



## Reghan L. Nellans

May 21, 1981 - October 20, 2012

Reghan L. Nellans, 31, Mentone, passed away at 8:26 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 20, 2012 at Woodlawn Hospital, Rochester.

She was born May 22, 1981, to parents Rod and Marla (Martin) Kreft.

On Aug. 23, 2003, she married Marc W. Nellans in Bourbon. He survives.

Reghan was a stay at home mom. She was a member of the Harrison Center Church. She served on the board at Jack and Jill Preschool. Her life was wrapped around her husband and children.

Survivors include her husband, Marc Nellans, Mentone; one daughter, Campbell Nellans; three sons, Benton, Graham and Boden Nellans; her parents, Rod and Marla Kreft, Tippecanoe; three sisters, Danielle and husband Wil Holland, Bourbon, Kylie and husband Chad Bailey, Tippecanoe, and Lindsey and husband Nick Antoni, Corpus Christi, Texas; three brothers, Brett Kreft, Tippecanoe, Drue Kreft, Camp Pendleton, Calif., Matthew Kreft, Barnegat, N.J.; father-in-law, Brant and wife Shirley Nellans, Winona Lake; maternal grandmother, Phyllis Martin, Tippecanoe; paternal grandparents, Richard and Nancy Kreft, Tippecanoe; sister-in-law, Amy Jo and husband Eric Brown, Macy; and brother-in-law Scot and wife Alicia Nellans, Lafayette.

Reghan was preceded in death by her mother-in-law, Cynthia Nellans; grandfather, William Martin; and niece Jenna Holland.

Funeral service is 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 25, 2012, at Harrison Center Church, Etna Green, with pastor Rob Vance officiating.

Visitation is 3-8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, 2012 at King Memorial Home, Mentone.

Burial will be in Tippecanoe Cemetery, Tippecanoe.

Memorial contributions may be made to Jack and Jill Preschool.

A fund for the children of Reghan and Marc Nellans has been set up at Lake City Bank. The fund is called the "Nellans Children's Fund." Any Lake City Bank can receive our financial gifts.

# Cemetery Details

## Tippecanoe Cemetery

Tippecanoe, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **24**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

King Memorial Home  
101 North Tucker Street  
P.O. Box 56  
Mentone, IN 46539  
(574) 353-7975  
info@hartzlerfuneralservices.com  
<https://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com>

## Funeral Service

OCT **25**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Harrison Center Church  
965 South 800 West  
Etna Green, IN

# Tribute Wall



“ *Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**Hartzler Funeral Services** - October 20, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CK

“ *I'm very sorry to hear about Reghan. It has been a while since I've seen your family but from what I remember, she was a very sweet and happy person. She will and I'm sure has already been missed terribly. I will keep your family in my prayers.*

*-Carrie Kakavecos*

**Carrie Kakavecos** - August 26, 2013 at 07:30 AM

AH

“ *Arminta Hackworth lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**arminta hackworth** - November 30, 2012 at 01:10 AM

NM

“ *Natalie Moore lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Natalie Moore** - October 29, 2012 at 11:22 AM

SH

“ *Shelleymitchell sent a virtual gift in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**shelleymitchell** - October 25, 2012 at 11:11 AM

JH

“ *Justin, Trista, Braylee, Taelyn, Huntyr lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**justin, trista, braylee, taelyn, huntyr** - October 25, 2012 at 11:07 AM

ND

“ *Natalie Duff lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Natalie Duff** - October 25, 2012 at 08:48 AM

PH

“ Pamela Huskey lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Pamela Huskey - October 25, 2012 at 08:18 AM

CW

“ Carl, Jill, Madelyn,Max And Sadie Weaver lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Carl, Jill, Madelyn,Max and Sadie Weaver - October 24, 2012 at 06:41 PM

TC

“ The Costello's lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



The Costello's - October 24, 2012 at 04:35 PM

AC

*I'm so glad I had a chance to become friends with Reghan, Marc & the kids. I've only known them for a little over a year and a 1/2 but my life is better for it! It's hard to believe we became such good friends in such a short time, I can only imagine now how close we would have been if we'd had more time. I will forever miss you!*

Addie Costello - October 24, 2012 at 04:42 PM

CT

“ *Cale, Beth, Madison, & Carter Thompson lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Cale, Beth, Madison, & Carter Thompson** - October 24, 2012 at 03:56 PM

CT

*& Beth*

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**Cale, Beth, Madison, & Carter Thompson** - October 24, 2012 at 03:57 PM



“ *GILLMAN'S lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**GILLMAN'S** - October 24, 2012 at 03:53 PM

SP

“ *Marc, we just want to send our condolences to you and the family. Our prayers are with you and the kids. We know you will be strong and that God had a reason for this and that someday you will know what it is. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Thinking of you , Suzy and Phil Paxton*

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**Susan and Phil Paxton** - October 24, 2012 at 03:01 PM

RI

“ Randy And Kim Umbaugh, Winona Lake, IN  
lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Randy and Kim Umbaugh, Winona Lake, IN - October 24, 2012 at 02:58 PM

JW

“ Judie Witham And Tressalynn Witham lit a  
candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



judie witham and tressalynn witham - October 24, 2012 at 02:27 PM

TK

“ Travis And Alyssa Ramsey And Kids lit a  
candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Travis and Alyssa Ramsey and Kids - October 24, 2012 at 02:23 PM

TR

“ Travis, Alyssa, Maison, And Ella Ramsey lit a  
candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Travis, Alyssa, Maison, and Ella Ramsey - October 24, 2012 at 02:21 PM

MS

“ *Michael & Sabrina (Newsome) Heady & Sons lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Michael & Sabrina (Newsome) Heady & Sons** - October 24, 2012 at 02:12 PM

ZD

“ *Zachary And Miriah Davis lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Zachary and Miriah Davis** - October 24, 2012 at 01:53 PM

RK

“ *Robert & Judy Kreft lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Robert & Judy Kreft** - October 24, 2012 at 12:05 PM

RK

*We were very sad to hear of the passing of our great niece, Reghan. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family even though we cannot be there with them.*

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**Robert & Judy Kreft** - October 24, 2012 at 12:07 PM

CO

“ *Chasity Osborne lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



Chasity Osborne - October 24, 2012 at 11:31 AM

DR

“ *Dawn Rowland lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



Dawn Rowland - October 24, 2012 at 11:27 AM

DR

*She left us quietly, her thoughts unknown, but left us a memory, we are proud to own, so treasure her Lord, in Your garden of rest, for when on earth, She was one of the BEST! An Angel Reghan Nellans.*

Dawn Rowland - October 24, 2012 at 11:46 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Reghan L. Nellans.*



October 24, 2012 at 11:18 AM



“ *Linda Aldridge lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Linda Aldridge** - October 24, 2012 at 11:01 AM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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October 24, 2012 at 10:37 AM



“ *I met Reghan through Bell Library programs & Gretchen Wadkins. I always admired her patience with her children. She was so loving with them all the time. So glad we had the chance to know her!*

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October 24, 2012 at 10:36 AM



“ *Brandie Trump (Ganshorn) lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Brandie Trump (Ganshorn)** - October 24, 2012 at 10:08 AM

SB

“ My most recent memory of Reghan was telling my sister how much of a competitor she was for me and how I always dreaded being beat in any race by her. We ran Cross-Country and Track together in high school 10 years ago and I was just telling my sister the other day, that if I ran in next year's the Blueberry Stomp against Reghan, I would still dread getting beat by her.

Obviously, she had an impact on me and I believe she inspired me to be that competitor everyday, even to this day. I believe that says something good about her and her character. She had the ability to inspire others around her. I can tell by what I've read here that she didn't stop being an inspiration after high school.

I will miss never getting to know her again and I can't imagine what her family must be going through. My thought and prayers are with you.

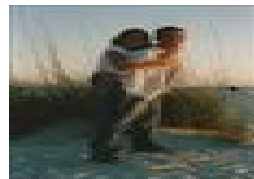
Rest in the arms of Jesus, Reghan. And Thank You for impacting my life.

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**Shelly Brown** - October 24, 2012 at 08:07 AM



“ 110 files added to the album Memories Album



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**Hartzler Funeral Services** - October 23, 2012 at 09:22 PM

MW

“ *Marc And Judi Weissert lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Marc and Judi Weissert** - October 23, 2012 at 05:24 PM

NS

“ *Nick & Shawna Stutzman lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Nick & Shawna Stutzman** - October 23, 2012 at 05:14 PM

JB

“ *Jamie Brown lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Jamie Brown** - October 23, 2012 at 02:11 PM

IH

“ *Ivan & Jill Hathaway lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Ivan & Jill Hathaway** - October 23, 2012 at 12:10 PM

TF

“ *The Long Family lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**The Long Family** - October 23, 2012 at 10:32 AM

AS

“ *Amanda Sons lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**Amanda Sons** - October 23, 2012 at 09:58 AM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



October 23, 2012 at 09:58 AM

LF

“ *Loy Family lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**Loy Family** - October 23, 2012 at 09:55 AM

TF

“ *The Loy Family lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**The Loy Family** - October 23, 2012 at 09:53 AM

AJ

“ *AJ lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**AJ** - October 23, 2012 at 09:47 AM

KH

“ *Kristin Harp lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**Kristin Harp** - October 23, 2012 at 09:18 AM

KH

“ *Kristin, A & 3 Bs Harp lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



**Kristin, A & 3 Bs Harp** - October 23, 2012 at 09:17 AM

AH

“ Adam, Kristin, A & 3 B's Harp lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Adam, Kristin, A & 3 B's Harp - October 23, 2012 at 09:16 AM

KS

“ Krystal Smith lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Krystal Smith - October 23, 2012 at 08:23 AM

KS

*The Staff at Bell Memorial Public Library send our sincere sympathy to Reghan's family and friends. She was such an inspiration and devoted, loving mother. We loved knowing her and will miss her gentle smile.*

Krystal Smith - October 23, 2012 at 08:27 AM

KH

“ Words cannot even begin to express our sorrow. I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts are with you and your family and may the comfort of God help you during this difficult time. Peace, prayers and blessings.



Kimberly Harroff-Lange - October 23, 2012 at 08:16 AM

BC

“ I didn't have the privilege to know Reghan well, but just meeting her when she brought her children to Book Buddies at the library. I was able to experience a young woman with a beautiful smile, that shone with so much love for her children, the Lord and her husband. She always had a gentle, loving spirit and because of what I experienced I truly know she will be missed by many. Prays for your family are being lifted, allow God to carry you in His arms through this time.

*Brenda Cody*

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**Brenda Cody** - October 23, 2012 at 07:53 AM

BC

“ *Brenda Cody lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Brenda Cody** - October 23, 2012 at 07:46 AM

TV

“ *Tiffany Varney lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Tiffany Varney** - October 23, 2012 at 07:14 AM

BB

“ *Becky Bell lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



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**Becky Bell** - October 23, 2012 at 07:13 AM

RG

“ *The world could never hold the words to ease your pain. Please know that our hearts are broken with yours and we can only lean on our Lord, as we know you will. HE is the Great Comforter and He and only He willrgrossman@lakecityradio srgrossee you through.*

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**roger grossman** - October 23, 2012 at 06:11 AM

HH

“ *Other than being on the track team together, Reghan and I ran with different crowds in high school. I probably hadn't spoken to her since graduation and we hadn't even "friended" each other on facebook. I can't say that I knew her well. But when our paths did cross, I remember liking her and I can't remember ever hearing anyone speak ill of her. By all accounts, she was a great mother, wife, and friend. In hindsight, I wish I had known her better.*

*Her passing truly is a tragedy and I can't imagine what her family must be going through right now. My prayer's go out to all of them, especially her husband and children.*

*Rest in peace, Reghan. You will be missed. Those who knew you are better for it. Those who did not, have missed their opportunity.*

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**Hobz Hooley** - October 23, 2012 at 12:04 AM

AR

“ Coming from the same small hometown you know everyone, so when something as tragic as this happens it affect you a bit more because you knew that person, grew up with that person and that person was like a family member. My thoughts and prayers go out to Reghan's Family. I went to Awannas with Reghan as a child, I always appreciated how she made sure no one was left out of anything. She was such a happy person, I don't think I had ever seen her without a smile. She will be greatly missed!

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**Amy roberts** - October 22, 2012 at 09:37 PM

AR

“ Amy Roberts lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



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**Amy roberts** - October 22, 2012 at 09:33 PM

LW

“ Laurel Whetstone lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



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**Laurel Whetstone** - October 22, 2012 at 08:52 PM

LW

“ I was so blessed to know Reghan, even though it was a short time. She cared about others and shared God's love where ever she went. She was an inspiration to many and I know she will be waiting for her family and friends with open arms...and I'll look forward to hearing her sweet laugh! Though I do not know Marc personally, please know that you and your children are in our prayers and thoughts.

Laurel Whetstone - October 22, 2012 at 08:51 PM

TM

“ Tara Maisonneuve lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Tara Maisonneuve - October 22, 2012 at 08:49 PM

AB

“ Angela Barker lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Angela Barker - October 22, 2012 at 08:41 PM

JB

“ Jennifer Backus lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



jennifer backus - October 22, 2012 at 08:41 PM

PS

“ Thinking of your families and praying you find comfort in your memories and the legacies that Reghan left behind.

*Peg Shewman*

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**Peg Shewman** - October 22, 2012 at 08:26 PM

CM

“ I will miss Mrs. Nellans. She was a fun teacher's helper. She made me laugh.



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**Cassie McVay** - October 22, 2012 at 08:13 PM

TM

“ Reghan was a beautiful person inside and out. My daughter loved seeing her everyday at preschool. She made her day fun. I will miss her bright smile, kind words, and beautiful spirit.



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**The McVay's** - October 22, 2012 at 08:11 PM

JB

“ Jim & Teri Brown lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



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**Jim & Teri Brown** - October 22, 2012 at 07:56 PM

AW

“ I'll never ever forget your smile & your laugh, Reghan. They were contagious.



Angie Faulkner Wood - October 22, 2012 at 07:15 PM

CM

“ As I sit here still in total disbelief that she is actually gone I realize how much I will miss her. She was always such a bright spirit not afraid to show how much she loved Marc and her children and share her faith with those around her. She brought so much joy to so many. She will forever be in my heart.

Chris Morehouse - October 22, 2012 at 07:15 PM



“ Chanell Dickson lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Chanell Dickson - October 22, 2012 at 06:59 PM

CH

“ Cheryl Harmon lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Cheryl Harmon - October 22, 2012 at 06:47 PM

HH

“ *Holly Hummitch lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



Holly Hummitch - October 22, 2012 at 06:35 PM

LT

“ *Linda Thomas lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



Linda Thomas - October 22, 2012 at 06:33 PM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



October 22, 2012 at 06:33 PM

CE

“ *Cheryl Elliott lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



cheryl elliott - October 22, 2012 at 06:30 PM

LB

“ Lana Bowser lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Lana Bowser - October 22, 2012 at 06:22 PM



“ lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



October 22, 2012 at 06:19 PM



“ lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



October 22, 2012 at 06:12 PM



“ lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



October 22, 2012 at 06:08 PM

SH

“ Sabrina Hunt lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Sabrina Hunt - October 22, 2012 at 05:40 PM

KB

“ Kim And Kris Berger lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Kim and Kris Berger - October 22, 2012 at 05:25 PM

EN

“ Erin Snipes Nelson lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Erin Snipes Nelson - October 22, 2012 at 05:16 PM

BW

“ Beth Woodard lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans



Beth Woodard - October 22, 2012 at 04:32 PM

DB

“ *Dee (Shepherd) Bradburn lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



Dee (Shepherd) Bradburn - October 22, 2012 at 04:30 PM

MT

“ *Missy Shepherd Turner lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



missy shepherd turner - October 22, 2012 at 04:14 PM

LO

“ *Lindsay O'Brien lit a candle in memory of Reghan L. Nellans*



Lindsay O'Brien - October 22, 2012 at 03:46 PM

LH

“ *The staff at the hospital has been deeply affected by the loss of Reghan. We were honored to care for such a sweet, courageous spirit. My love and condolences go out to her family and friends who were so blessed to have her in their lives for more than just a passing moment. Her strength and love will be an example for all. Know that you are in my thoughts.*  
*Laura, RN*

Laura Herring - October 22, 2012 at 03:38 PM

MM

“ Reghan worked at warsaw walmart with me for bout the same time period as I. she was always so happy and she always put me in a good mood and made me smile when i didn't want to work. she was a good friend! and she will be missed!



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**Megan Martin** - October 22, 2012 at 02:41 PM

HB

“ You are lifted in our prayers and everyone has filled the air with thier prayers of strength now and as you continue to go through this life with the memories of this beautiful young lady. There is and everlasting support system and the almighty god that you must use to reach out and help guide you. Much Love - Josh & Heather "Morris" Bradley & girls

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**Heather Bradley** - October 22, 2012 at 12:57 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Reghan L. Nellans.



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October 22, 2012 at 12:50 PM

MH

“ *What a complete honor it was to care for you. Standing strong in your faith through it all. What a wonderful legacy you leave. Mark it was also an honor to watch you love Reghan unconditionally through a time when she needed you the most! You and your family have left a lasting impression on me. Reghan meet me at the pearly gates when I arrive I think we could have a lot of fun together!*  
*Meghan RN*

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**Meghan Lynn Hoffman** - October 22, 2012 at 12:23 PM

KS

*Though Reghan and I were not close friends, we were classmates in school. We lived and grew up in the same community. I know most of her family. Her passing has had an effect on my that I cannot even express. My heart is broken for her family. Her precious children and her husband Marc are continually on my mind and heart. I pray that you will find comfort in our Lord Jesus Christ. He is your refuge and strength.*

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**Kimberly Stetzel** - October 23, 2012 at 07:54 AM