



Erin Dinklenburg

May 1, 1983 - November 16, 2015

Erin Dinklenburg, 32, of Lake Villa, IL passed away on Monday, November 16, 2015.

She was born in Libertyville, IL on May 1, 1983, the daughter of James Dinklenburg and Kelli Brooks. Erin graduated from Grayslake High School in 2001 and later from the University of Wisconsin at Whitewater with a Bachelor's of Science degree in Journalism. Erin testified before the United States Congress to advocate for people with disabilities and spent a large portion of her time fighting for disability rights. She worked as a blogger for more than six years for Peak 6, an investment firm in Chicago.

Erin is survived by her father James Dinklenburg, mother Kelli Brooks, stepfather Howard DeGraff, grandfather John Dinklenburg, brother Bryan Dinklenburg, niece Ryan Dinklenburg, and by many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents Marilyn Dinklenburg, Richard Brooks, and Kathleen Hulsizer Burns.

Visitation will be from 4 – 8 p.m. on Friday, November 20, 2015 at Ringa Funeral Home, 122 S. Milwaukee Ave. Lake Villa, IL 60046. A funeral Mass will begin at 11 a.m. on Saturday, November 21, 2015 at Prince of Peace

Catholic Church. Please meet directly at church on Saturday. Cremation will take place privately after the Mass.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ringa Funeral Home
122 S. Milwaukee Ave.
Lake Villa, IL 60046
(847) 356-2146
info@ringafuneralhome.com
<https://www.ringafuneralhome.com>

Mass

NOV **21**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Prince of Peace Catholic Church
135 S. Milwaukee Ave
Lake Villa, IL 60046
(847) 356-7915

Tribute Wall



“ *We miss you!*

Liz Hulsizer - November 17, 2024 at 10:16 AM



“ *Erin Dinklenburg*

October 04, 2023 at 02:13 PM



“ *Erin Dinklenburg*

December 31, 2022 at 11:36 AM



“ *Donna & Erik Rasmussen purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



Donna & Erik Rasmussen - November 21, 2015 at 01:16 PM



“ *Andy & Julie Balint purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



Andy & Julie Balint - November 20, 2015 at 11:49 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



November 20, 2015 at 10:29 AM



“ *KELLI AND HOWARD MY DEEPEST CONDOLNCEE
JOE PANEK*

JOE/JAYNE PANEK/PORSCHÉ - November 20, 2015 at 08:22 AM



“ *Karen S. Gulbransen purchased the Cup of Rose
s Bouquet for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



Karen S. Gulbransen - November 19, 2015 at 04:44 PM



“ *Mary Ellen, Larry and staff of LCRDC and
VeriGreen purchased the Beautiful Dreams for
the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



Mary Ellen, Larry and staff of LCRDC and VeriGreen -
November 19, 2015 at 01:26 PM

TC

“ Dear Jim,
My deepest sympathy with many thoughts and prayers for you and
your family.
Sincerely ,
Teri Clark

Teri Clark - November 19, 2015 at 11:54 AM

TF

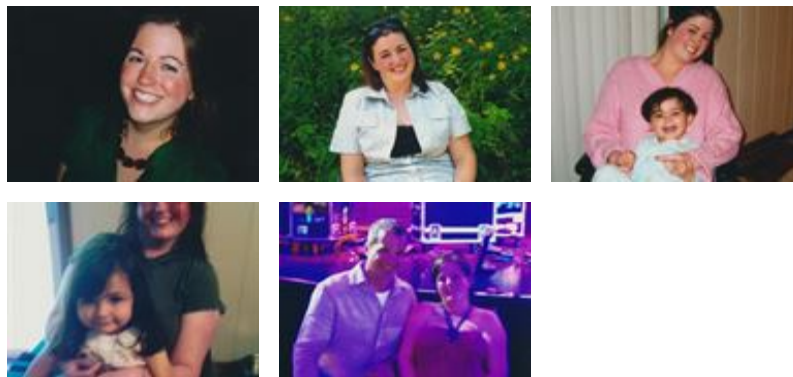
“ The Puplava Family purchased the Sweetest Sun
rise Bouquet for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.



The Puplava Family - November 18, 2015 at 11:21 PM



“ 37 files added to the album Life Tributes



Ringa Funeral Home and Cremation Service - November 18, 2015 at 01:21 PM

JH

“ Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you during this
difficult time. Erin had a smile that lit up the world. John Harnagel

John A Harnagel - November 18, 2015 at 12:20 PM

YF

“ *Your co workers at Little Lady Foods purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



Your co workers at Little Lady Foods - November 18, 2015 at 10:44 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



November 18, 2015 at 10:02 AM

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“ *Therapeutic Links purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



Therapeutic Links - November 17, 2015 at 08:10 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Erin Dinklenburg.*



November 17, 2015 at 06:51 PM