



Stacey Annette Cover

May 30, 1964 - June 14, 2015

Stacey Annette Cover, age 51, of Loveland, CO was born on May 30th, 1964 in Minot, North Dakota. She is survived by her mother, Darlene Ziegler of Billings, Montana. Her father, Louis Ziegler, passed away in 1973 when Stacey was 9 years old. Louie was from a family of ten children and emigrated from Europe as a teenager. Stacey was very proud to be a first generation American with German ancestry.

Stacey grew up in Billings, Montana and attended Miles Avenue Elementary, Lewis & Clark Junior High and Billings West High School, graduating in 1982. Her most fond high school memories were of singing in the choir and performing in musicals and plays where she made many lifelong friends and met the love of her life, Jim. Nobody made a better Grettle in The Sound of Music than Stacey. She attended Carroll College in Helena, Eastern Montana College in Billings, and Montana State University in Bozeman studying business marketing. In 1984 her and Jim were married and began their action packed fun filled life together.

Right from the start Stacey and Jim took on many projects together including starting their own businesses (CVR – Montana Furniture Industries , Montana Furniture Galleries, and building homes in Bozeman, Montana), and building a beautiful mountain home on the Bozeman Pass. In 1988 and 1990 they brought their two daughters, Jennifer Darlene and Katherine Anne-Marie, into

the world. The family attended Hope Lutheran Church in Bozeman and Stacee was actively involved in the music programs there.

Stacee shared her love of God through her voice and was involved in many music projects including performing with the Hope Lutheran Church choir, the Bozeman Symphony Choir, Montana Theater Works, the Firehouse 5 Playhouse, the Larimer Chorale, the Timberline Church choir, and many different praise teams.

Since relocating to Fort Collins in 2003 Stacee and Jim took on many different projects including building two custom homes and creating two companies: Rocky Mountain Woodworks in Fort Collins and The Artisan Shop in Loveland. More recently she worked as an ambassador for Aegerion Pharmaceuticals sharing her life story and her experience living with hypercholesterolemia and mentoring other men and women who had the same rare disease she did. In everything she did, including her work with Aegerion, she tried to help make the world a brighter, happier place.

Stacee is preceded in death by grandparents, Bill & Denise Stacey and Peter & Veronika Ziegler, her father, Louie, and by her faithful chocolate lab Libby and her robust black cat Spooky. Stacee is survived by her mother, Darlene, her sister, Marianne, her husband, Jim, her daughters, Jennifer and Katie, and many other loving relatives and friends.

In lieu of flowers please consider making a donation to the FH Foundation in honor of Stacee's courage in living with homozygous familial hypercholesterolemia; this cause was very dear to her heart and being such a rare disease this cause gets little support. You can make a donation in her name at <http://thefhfoundation.org/donate>. Please reference Stacee Cover with email address cover.jennifer@gmail.com if you chose to donate.

There will be a public Celebration of Life Service held for her on Saturday, June 20th at 11AM at Timberline Church, South Auditorium, 2908 S. Timberline Rd. in Fort Collins. Any and all who were touched by Stacee are invited to come celebrate her life and to remember her legacy.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUN **20**. 11:00 AM (MT)

Timberline Church
2908 Timberline Rd. Fort Collins, CO US 80525
Fort Collins, CO 80525

Tribute Wall

LC

“ Dearest Jim, Jennifer, Katie, and family,
My Heart goes out to you all, may you find HER LOVE wherever you are at all times. I am so sorry for your loss of her loving and warm presence. Dear Dear Stacee, from one quarter note to another, I will love you forever. We had so much fun singing together in our Quarter Note Quartet. The four of us, Stacee, Cindi, Marti, and I, getting together whenever we could to practice, watching our children run around and play all over Hope Lutheran Church, especially under the Church pews while we were up front singing.

4 Moms singing away together, sometimes with a faster beat to get through the song so that we could take turns tending to our children. Such fun and blessed memories. We sang together as a Quartet for 10 years, I think 1990 to 2000. We even made a CD, called Music for Hope in 1999. But a major great memory and wonderful time for me with Stacee was when Mathew Savery of the Bozeman Symphony chose us to do a Duet together in the Spring Gala Concert in March of 1998. We sang "Laudamus te" from Vivaldi's Gloria. I will never forget walking out on stage together, looking at each other and smiling, we couldn't believe this was really happening, then afterwards hugging and laughing and being so relieved that it went well! Thank you for being a part of my life and from one of our songs on our CD, "Da Pacem Domine": Grant us Peace, O Lord,
in this Our Day. Much Love always to you all, Lila Cebulla and family in Bozeman MT

Lila Cebulla - June 20, 2015 at 11:00 PM



“ *Stacee was always, always welcoming. Whether we were visiting the Covers in a single-wide trailer or in the beautiful house she and Jim built together, she unfailingly treated everyone with graciousness and love. She was a tough, vibrant, open-hearted human being, and Colorado was lucky to have her. She'll be missed.*

Kathleen Cummings - June 19, 2015 at 09:55 AM



“ *I got to know Stacee in Church Choir and always admired her Love for life and never afraid to face a challenge. I will miss her smile and hugs very much. I'm sure she is still singing for us now!!! My heart goes out to Jim and the Family and I will be praying for Gods Comfort and Peace to be with you all. Stacee was an awesome woman!!*

Your Friend for life. David Hettinger

David Hettinger - June 19, 2015 at 09:26 AM

RE

“ My first thought today when I saw the notice in the Bozeman paper was sudden grief and sadness...but as my day evolved, it has been filled with these wonderful memories at Hope Lutheran Church in Bozeman, where we all started singing together. I can only remember great joy and lots of laughs as we gathered for rehearsal or early AM warmups.

I also so loved your humor-filled Christmas cards, that made me feel like we still knew each other, like we were "standing in the Gap together".....God is Good all the time...and all the time... God is Good.

I am so sorry for the pain that you are now feeling...no words can surpass the grief. I am also taken by two songs that we have all sung together or in later ensembles. "I can only Image" and the "Potter's Hand"...both speak to the bigger picture of eternity...God's richest blessing to Jim and family.

Robyn Erlenbush - June 19, 2015 at 12:33 AM

MM

“ Dear Jim and Jennifer and Katie, Some people come into our lives and quickly go. Some stay for awhile and leave footprints on our hearts and we are never the same. Stacee has left a huge beautiful footprint on my heart, as has knowing your whole family, and I will never be the same. My heart aches for all of you. You will be in my thoughts and. prayers for months to come. We are all hurting and can't comprehend your heartaches. Please just know you are being lifted up in prayer. Love in Christ, One Quarter of the Quarter Notes of Hope Lutheran in Bozeman, Marti Miller (and Dale and Matt & Amy)

Marti Wangerud Miller - June 18, 2015 at 06:25 PM



Kari
Doll

“ I have many wonderful memories of sharing the stage with Stacee and Jim. Such a beautiful, talented women she was! PLUS singing in the Bozeman Symphonic Choir with them too :). My favorite memory of Stacee was when she was hosting a "girl's night" at her house up Jackson Creek after we closed Guys and Dolls. Everything was all hunky-dory until this cop showed up... ;)

Kari Doll - June 18, 2015 at 03:20 PM



PG

“ Jim, Jennifer, and Katie, I was so sad for all of you when I heard of Stacee's passing on to her next life. I remember Stacee as a co-worker at Shaw, and my memories include her ever present smile and adoration of each of you. You are in my thoughts and prayers as you mourn during the huge absence of Stacee in your daily lives.

Pinky Glick

Pinky Glick - June 18, 2015 at 02:38 PM



“ Godiva Gold Ballotin (70 pc) was purchased for the family of Stacee Annette Cover.



June 18, 2015 at 11:29 AM

LF

“ I still remember the first time I met Stacey, her warmth and happiness made me decide to use her to build our island! She was a wonderful person who always went above and beyond! I still remember the Christmas card with the family on the roof top! You will be missed!

So sorry for your loss.

Mark and Lorie Fischer

Lorie Fischer - June 18, 2015 at 10:53 AM

TC

Jim, Jennifer and Katie, Sending you guys so much love and strength during these hard times. Stacey had such an amazing impact of this world and those around her. Her passing to the other side is a time to celebrate all the joyful moments that you shared. Your in my thoughts and prayers. ~Todd

Todd J Cover - June 19, 2015 at 09:06 AM

DM

Jim, Jennifer and Katie, so very sorry for your loss of your sweet Stacey. Dustin is our son and that is how we met you all. Dustin so admired Stacey as he worked with her at the Artisan Shop. We were privileged to meet Stacey through the many appreciation dinners. What a wonderful person she was. We're so glad she knew our Lord and Savior and it sounds like she will be singing in heaven! - Deenie Marsh

Deenie Marsh - June 24, 2015 at 12:50 PM