



## Kathryn Paige Waterston

January 7, 1975 - April 27, 2016

TRAVERSE CITY – Kathryn “Kate” Paige Waterston, 41, of Traverse City. Heaven received a True Angel on April 27, 2016 with Kathryn’s sudden passing. She had lived in Traverse City for the past fifteen years under the loving supervision of the Brickways system.

A graduate of Shaker High School in Albany, New York, and of the Traverse Bay Area Career Center, Kate was a gold medal winning Special Olympics skier and swimmer and a wiz at Word Search. She also attended Grosse Pointe North High School where she was elected to the National Honor Society. She was employed at Grand Traverse Industries.

Facing a lifelong challenge of disabilities she was always cheerful and loving and has left many wonderful memories. She will live on in our hearts and through those memories in the lives of every person she touched.

Kate is survived by her parents Donna and Jim Waterston of Petoskey and brothers Jim of Cheboygan and Wes of Winnetka, IL, as well as nephews Patrick, Blake and Justus, and nieces Avery, Maeve, Whitney and Jasmine. She also leaves behind many friends at Brickways and Grand Traverse Industries.

A memorial service will be held for family and friends on Monday, May 2, at 11a.m. at the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home. Visitation will be held one hour prior at 10 a.m. at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Brickways Foundation, 935 Barlow Street, Traverse City, MI 49686.

Please share your thoughts and memories with Kathryn’s family by way of her online guestbook at <http://www.reynolds-jonkhoff.com>.

The family is being cared for by the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home.



# Events

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**MAY**   **Visitation**   10:00AM - 11:00AM

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Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home  
305 Sixth St, Traverse City, MI, US, 49684

**MAY**   **Funeral Service**   11:00AM

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# Comments

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“ Katie was a dear friend of mine in Grosse Point during the 80s. I will never forget our time in Mrs Proven's class or jumping on the trampoline in her back yard. She and her family were so wonderful. Even though time and miles separated us, she will always hold a special place in my heart. -Robert Gallimore, Washington DC

**Robert Gallimore** - January 31, 2017 at 06:51 AM

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“ I'm so saddened hearing of the loss of Katie. I loved her so much. I will treasure working with her for six months. We laughed for hours, she cry she laughed so hard. I remember taking her to the airport all the workers new who she was. We sat waiting for her flight, we just sat there giggling at our antics. She was an angel on earth and now in heaven. I've been blessed knowing Katie "Katydid" was my nickname for her. Mary Ginotti.



**MARY GINOTTI** - May 02, 2016 at 02:09 PM

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“ Katie will be truly missed. She was a pleasure to work with and always made me smile! My prayers are with her family.

**Jeanie M. Mallison** - May 02, 2016 at 02:06 PM

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“ So sorry to hear of Kate's sudden passing.

We will always remember Kate so beautiful and happy swimming and always surrounded by her loving family.

God Bless,  
Shirley and Verne Osterlund

**Shirley and Verne Osterlund** - April 29, 2016 at 11:41 AM

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“ Our prayers are with you during this time. Your friends and neighbors in Bay Harbor, Todd and Tracy Wenzel.

**Todd Wenzel** - April 29, 2016 at 11:09 AM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. May God be with you and grant you the peace during this difficult time that only He can.

Art and Betsy Hasse

**art Hasse** - April 28, 2016 at 09:57 PM

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“ Debra And Kevin Giddis lit a candle in memory of Kathryn Paige Waterston



**Debra and Kevin Giddis** - April 28, 2016 at 09:21 PM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. So sorry for your great loss.

Donna and Gil Clark

**donna Clark** - April 28, 2016 at 08:13 PM

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“ We send our sincere sympathies and are so very sorry for your heartbreaking loss.  
David and Debbie White

**debbie White** - April 28, 2016 at 07:43 PM

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“ Heaven did receive a sweet, sweet angel! Shocked and saddened to hear this news.  
God Bless you....Kathryn is in God's care. Our hearts go out to you. You are in our  
prayers.  
Love, Debi & John Goodman

**Debi Goodman** - April 28, 2016 at 07:13 PM



“ Thinking of you in this time of sadness. Kate was a special young lady for all of us. Love  
Dave and Diana Moore

**Dave Moore** - April 29, 2016 at 07:21 AM