



Sarah Elizabeth Watrous

April 3, 1985 - October 26, 2022

Sarah Elizabeth Watrous passed away on October 26, 2022, at the age of 37, from a sudden, overwhelming infection.

Sarah is survived by her mother, Barbara, who lives in Camas, Washington, her father Daniel and step-mother Valerie, as well as siblings Paul, David, and Gregory Watrous, Alisha and Jason Lefaive their children Makennah, Madasyn, and Milana, Matthew and Jennifer Bethany their children Bailey and Cole, Jonathan and Tammy Bethany their children Jonathan, Lillyanna, and Greyson, who all live in Visalia, California, her uncle Jason and Mary Read of Huntington Beach, California, and her aunt Susan of Visalia, California.

Sarah has joined her previously departed grandparents, her mother's parents, Paul and Betty Read, of Fresno, California, and her father's parents, Stephen and Margit Watrous, of Ledyard, Connecticut.

Sarah was born in Orange, California and developed severe brain damage from infection at birth. This caused blindness and marked developmental delay. She moved with her family to Visalia, California in 1989, with a life filled with therapy and doctors as well as brothers and dogs. When she was of age, she went to live at Jan & Gail's Care Homes in Visalia. She received excellent care there for 19 years and the family so appreciates all the love and kindness they have shown to Sarah.

Sarah loved any music with a strong beat, eating, getting attention with her few words at the most opportune times, and laughter.

Sarah was a happy girl and woman on earth, and now she is the perfect Sarah.

The interment will be held on Monday, November 14th, at noon in the northwest quadrant of the Visalia Cemetery which can be entered at 1300 W. Goshen, Visalia.

Services have been entrusted to Salser & Dillard Funeral Chapel. Memorial Tributes and condolences may be offered by logging onto www.salseranddillard.com.

Previous Events

Graveside

NOV **14**. 12:00 PM (PT)

Visalia District Cemetery
1300 W Goshen Ave
Visalia, CA 93291

Tribute Wall



“ *Salsler & Dillard Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Sarah Elizabeth Watrous*



Salsler & Dillard Funeral Chapel - November 08, 2022 at 12:11 PM

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“ *I have been Blessed to be a friend of Barbara's for 30 years and watched Sarah grow from a young child. I even got to watch her at my home a few times. Sarah would light up a room with her smile. She loved to be talked to and get up and have you help her take steps. I give a big praise to Barbara and say what a fantastic mom she was to Sarah, and is to her boys. Even though Sarah was a joy, I witnessed all the hard work, love and dedication it took to raise Sarah. She was always dressed so cute and was always included in everything the Watrous family did. She will be missed by many but I am going to rejoice knowing that she can now see and dance in the presence of our Lord Jesus Christ . Love you Sarah!!!*

Denise Flores - November 10, 2022 at 02:03 PM

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“ *Our family wants to send condolences and love to the family of this wonderful young lady. May you all have amazing memories of her. Hugs to all.*

Carol Fina - November 07, 2022 at 04:05 PM

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Barb, My condolences for your loss of Sarah! My love is with you and your family. God bless you and send you comfort and peace!
Patti Lefaive

Patti LeFaive - November 08, 2022 at 08:40 PM