



## Ceara Renee Perkins

June 5, 1994 - February 2, 2019

Ceara Renee Perkins, age 24 of Curryville, passed away suddenly February 2, 2019 at Mercy Hospital in St. Louis.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00am Friday at the Bibb-Veach Funeral Home in Bowling Green with Rev. Nathan Detmer officiating. Burial will be in the Curryville Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 4:00pm until 8:00pm on Thursday at the funeral home.

Ceara was born June 5, 1994 in Hannibal, MO, the daughter of Jeffrey Lee and Linda Lou Watson Flowers. She married Troy Donald Perkins June 16, 2018 in Frankford.

Ceara is survived by her husband Troy of Curryville; parents Jeffrey and Linda Flowers of Curryville; sister Alicia Lee Flowers of Curryville; maternal grandfather Henry Watson of Curryville; paternal grandparents Hermie and Dorothy Flowers of Curryville; grandmother-in-law Barbara Darnell; aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her maternal grandmother Kathleen Watson who passed away in 2016.

Ceara grew up in Bowling Green and was a 2012 graduate of Bowling Green

High School, graduating in the top ten percent of her class and magna cum laude. While in school, Ceara was a member of the FFA and Alpha Beta Gamma. Ceara's passion was track and cross country. She participated in 4 years of track and cross country from 2008-2012 and earned numerous all conference, all district, all state, and several school records while competing for the Lady Cats. According to Coach and mentor Matt Chance, she was a fierce competitor but also one of the best leaders in the history of the cross-country program.

Upon graduating, she attended Culver Stockton College. While there, she ran cross-country for three years and graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in Nursing in 2016. She furthered her passion for nursing by attending the Blessing-Rieman Nursing Program in Quincy, IL where she earned her RN license.

After graduation she worked for Hannibal Regional Hospital doing inpatient rehabilitation before spending the last year and a half working at The Aviary Recovery Center in Eolia, MO where she had just recently been promoted to the night charge nurse. As a nurse, Ceara was known for her compassion, outstanding bedside manners, and great intellect. Nursing and caring for others were her mission. She was a completely selfless individual.

Along with running, Ceara loved reading, horse back riding, hunting, cards, bowling and bargain shopping at thrift stores. She loved her animals and being with her friends.

When people were down, she had a way of turning them around. Her smile was infectious.

Serving as pallbearers will be Jeff Johnson, Kyle Elliott, Bill Hedgpeth, Matt Chance, Cody Watson and Donald Griffith. Serving as honorary pallbearers

will be Camdon Elliott, Tucker Watson and Tyler Johnson.

Memorials may be made to the donors' choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Curryville Cemetery

Curryville, MO 63339

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 7. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's & Crematory LLC - Bowling Green  
606 West Main Street  
Bowling Green, MO 63334  
(573) 324-2211  
office@bibbveach.com  
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## Funeral Service

FEB 8. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

LW

“ I ran cross country and track with Ceara at Culver-Stockton. Ceara touched so many lives for the good in the short time I knew her. I'm grateful I had the chance to know her both as a friend and athlete. My deepest condolences.

Lindsay W - February 07, 2019 at 05:44 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ceara Renee Perkins.



February 07, 2019 at 03:39 PM



Heather Nicole

“ I am so shocked to hear this I went to school with Ceara from 4th grade all the way to 11th grade ceara was such an amazing person ceara was caring loving and ceara loved to do cross country I enjoyed being in her presents and talking to ceara on the bus ceara had this smile that u couldn't help but smiling back. I remember seeing cara all the time at the park in frankford. I am just lost for words I just seen her in Walmart in bowling green on friday I said hi to her but I didn't think that was going to be my last hi how are u. my heart hurts for ceara and her family ceara sure was one of a kind and my condolences goes to ceara's family.



Heather Nicole - February 07, 2019 at 12:30 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Ceara Renee Perkins.*



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February 06, 2019 at 11:25 AM



“ *Jeff and family,*

*I am very sorry to hear of your loss. I know how hard it is to lose a child. I will keep you in my prayers. I remember you talking about your daughter and her running while we were at Buckhorn.*

*Again, I am very sorry for your loss.*

*Mike Wagner*

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**Mike Wagner** - February 06, 2019 at 04:55 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Ceara Renee Perkins.*



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February 05, 2019 at 10:41 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Ceara Renee Perkins.*



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February 05, 2019 at 09:41 PM



“ *Laura Weatherford purchased the FULL OF LOVE BOUQUET for the family of Ceara Renee Perkins.*

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**Laura Weatherford** - February 05, 2019 at 08:56 PM



“ *Jack And Jane Reid lit a candle in memory of Ceara Renee Perkins*



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**Jack and Jane Reid** - February 05, 2019 at 05:37 PM



“ *Bowling Green High School Class of 2012 purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Ceara Renee Perkins.*



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**Bowling Green High School Class of 2012** - February 05, 2019 at 02:52 PM

FM

“ *She was so sweet at Culver. She was super nice, always had a smile and very cheerful. ❤️*

Fred Moore - February 05, 2019 at 06:03 AM



“ *Deb Madigan lit a candle in memory of Ceara Renee Perkins*



Deb Madigan - February 05, 2019 at 05:40 AM

CO

“ *Cindy Poyser Osborne lit a candle in memory of Ceara Renee Perkins*



Cindy Poyser Osborne - February 05, 2019 at 12:59 AM

 Britany White

“ *I remember Ceara when she went through Recruitment at Culver. I wasn't fortunate enough to know except through pictures and some of the other ladies. She had a light that will never be extinguished. Fly high little, you will be greatly missed. Sigma Kappa PC94*



Britany White - February 04, 2019 at 11:34 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ceara Renee Perkins.*



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February 04, 2019 at 11:15 PM



“ *She had a Beautiful smile. She will be missed by All. Linda so sorry for your loss of your sweet girl. Jeanne and Rick Worley.*



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**Jeanne Worley** - February 04, 2019 at 09:28 PM



“ *PRAYERS for ALL of her family!!! May God be with all of you and comfort you.*

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**Tammie Turner** - February 04, 2019 at 08:12 PM



“ *Toy Stanton Bennett lit a candle in memory of Ceara Renee Perkins*



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**Toy Stanton Bennett** - February 04, 2019 at 08:06 PM

MW

“ I had the pleasure of being Sigma Kappa’s Beta Mu Recruitment Supervisor the year Ceara was President. She was a complete delight to work with and made me feel welcome from the start. I was so sad to hear the world had lost her light. My sincere condolences to all of her loved ones and her Beta Mu sisters.

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**Megan Wardlow** - February 04, 2019 at 06:14 PM

HA

“ I ran cross-country with Ceara for four years while attending Culver Stockton College. She was always the first to congratulate or console anyone on our team. She was a determined runner and someone we all looked up to. Ceara, I will miss you dearly.

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**Hannah A.** - February 04, 2019 at 05:40 PM

CH

“ I was Ceara's academic advisor during her freshman year at Culver-Stockton College. Although I did not know her well, I know she was an excellent student, and she completed the very difficult nursing program with honors. My deepest condolences go to Ceara's family and friends.

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**Chris Huebotter** - February 04, 2019 at 03:57 PM

PM

Ceara worked for me at Moore-Pike Nursing Home as a nurses aide while home from college, etc. She was a sweet girl with a beautiful smile. She comes from a wonderful family. She will be greatly missed.

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**Pam Meier** - February 04, 2019 at 04:11 PM

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“ *Kierstyn Biedenharn Sigma Kappa PC 2016 purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Ceara Renee Perkins.*



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**Kierstyn Biedenharn Sigma Kappa PC 2016** - February 04,  
2019 at 02:46 PM