



## Rachael Lee Richmond

April 16, 1983 - November 30, 2025

Rachael Lee Richmond, age 42, passed away at Marshfield Medical Center-Dickinson in Iron Mountain, MI, on November 30, 2025.

Rachael was born in Iron Mountain, MI, on April 16, 1983, to parents Kent and Kim Richmond. Rachael grew up in Kingsford and graduated from Kingsford High School in 2001. While in high school, she was a member of the girls golf team, chorale, student council, and National Honor Society. She attended Bay de Noc Community College before attending University of WI, Oshkosh, where she attained a degree in business.

Rachael had a smile that lit up the room. She was compassionate and kind to everyone she met and will be sadly missed. After relocating back to this community, Rachael enjoyed working at various jobs, especially working at MJ Electric. She loved music and had a beautiful voice. She sang the National Anthem at KHS hockey games, as well as KHS football games and track meets.

Rachael is survived by her mother, Kim (Crago) Richmond; her uncle and aunt, Jeff and Gayla (Liddle) Crago; her aunt, Kathy (Crago) Elack (Rich); her boyfriend, Dennis Mattson; her uncle, Kris Richmond (Pam); her aunt, Karen (Richmond) Guyette; and several cousins.

Rachael is predeceased by her father, Kent Richmond; maternal grandparents, Chuck and Darlene Crago; paternal grandparents, Glenn and Carolyn Richmond; her aunt, Kim Marie (Richmond) Byrd; her uncle, Kevin Richmond; her uncle, Michael Crago; and her best friend, Kristen.

Kim and Rachael would like to thank the following people for their compassionate care for Rachael during these past few years: the hospitalist, Dr. Friar, the I.C.U. nurses, the medical floor nurses, and the Guardian Flight Team at Marshfield Medical Center-Dickinson, along with Dr. Cayemberg and staff in Norway. Also, thank you for the many prayers from our church family, friends and relatives.

Visitation for Rachael will be held on Saturday, December 6, 2025, from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain. Services will follow at 3:00 with Pastor Chad Harrison officiating. Burial will be in the Commonwealth Cemetery.

Condolences to the family of Rachael Lee Richmond may be expressed online at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com).

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

**Commonwealth Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

DEC 6. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home  
901 Carpenter Ave.  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

### Service

DEC 6. 3:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home  
901 Carpenter Avenue  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801  
(906) 774-7676  
nashfuneralhome@gmail.com  
<https://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com/>

# Tribute Wall

CJ

“ So sorry for your loss. Carl Johnson

Carl A. Johnson - December 11, 2025 at 10:16 AM

DC

“ I feel fortunate to have known Rachael since she was in high school, as we worked together at Wendy's restaurant in Iron Mountain. I remember her beautiful smile and sense of humor. It was there that I discovered that she also had the voice of an angel. She graciously sang in my wedding twenty-five years ago. My husband and I attended her wedding. Life took us on different paths but God brought Rachael and I together occasionally throughout the years. May God embrace and comfort her through eternity.

Debra Couper - December 05, 2025 at 08:39 AM

MC

I also worked with Racheal at Wendy's when she was still in school and absolutely enjoyed time spent with her. She had a beautiful smile and definitely lit up any room she was in. I'm sorry I was not able to attend the service. Racheal will be missed here on Earth, for sure! Agreed. May God embrace and comfort her through eternity.

Mr. Jason L. Cretton - December 06, 2025 at 03:16 PM

JC

Mr. Jason L. Cretton. That is what I get for formality today, I guess.

Jason L. Cretton - December 06, 2025 at 03:19 PM

DE

“ *DEBBIE A EMOND lit a candle in memory of Rachael Lee Richmond*



DEBBIE A EMOND - December 04, 2025 at 08:58 PM

CL

“ *Kim, I am sorry to hear of Rachael's passing. My heart goes out to you. Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers, with sympathy and love. Carol LaFave*

Carol LaFave - December 04, 2025 at 12:08 PM

DM

“ *Dan & Kayla (Weide) Martinucci purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Rachael Lee Richmond.*



Dan & Kayla (Weide) Martinucci - December 04, 2025 at 10:36 AM

AG

“ *Adam, Andrea, and Girls purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Rachael Lee Richmond.*



Adam, Andrea, and Girls - December 04, 2025 at 08:58 AM

CS

“ Kim, I am so sorry to hear of your daughter's passing. I never had the pleasure of meeting her but grandma Darlene talked about her a lot. It has to be the worst thing in life to lose a child. God Bless You Kim and you are in my prayers.

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**Carol Skowronski** - December 03, 2025 at 03:50 PM

RS

“ This is so sad, she did brighten up any room and her voice was so amazing. Mrs. Richmond I'm so sorry prayers for her and your whole family

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**Ryan Sanders** - December 02, 2025 at 07:03 PM

EM

“ We are so very sorry for the loss of your loved one. We got to meet her in a telephone chat while they were traveling back from Milwaukee and we were looking so forward to meeting her in person. We are Dennis' brother and sister-in-law and I know she will be missed soooo very much. May the wonderful memories help ease the pain of your loss. Keep her spirit alive within your hearts. Again, we are so very sorry.

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**Esley & Sharon Mattson** - December 02, 2025 at 06:25 PM

CD

Kim we are sorry for your loss. Sending you our heartfelt sympathies and prayers .

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**Connie Davis** - December 02, 2025 at 07:58 PM

SS

Kim, I want to send my deepest condolences on the passing of your dear daughter. I pray that you will allow your faith, family and friends to walk with you on this journey of grief. 🙏

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**Sandy Stolarski** - December 02, 2025 at 09:14 PM

EY

*Sadly, I have never met Rachael, but I do know she brought love and comfort to those loving her. My brother, Dennis, speaks highly of you, Kim; says you're a wonderful human and he has a lot of respect for you. I, too, have lost a child, so understand deep grief. I believe the most important things in life are love and kindness. You define that. Please know I care. Blessings and prayers as you move forward.*

*Elyce Yunowich, Dennis's sister*

Elyce Yunowich - December 04, 2025 at 08:14 PM

DR

“*Kent and I are so sorry to hear of your loss. We were so fortunate to have met her and will remember her everlasting smile.*”

Denise Rhines - December 02, 2025 at 05:25 PM



“*So sorry to hear the passing of Racheal she was always a kind loving person and seem to be happy in High School*”

Ashley Whitfield - December 02, 2025 at 01:54 PM



“*Rachel was always very kind and really lit up a room. May she rest well, I'm terribly sorry to hear of this.*”

Adam Hayes - December 02, 2025 at 12:54 PM

MV

“ No matter how many challenges Rachel faced, she always inquired about the welfare of those she met. Her lived experience gave her the gift of being able to look beyond the surface and truly engage with people. She knew that we all were carrying a cross because she carried hers well. For the brief time we shared together, I will always be grateful. My heart aches for her loved ones on this side of eternity, but I rejoice that she is relieved of all pain and suffering in the arms of Jesus.

Mary VanHaute - December 02, 2025 at 11:14 AM

DT

Many prayers and blessings to the family and friends of Rachel. She was a ray of sunshine-taken too early. God bless...

Deborah Theodorovich - December 03, 2025 at 02:33 PM

JB

So sorry for your loss. We often recall her beautiful voice. God now has her in his choir of angels. We love you Rachel and Kim.

John and Judi Bjork - December 04, 2025 at 07:31 AM

WC

Dear Kim,  
I was saddened to read of Rachel's passing. Her loving obituary reminded us all of her kindness, musical gifts and much more. You've been in my prayers since our recent meeting at the auto dealership and will continue. May memories of Rachel continue to be a blessing for all who knew her and received her sincere love throughout the years.  
Please accept my deep condolences for your loss and for healing for you both physically and emotionally.  
Bill Cummings

William J. Cummings - December 05, 2025 at 11:17 AM

DB

*We share your grief at this difficult time. May God grant you all strength and comfort as you mourn the loss of your loved one.*

*David and Mary Lou Blomquist*

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**David and Mary Lou Blomquist** - December 06, 2025 at 07:30 AM