



## Caitlyn M. Morgan

November 13, 1983 - October 10, 2020

It is with great sadness that the family of Caitlyn Marie Morgan (Thomas) announce her passing on October 10, 2020. God called her home from the University of Illinois Chicago (UIC) hospital after a long battle with a rare autoimmune disease called HLH.

The daughter of Terry and Jerilyn Thomas (Riechers), Caitlyn was born on November 13, 1983 at Ingalls Memorial Hospital in Harvey, Illinois.

Caitlyn was a loving and compassionate person who loved to be silly. She had the most beautiful smile that could light up your soul. She was a life long resident of Beecher. Caitlyn attended Zion Lutheran Church School where as an adult she would teach Sunday School.

Caitlyn attended Beecher High. She continued her education at Trinity Christian College in Palos Heights. While there she majored in Special Education and worked part time at Elim Christian Services. After leaving college she continued working at Elim as a teacher with the senior adult population who were physically or mentally challenged.

On February 21st 2006 she married her high school sweetheart Michael Ryan Morgan.

Together they had one daughter Paige Renee. Caitlyn loved and adored Paige. She was the world to her. If you were lucky enough to be present when Caitlyn gazed into Paige's face, the pure joy radiating from her could blind you. Caitlyn wanted nothing more than Paige have a wonderful life.

Surviving Caitlyn are her parents, Terry and Jerilyn; Her husband Michael and her daughter Paige. She will be forever remembered by her brother Marc Allyn Thomas and his wife Luann

(Copper). She is also survived by her Father-in-law, Michael R. Morgan and Mother -in-law Michelle Wojciechowski; Sister- in-law Norleen (Tom) Wendt; Brother-in-law Shawn (Stephanie) and sister-in-laws Kathleen and Greta Morgan. She will also be greatly missed by her Grandmother Rose Riechers and Grandmother -in-law Mary Burke along with many Aunts, Uncles, nieces and nephews.

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, October 13, 2020 at Hack-Jensen Funeral Home from 4pm until 8pm, visitation will also be held Wednesday, October 14, 2020 at Zion Lutheran Church in Beecher from 10am until the funeral service 11am. Burial will follow at St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery.

We ask that you please follow the state's guidelines where masks/face coverings and distancing are concerned. On behalf of the family and the funeral home staff, we would like to thank you for your cooperation.

Memorial donations may be made to Zion Lutheran School or the Caitlyn Morgan fundraiser.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **13.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hack Funeral Home  
753 Hodges St.  
P.O. Box 535  
Beecher, IL 60401  
(708) 946-2161  
hackfuneral@yahoo.com  
<https://www.hackfuneralhome.com>

## Visitation

OCT **14.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Zion Luthern Church  
540 Oak Park Ave  
Beecher, IL 60401

## Service

OCT **14.** 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

LM

“ *What a shock I had seeing Cairlyn's picture on the Hack-Jensen obits. I dearly loved Caitlyn as well as her family. She will be missed so much! But it is also a blessing to be assured of her faith in Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior. May our Lord give you peace as you miss her every day, but have a beautiful reminder of her in her daufhter.*

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**Linda Meyer** - October 16, 2020 at 11:34 PM

DO

“ *We are shocked and saddened to learn of Caitlyn's passing. Our hearts go out to Michael, Paige, and all in their family, at this terrible loss.  
With fond memories,  
David Orlinsky and Marcia Bourland*

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**David Orlinsky** - October 14, 2020 at 07:24 PM

JO

“ *I'm very sorry for your loss. May Caitlyn's memory be a blessing and bring you peace.  
Julie Orlinsky-Morgan*

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**Julie Orlinsky-Morgan** - October 14, 2020 at 04:19 PM

TC

“ *I can't believe this is happening. I remember being snowed in at Caitlyn's house way back in our Zion days together. She was so cool there because she had a computer (with internet!) way before I did. 😭 Though we would catch up maybe twice a year these days, Caitlyn will be a dearly missed friend.*

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**Tiffany (Brands) Cowger** - October 13, 2020 at 02:34 PM

EB

*Caitlyn was a fantastic woman! She was who I had to reach out to with a message for the sign on the highway! She did it on more than one occasion in the cold rain, just to have it up on time. God's Peace and Comfort to her family. 🙏*

Ellen Boecker - October 13, 2020 at 05:53 PM

DJ

“ *Prayers and Blessings for the Family and Friends. May Hod hold you in His Hands and give You Peace. 🙏🕊️❤️ From The Johnson's, Waverly, Ohio*

Deborah Johnson - October 13, 2020 at 09:19 AM

KS

“ *Our prayers are with Paige, Jeralyn and Terry and her entire family. Until we meet her again in heaven, may our faith and the promise of eternal life sustain us all.*

Kirsten Steeves - October 13, 2020 at 07:10 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Caitlyn M. Morgan.*



October 12, 2020 at 08:31 PM

MK

“ *She was always smiling when she came to pick up Paige at our house. We babysat Paige for her. God has another Angel. RIP. Condolences to all the family.*

Mixhael B. Kaufman - October 12, 2020 at 05:56 PM

DN

“ So sorry for your lost.

Dorie Nurmi - October 12, 2020 at 02:30 PM

MC

“ So sorry for your loss. May God hold you close, comfort you gently and carry you through. In prayer and sympathy. Margie Cook

Margie Cook - October 12, 2020 at 02:06 PM

MC

“ Margie Cook lit a candle in memory of Caitlyn M. Morgan



Margie Cook - October 12, 2020 at 02:03 PM

DF

“ DZIENISIEWICZ FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Caitlyn M. Morgan



DZIENISIEWICZ FAMILY - October 12, 2020 at 12:00 PM