



## Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter

April 8, 1971 - March 12, 2015

Hampton, NH – Carolyn Ann “Carrie” Hunter, 43, of Hampton, lost her courageous battle with cancer Thursday, March 12, 2015 at Merrimack Valley Hospice House, Haverhill, MA.

Carrie was born April 8th, 1971 in Salem, MA the daughter of Paul O’Keefe of Hampton and the late Francine (Mendalka) O’Keefe.

A longtime resident of Topsfield, MA she graduated from Governor’s Academy in Byfield, MA. She attended Gettysburg College in Gettysburg, PA and then transferred to and went on to graduate from the University of Colorado Boulder in 1993 with a Bachelor’s Degree in Fine Arts. Post-graduation she was employed as a staffing consultant in the Boston, MA area.

Carrie’s smile and presence would always be felt no matter what she was doing. She had the uncanny ability to find the good in every person she came in contact with. Carrie most of all loved being surrounded by her loving friends and family. The outpouring of support and love she received from her initial battle with breast cancer beginning in January of 2014 truly showed what an impact she made on everyone she knew.

In addition to her father, Carrie is survived by her two wonderful daughters, Sarah and Elizabeth Hunter of Hampton; her loving companion Nathan

Lowrey and his two children Jake and Anna of Hampton; brother Paul O'Keefe, Jr., his wife Robyn and their two daughters, Morgan and Danielle of Hollywood, FL; step-brother David Brown his wife Erin and their daughter Avery of Ipswich, MA.

In addition to her mother she was predeceased by her stepmother Arlene O'Keefe.

Visiting hours will be held from 4-7 PM, Monday, March 16, 2015 in the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, 811 Lafayette Road, Hampton. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 AM, Tuesday, March 17, 2015 in St. Theresa Church, 815 Central Road, Rye Beach. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Merrimack Valley Hospice House, 360 North Ave, Haverhill, MA 01830.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **16**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Remick & Gendron Funeral Home - Crematory

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# Tribute Wall



“ Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ I am so happy to have had the chance to meet Carrie and her girls when they were part of my Music Together class. Those classes in North Hampton hold a special place in my heart because of the wonderful parents and children that were part of them. I am thankful Carrie and her girls crossed my life path. Goodbye, so long, farewell my friend. You will be missed.

Sharon Morton - April 04, 2015 at 03:24 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. We know the pain you are all going through.  
Family and friends will give you strength to get through this difficult time.  
Take comfort knowing she no longer is in pain.  
Carol and Len Sampson  
Melrose, Ma.

carol sampson - March 16, 2015 at 07:35 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.



March 16, 2015 at 03:43 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.*



March 16, 2015 at 10:50 AM



“ *0 file added to the tribute wall*

**Kate Bilsbury** - March 16, 2015 at 08:56 AM



“ *We lost a beautiful soul who brought warmth acceptance and love into your life. I will think of you each day, and be there to support your wonderful partner Nate and your beautiful young girls. My days were made brighter having spent meaningful times with you. We love you Carrie, and we will celebrate your meaningful life. Love and Prayers, we miss you so much.*

**Shep Kroner** - March 16, 2015 at 08:33 AM



“ *Michael M. purchased the Heavenly Sentiments Spray for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.*



**Michael M.** - March 16, 2015 at 07:49 AM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.*



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March 16, 2015 at 05:33 AM



“ *Advantage Plus Cleaning Services purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.*



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**Advantage Plus Cleaning Services** - March 15, 2015 at 08:08 PM



“ *I am deeply sorry for the tragic loss of such a wonderfully authentic person. My thoughts and prayers are with Carrie's friends and family. I knew her casually through mutual friends from Acorn School, and I instantly liked her, she was so funny- real girl's girl. She always had a story or thought about her daughters, it was so obvious she loved them deeply. I am truly sorry for their loss.*

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**valerie sununu** - March 15, 2015 at 02:07 PM



“ *Paul, Thinking of you and your family during this sad time. With deepest condolences from all the McMahan's from Kosciusko Street.*

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**Dermot McMahan** - March 15, 2015 at 10:26 AM

WM

“ Wendy Morse purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.



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Wendy Morse - March 14, 2015 at 07:16 PM

GC

“ As always, you are all in my prayers. Gale & Russ Cummings

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Gale and Russ Cummings - March 14, 2015 at 05:39 PM

LW

“ Lisa Fagg Whitt sent a virtual gift in memory of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter



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Lisa Fagg Whitt - March 14, 2015 at 04:26 PM

LW

“ Wish I could be there to help support family...I know from experience with cancer it is a nasty thing. Sorry to say my husband was a cancer survivor but lost him to heart failure this past November. My thoughts and prayers are with the family during this difficult time.  
Love Lisa Fagg Whitt

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Lisa Fagg Whitt - March 14, 2015 at 04:25 PM

SH

“ *SBG Healthcare purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.*



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**SBG Healthcare** - March 14, 2015 at 02:35 PM

TG

“ *The Sanford Barrows Group purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.*



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**The Sanford Barrows Group** - March 14, 2015 at 02:31 PM



“ *Bountiful Rose Basket was purchased for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.*



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March 14, 2015 at 11:31 AM

BF

“ *Bill and Margaret Welch and Family purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.*



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**Bill and Margaret Welch and Family** - March 14, 2015 at 08:48 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.



March 13, 2015 at 03:00 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter.



March 13, 2015 at 02:43 PM



“ Carrie was a dear friend of my daughter's. She was one of a wonderful group of young women who loved each other and shared their lives with one another. Carrie, I wish you peace and rest now. You were a brave woman, wonderful Mom and good friend.

*Love, Martha Cunningham*

**martha cunningham** - March 13, 2015 at 02:26 PM



“ Cindy lit a candle in memory of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter



**Cindy** - March 13, 2015 at 01:55 PM

ET

“ I met Carrie 7 years ago when our daughters went to Acorn school, we were "Acorn Mommies" Carrie is someone you like instantly as did I. Although we live in different towns I saw her on and off over the years and stayed in close touch with her during her battle and was so sad to hear of her passing.  
My prayers for Sarah and Elizabeth to thrive having had such a wonderful woman as their Mom. God Bless you Carrie and your beautiful girls....



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**Erin Tortorella** - March 13, 2015 at 01:19 PM

CA

“ Carrie was one of my sisters best friends at Govenir Dummer. She was a sweet girl with a fabulous sense of humor. Her children should know she was a great person and I'm lucky I got to meet her. See you later, Carrie. xx oo

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**carey aquino** - March 13, 2015 at 10:51 AM

PS

“ Paulina Shadowens lit a candle in memory of Carolyn A. "Carrie" Hunter



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**Paulina Shadowens** - March 13, 2015 at 10:49 AM

PS

“ Carrie came frequently to the library where I work, and it was always a pleasure to see her. She consistently had a warm smile, a funny observation, or a kind word, and she absolutely radiated love for her daughters. The picture above really captures her beautiful spirit.

*What a shock and sorrow that her bright light is gone from this earth so soon. May many happy memories--and her legacy of courage, humor, and love-- surround and bring comfort to the many lives she touched. May those closest to her be especially uplifted by how very dear they will ever be to her.*

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**Paulina Shadowens** - March 13, 2015 at 10:46 AM

TD

“ I met Carrie and nate while . working in nbbg what an awesome coupon they made carrie.and myself would have great conversation and good old laugh she was a . beautiful person to have know I can't believe that this has happened because I just was talking to her about 4 weeks ago at the supermarket and she was. Looking forward to the summer like us all sick of the.snow had no idea at all she got sick this came as s a shock n to me yesterday I'm heartbroken for.nate and the whole family RIP carrie you'll be missed

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**Theresa devereaux** - March 13, 2015 at 07:56 AM

JM

“ Nate, Lee Anne & I are so sorry to hear of Carries passing, she radiated kindness and sweetness and always had a smile in her eyes. She will be dearly missed, and our love and prays go out to all of those she touched.

*Jay & Lee Anne McCarthy*

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**Jay McCarthy** - March 13, 2015 at 07:01 AM

AD

“ I met Carrie about 5 years ago, right after I had moved to the seacoast. Introduced to her by my dear friend, and her very close friend, Paula. All my memories include laughing and laughing and laughing some more. Truly a one of a kind woman. You will be missed Carrie. Love ya!

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**alison duffy** - March 12, 2015 at 09:57 PM



“ "She had the uncanny ability to find the good in every person she came in contact with." This is so true about this lovely lady. She has touched so many hearts and so many hearts are heavy today. Rest in peace, my friend.

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**Jamie Geisler** - March 12, 2015 at 09:32 PM

DB

“ Carrie was a precious soul, a joy to be around & an incredible mother. It was a blessing to have known her.

*In sympathy & thought  
Larry & Debbie Brown*

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**debbie brown** - March 12, 2015 at 04:25 PM