



Alyssa K Landrith

July 6, 1997 - November 6, 2015

Alyssa Krystine Landrith became an angel on November 6, 2015. She passed in her Clarion home suddenly but peacefully with her mother and her dog, Ted, by her side. She was 18 years old.

Alyssa fought years of misdiagnoses for an eating disorder when in fact she had Gastroparesis and a rare digestive disorder called Superior Mesenteric Artery Syndrome. Both diseases caused chronic and unrelenting malnutrition which ultimately caused her body to shut down from starvation. Her stomach and intestines were paralyzed. She was a fighter, and through 7 feeding tubes and many treatments she always had a smile through the constant pain. She will be dearly missed by all who knew her.

Alyssa is preceded in death by her grandmother, Kristin Stroupe, of Clarion.

Alyssa is the daughter of Lori R. Landrith, of Clarion, and James M. Landrith, of Albuquerque, NM. She was born July 6, 1997 in Rio Rancho, NM. She had been a student of Clarion-Limestone Elementary and High school, and later PA Cyber school.

Aly loved her family, her friends, and her animals. She had aspirations to become a Child Advocacy Attorney in the medical arena, and was a brilliant student, artist, musician and young woman. Alyssa never gave up, but her

little body simply did.

She is survived by her parents, grandparents, Don and Linda Corbett of Parker, PA and Karen Shatar and James Schlosser of Placitas, NM, and her great-grandfather, Clyde Corbett of Clarion, PA. She also had aunts and uncles, great aunts and uncles, cousins, and friends across the country who are mourning her life lost too soon.

Alyssa has been cremated, and private service will be held at a later date. The Robert V. Burns Funeral Home has taken care of arrangements. In lieu of flowers, donations will be accepted to help with the funeral home expenses, and medical bills that have been mounting. They can be arranged through the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home or via www.gofundme.com under Alyssa Landrith's name.

Please take the time to think of Aly often, and know that the energy that drove her is now part of all of us. Her blue eyes looking down at us, now no longer in pain. Now no longer suffering.

Tribute Wall

PC

“ So sorry for your loss. What a beautiful young lady gone too soon. I did not know her but my heart aches. I commend the strength it took to get through and endure this journey. My thoughts and prayers go out to those affected by this.

Peggi Corbett - November 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NA

“ The best patient a nurse could ask for. Thinking and praying for Alyssa's family during this difficult time.

Nurse touched by Alyssa - November 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayer'S to your whole family.

Missy - November 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DI

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family as they grieve the loss of such a beautiful soul. Our chronic diseases have the potential to define us and although your life was cut way too short from them. I will remember you as your family describes a vibrant strong stunning beautiful woman.
God bless

Dixie - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ sorry for your loss i didnt know her but i know how it is to lose a child i lost a baby in 1980 and the pain never goes away

ruthann mong - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ i didn't know your daughter but my heart is aching for your family and for the years of her struggle with eating. i also suffer from a rare disorder of the esophagus that kept me from eating for months until diagnosis and surgery. i hope you don't mind that i've put your family on our Christian Women's prayer chain and that i've shared my sorrow with the Achalasia Support Group. many members of the support group not only suffer with the disease but also suffer years of misdiagnosis. my deepest sympathy...

Madge Hribar - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ May your angel wings fly high sweetheart!!! Prayers of comfort to your family !!

Kathy - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Dearest family of Aly,
No one can truly really understand your pain, loss and suffering.
I send thoughts and prayers carried by the wind.
May my humble condolences bring you a moment of silence and comfort.
You are not alone in this horrific battle.
Kindest regards 🙏
Tina from Sweden,
Gastroparesis know no boundaries

Tina Wronski-Petersen - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ She is out of pain from this horrible illness taken far to doom thoughts and prayers to family

Liz gardner - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ Dear Landrith Family,
I did not know your daughter, but only just read of her passing in the Derrick this morning and the circumstances that caused her death. I am so sincerely sorry for your loss and will say a special prayer for her and your family. May GOD Bless you during this difficult time

Rick McIntire - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Sending love & light & healing. May Alyssa, be out of pain, God has taken back his beautiful angel who will always send strength to her Mom & GP Sisters.

Xx

Mary Ellen Walsh - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ Sweet girl may you suffer no longer. And watch over your mom with your angel wings.

Darla - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Im so sorry for your loss and she is gone too soon . Me being a sma syndrome patient its very scary how severe it can get and just wanted to say god is with your family during this hard time ... and my preyers..

samantha - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ I am so very sad to read this. She is gone too soon. I can not begin to know your grief but m thoughts and prayers are with Alyssa and her family. So heartbreaking!!

Mary Heldenberg Smith - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ I never knew you but I know the battle you fought, because I fight it too. Rest in peace little warrior.

Patricia - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ My sincerest condolences to all of Aly's friends and loved ones. Lori, I am so sorry for your loss. Alyssa will be greatly missed but never forgotten.

Lindsey Hudson - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ So very sorry for your loss

Joanne - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Reading her fight. Makes want to fight harder. And push to find answers and better care for us all. Thank you for sharing her life with us. Praying for comfort and peace for you and your family. Bev

Beverly Hickman - November 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Lori,
I am so sorry to hear this. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Danielle Bunch - November 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ I am so glad Alyssa that you came into my life. I have the great privilege to call you my niece and family. I loved you before you were even born. The day you were born was one of the very few happiest days of my life. I love you smile, humor, and desire to learn. I will miss you always!!!

Auntie Jenn - November 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DE

“ I am so sorry for the loss of Alyssa. She looked like a shining light. May the lessons she taught others through her daily struggles help make us all better people. Hold close her beautiful smile she possessed. God put her here with a special message. It is my belief she is now whole, free of pain and is surrounded by more love than we can comprehend. Once again, my heartfelt condolences on your loss.

Deb - November 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ I am so sorry for your loss. She had an amazing smile! One would not have guessed she was suffering inside. She is with our Father in peace and looking upon you, thankful for all you helped her endure. God bless you during the difficult days ahead. Prayers to you all.

Rita Woodard - November 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM