



Melanie A. Benn Brown

November 18, 1969 - February 15, 2024

Melanie Ann Benn Brown, 54, of Clarion, passed away peacefully Thursday evening, February 15, 2024 at her home with her husband and son by her side.

She was born on November 18, 1969 in Oil City; daughter of Emanuel "Cy" and Sarah Wingard Benn, residing in Rimersburg.

Melanie married Jon Brown on January 29, 2024, who survives.

Melanie worked most recently as a Materials Analyst. She formerly worked as a CNA at Jefferson Manor in Brookville and at Clarview Nursing Home in Sligo.

Melanie attended A-C Valley High School, and graduated in 1987. She continued her education at Clarion University, graduating with a Bachelor's degree in 1990.

Melanie loved spending time with her family and being home, reading and watching anything science fiction.

In addition to her parents and husband, Melanie is survived by her son, Stephen Yonushonis of Pittsburgh; her stepson, Ian Brown; and her sister, Jackie Seigworth, her husband, Greg, and their daughter, Kendall, of Lancaster.

A Memorial Service will be held at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2024 at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion with Worship Leader, Gina DeLair, presiding.

Inurnment will take place in the Zion Union Cemetery in Emlenton.

Cemetery Details

Zion Union Cemetery

Emlenton, PA

Previous Events

Memorial Service

FEB 20. 1:00 PM (ET)

Robert V. Burns Funeral Home
638 Wood Street
Clarion, PA 16214
(814) 226-6300
<https://www.rvburnsfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall

WT

“ With love Jackie, Greg, Kendall and Tosh purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Melanie A. Benn Brown.



With love Jackie, Greg, Kendall and Tosh - February 18, 2024
at 04:20 PM

WT

“ With love Jackie, Greg, Kendall and Tosh planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melanie A. Benn Brown.

With love Jackie, Greg, Kendall and Tosh - February 18, 2024 at 04:20 PM

JS

“ There are a number of memories I keep thinking of but the one that keeps popping into my mind unbidden is of the first time I met her. We were taking her home after her birth at the hospital. I was 8 and excited to be along. Mom had to run into the drug store with Aunt Barb so I got to hold the new baby. Everything was pink: pink blankets, pink hat, tiny pink little baby with bright blue eyes and blond blond peach fuzz hair. She was so calm. I wasn't. I couldn't find one of her ears and was terrified she'd been born without it. Turns out it was there where it should be. She was a perfect baby! Perfect little pink baby with tiny fingers and ears.

Jackie Seigworth - February 17, 2024 at 04:21 PM

KK

“ Karen Keeler purchased the "Memories" Shadow box lantern for the family of Melanie A. Benn Brown.



Karen Keeler - February 17, 2024 at 11:39 AM

KK

“ Karen Keeler planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melanie A. Benn.

Karen Keeler - February 17, 2024 at 11:39 AM

PJ

“ Priscilla J. purchased the "Arms of an Angel" Picture Perfect 27" Chime for the family of Melanie A. Benn Brown.



Priscilla J. - February 17, 2024 at 11:32 AM

PJ

“ Priscilla J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melanie A. Benn.

Priscilla J. - February 17, 2024 at 11:32 AM

RJ

“ We send our heartfelt condolences to you and your family and our prayers that the Lord Jesus will comfort you during this sad time.
Rev Cecil & Louise Craig.

Rev. & Mrs Cecil C Craig Jr. - February 17, 2024 at 09:56 AM



Time to say goodbye to our beautiful Melanie what a terrible loss this has been for all of us

Barb Hurrelbrink - February 19, 2024 at 04:01 PM

FF

“ Fred, Gail and family! purchased the Footprints Tribute Blanket for the family of Melanie A. Benn Brown.



Fred, Gail and family! - February 16, 2024 at 07:41 PM

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“ Fred, Gail and family! planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Melanie A. Benn.

Fred, Gail and family! - February 16, 2024 at 07:41 PM