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Julie Reese, 42

Feb. 27, 1967 - Jan. 6, 2010

OLATHE, KS — Julie Ann Reese, 42, Olathe, KS, died at her home on Wednesday, January 6, 2010, of leukemia. Visitation was held Sunday, January 10, 2010, from 6-8 p.m. and the funeral was Monday, January 11, 2010, at 1 p.m. at Countryside Baptist Church, 14150 W. 175th St., Olathe, KS, with burial following at Pleasant Valley Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 6811 Shawnee Mission Pkwy, Suite 202, Shawnee Mission, KS 62202.



Julie was born on February 27, 1967, in Harlan, to Allyn and Beverly (Pries) Bartelson. She graduated from Irwin-Kirkman Community High School in Irwin, as Valedictorian of her class in May 1985. In 1989, she received her Bachelor's Degree in Music Education from Iowa State University in Ames.

Julie married Larry Reese in 1990 at the Irwin United Methodist Church. She completed her Master's Degree at Mid-America Nazarene University in 1999. Julie taught band, piano, strings, and vocal music in Iowa, Missouri, and Kansas schools. Since 1999, she taught vocal music at Regency Place Elementary. Julie was active in 4-H, church, and played the flute in the ISU Marching Band. She enjoyed serving children in Sunday School, church choir, AWANA, and 4-H. Julie was a member of Countryside Baptist Church in Olathe, KS.

Julie is survived by her husband, Larry; daughters, Samantha, Linea, and Hannah; parents, Allyn and Beverly (Pries) Bartelson, Irwin; sisters, Linda Player, Olathe, KS, Peggy and (Derrick) Barker, Marshalltown; mother-in-law, Sandy Reese, Schaumburg, IL; brothers-in-law/sisters-in-law, Tom and Lisa Reese, Algonquin, IL, Nancy and Jeff Hesemann, Tigard, OR; niece, Michaela Player, nephews, Brandon and Jonathan Reese; step-nieces/stepnephews, Ashlee (Barker) and Corey Stupp, Zander and Emma; and other relatives and friends.

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