tammy is living now without pain and rejoicing eternally  
with our Lord. We are so sorry for your loss, you are all in our  
prayers.##imported-begin##Dave & Karen Geary##imported-end##

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May 09, 2012 at 10:04 PM



“ Dear Rick and Family,  
  
My heart goes out to you in this time of sorrow. Tammy had so  
much courage here on this earth and a tremendous love for our  
Lord. I loved Tammy's laugh and know she is sharing her beautiful  
smile with all those who have gone before us. Love to you all.  
Mona##imported-begin##Mona Roll (Bollan)##imported-end##

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May 09, 2012 at 06:51 PM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Thinking of you and your  
family.##imported-begin##Kary&Angie Biberstein##imported-end##

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May 09, 2012 at 04:28 PM



“ Rick, We are both so sorry to hear of your loss. Please let us know if there is anything, at all, that you or the kids need.  
With love to you and the kids,  
David and Tabbie###imported-begin##David and Tabitha Hedrick  
###imported-end##

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May 09, 2012 at 02:55 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to you and the kids. We have lost a wonderful person, friend mother and wife to everyone. I know my mom and everyone of her family members were waiting w/open arms to receive this wonderful woman. I will miss her laugh and how she could make a bad day look good for everyone.

Rick, if you need anything pls let me know. You are all in my thoughts and prayers today and for the days and wks to come.

Love to all,

Jennifer and Dane Jesse###imported-begin##Rick and Family###imported-end##

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May 09, 2012 at 09:48 AM