

Jennifer Marie Gates

August 18, 1988 ~ March 1, 2025

Our deepest condolences for your loss. Jennifer was a bright spot in the neighborhood. She always had a smile for us and was such an example of strength and faith.

- Bruce and Chris Westwood

Knowing Jenny from her entrance into this mortal life until she passed through the veil into eternity has been an example of faith. Her personality was addictive. Her smile brightened everything around her. She cheered up the sad and made everyone feel glad they were in her midst. My heart is saddened, but I rejoice in the knowledge she's been welcomed back into the arms of her beloved Savior, restored into a perfect body, willing to keep serving. My thoughts and prayers are with the family forever.

- Merrill Russell (uncle)

There are no words to express the heartfelt loss of a loved one. Jennifer chose life and she was loved by all who walked that journey with her. My sincere condolences to you Jeff, Leslie, James, Tyler and Jenny's grandparents. I will miss but not forget her sparkling dark eyes, hearty laugh and big bright smile at future family gatherings. My prayers for comfort and peace are with you. Aunt Ina

- Ina Hudson, aunt

Oh, sweet Jenny, It is with a heart full of love and sadness combined that I say farewell for a short time until I am called to heaven myself. You have been such a precious miracle all of your remarkable life. My love can't be put into words , because not only are you my first granddaughter, but you were born with a heart needing medical help. You fought through all odds and lived. You made the best of everything you have accomplished and made us proud. Always looking for interesting things to do and see. Many eyes have been on you as you continued to be happy, build your firm testimony, and to let your light shine brightly for others to see and be inspired by. I know our Heavenly Father loves you, His precious daughter. My love is deep and hard to put into words.

- GUELDA RUSSELL GATES , Jenny's grandmother

I remember the last few times I saw Jenny at various family gatherings she was so smiley and full of light. I didn't know her very well, but I can picture her smile even though she is no longer with us. She was there with us for the death of my grandfather and of my Uncle Devin and she lit up every room. Fly high Jenny, God be with you til we meet again.

- hannah

Jenny and I first became friends when we were kids back in Oregon, and we became fast friends. We both had a love of music and whimsy, and I remember playing dolls and making our own musicals. When I heard the news about Jenny's passing, I immediately wanted to rekindle that spark of joy that we shared together and played dolls with my daughter, making sure to involve a bit of music as well. Jenny was such a sweet person and will be greatly missed by so many, and her memory will live on.

- Amanda "Jaime" Stahle

I met her at the Taylorsville institute in 2011 or 12. She was excited to see me when I went back to the institute after my tonsillectomy in 2012 . I danced with her one time at the Jordan institute before 2020. We had good conversations texting each other . over the past few years. She will be greatly missed . I’m sorry for your loss .

- Brandon P

My deepest condolences as we will miss seeing Jenny in this life. I am so grateful for the time I was able to spend with Leslie and Jenny this past Christmas. Thank you so much for that opportunity. I will miss Jenny and her beautiful smile and attitude toward life.

- David Merrill