



## Katherine Elizabeth Rager

June 10, 1993 - September 30, 2021

Conway...

Katherine Elizabeth Rager, age 28, passed away Thursday, September 30, 2021.

Katherine was born in Westerville, OH a daughter of Greg and Donna Rager. She was predeceased by her grandparents, George and Mary Rager and Dennis and Sandra Sergent.

Katherine was surrounded by the love of family and friends. She loved to go to the beach, travel and live life to the fullest. She has been in the Myrtle Beach area since she was a baby and grew up in the sunshine. She was in dance and gymnastics for several years as a child and young teen, started working in her teen years and was always working hard to make her life better. She loved cooking, The Carolina Panthers football, and shopping. She was always willing to help people and go out of her way for them.

Survivors include her parents, Greg and Donna Rager of Conway; two brothers, David Rager (Christine) of Murrells Inlet and Daniel Rager of Conway; two nieces, Arianna Rager and Brianna Rager both of Murrells Inlet; one nephew, Davey Rager of Salem, MA; one uncle, Dennis Sergent, Jr. (Lea) of Jacksonville, FL; one aunt, Gigi Lewis (Jimmy) of St. Augustine, FL; and

four cousins, Christine Armstrong, Deborah Mullins, Debbie Fleming, and Autumn Fleming.

A memorial service will be held at 6:00 PM Wednesday, October 6, 2021 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel with Rev. Kirk Lawton officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

Please sign an online guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **6**. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel  
606-610 Beaty Street  
Conway, SC 29526

## Memorial Service

OCT **6**. 6:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

KS

“Katie was an amazing person she always made others smile and she would always put others needs before hers she was a bright loving person i miss her a lot i wish she was still here its different without her here i will forever love her she will forever be in my heart

kaeoni snyder - December 15, 2022 at 01:19 PM

KA

“katie was my best friend i knew her since i was 5 she was amazing she always would give me gifts i remember how i had a sleep over with her i miss her a lot i cant believe shes gone she was my fav person i wish this was a bad dream and i could wake up and text her and she would respond i miss her so much:(



kaeoni - December 06, 2022 at 10:01 AM

KS

“Katie was a very beautiful young lady who always cared about others and would help them if she could but now she belongs to heaven and she's at peace I hope she's up in the sky having fun right now she was amazing beautiful smart loving caring person she had a big heart .... may she rest in peace 6/10/1993 to 9/30/2021 forever in our hearts never to be forgotten and I mean NEVER



*R.I.P FOREVER AND ALWAYS*

Kaeoni Snyder - May 12, 2022 at 09:36 AM

KS

“ katie was a very sweet caring lady she always tried to make other people laugh when they were down ill always remember the day i sent the nigh with her it was really fun we would play games and watch movie she was my fav person i met her when i was 7 im 15 now i honestly cant believe shes gone the day my mom told me she passed i felt my heart shatter as tears where rolling down my face im still broke i miss her so much i cant stop thinking about her and it makes me cry bc shes gone and its just not the same without her here . im so lost without her i have been sad and i feel lonley everyday since she passed and my friends at school noticed that ive changed even my teachers noticed and it hurts more because everyone at my school askes me if im ok and i have to lie and say im ok because i dont want anyone to worry about me bc then i will feel bad and im starting to hate myself bc i have to lie and say im ok when actually im broken and empty inside bc katie was the one person who truely made me happy ad feel loved and feel like i was a actual person and not just a dumb waste of time and energy and thats what i miss about her the most and right now its saturday april 23 2022 at 2:21 am and cant sleep because again im thinking about katie and crying bc shes gone and she cant come back TwT :(

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kaeoni snyder - April 23, 2022 at 02:21 AM

KS

“ Happy easter katie we all miss you



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kaeoni snyder - April 17, 2022 at 10:23 AM

KA

“ *its been almost a full year that she has been gone its sad I wish this was all a dream and that she was still here bc she was amazing sweet funny caring and beautiful I miss her more than anything rn im sending a lot of hugs and kisses to her family*



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**kaeoni** - March 21, 2022 at 04:48 PM

KA

“ *I honestly cant believe this is real it feels more like a dream Katie was an amazing beautiful women i knew her since was 7 bc she used to date my uncle Sean I miss Katie more than anything in this world i wish this was just a dream and I can wake up in the morning and she would be here but sadly its real i love and miss her but now she's at peace and in a better place and she doesn't have to deal with how messed up this world is becoming i hope she's up there in the sky dancing and having a lot of fun right now TwT she was amazing*



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**kaeoni** - March 20, 2022 at 05:07 PM

EN

“ I can't believe this is real. Katie was literally one of the best people I have ever had the chance to meet in my life. I am so thankful that I can say we were best friends for so many years. To pick just one memory is impossible because we had so many great ones. Beach days, jamming to Kesha everywhere we went, going out to go dancing for hours on end, lady "Treat Yo Self" days with nothing but shopping, more shopping and junk food. Getting spur of the moment matching Italian tattoo's when you always laughed bc you weren't Italian but I was. And then of course I have to mention BLUEBERRY YOGURT MILK!! We could never not mention that without crying laughing. There are so many more but I'm balling like a baby writing this out. I will always cherish all the memories we shared and I will never stop thinking about you. Ever. I love you Katie Rager. 🥺💔😭



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Emily Nooe - October 06, 2021 at 11:34 AM

RD

“Katie was a special lady who was very sensitive to other people's pain. She intuitively knew when someone was worried, upset, sad or depressed and she was quick and generous with her special hugs and bright smile. I know personally how special her hugs were and she always knew when I needed one.

*Katie, I can never adequately thank you for being there for me during my dark time; you brought warmth and light to me when I needed it the most.*

*You are going to be sorely missed, you leave a warm but empty space where you and your heart once were, here on earth, but now you get to go and share your special hugs with the others that you are with now.*

*And I can't speak of Katie without acknowledging her absolute love of animals. There are some very lucky puppies and kittens out there because of her concern for their well-being and for her unconditional love for them.*

*Please be a peace, Katie, while you tend to us from above.*

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**Rachel Daisy-Doyle** - October 06, 2021 at 11:26 AM



“Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Katherine Elizabeth Rager.



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October 05, 2021 at 04:01 PM

DB

“ My partner, Allen & I had the pleasure of meeting Katie at my daughters wedding. We stayed the weekend of the wedding at the same house. She was laughing and playing around a lot. Her smile was infectious and her giggles were many. Katie was a very intellectual person and I found as we talked I liked her more and more. Full of life she found the good and the great in everyone. I can only imagine the pain for her family, and many friends. My heart goes out to all the loved Katie. May the memories of your Katie be in your hearts and mind, forever. deb & allen

deborah v bailey - October 05, 2021 at 02:21 PM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Katherine Elizabeth Rager.



October 05, 2021 at 01:22 PM

GP

“ Georgetown Radiology Physicians purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Katherine Elizabeth Rager.



Georgetown Radiology Physicians - October 05, 2021 at 12:20 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Katherine Elizabeth Rager.*



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October 05, 2021 at 11:05 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Katherine Elizabeth Rager.*



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October 05, 2021 at 09:51 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Katherine Elizabeth Rager.*



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October 04, 2021 at 02:17 PM



“ *My deepest condolences to My lady's friends and family. Greg, Donna, David, Daniel and Christine, I'm so terribly sorry. Katie bug will forever be in our hearts. I will be here for you all and help with anything you need. Anytime. Love always, The Castellano's*



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**Lauren Castellano** - October 04, 2021 at 09:02 AM



“ Donna, Greg and family, I love you. My heart breaks for you.

Kim Hamm Berry - October 03, 2021 at 07:12 PM



“ Donna and Greg, David and Christie Bug, and Daniel, we are so sorry for the loss of your daughter and sister. We are praying God will give you comfort and direction. Remembering the dinner at Red Lobster where we ate all that shrimp! Mike and Ms Carolyn Christine's second parents

Carolyn Sharps - October 03, 2021 at 04:10 PM



“ Donna and Greg-  
I am so heartbroken for you. Emily & Katie were such good friends.... Praying for comfort and peace for you all..... ❤️

Elena Gargano - October 03, 2021 at 10:01 AM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Katherine Elizabeth Rager.



October 02, 2021 at 10:18 PM

DB

“Katie will be missed dearly by her nephew Davey. He was looking forward to seeing her this Christmas and spending time with her. Katie was a beautiful soul and Davey will always remember the good and fun times he had with her and he knows that she is his guardian angel. "Davey baby" is what she called him, and he will always love her and cherish the moments he had with her. We love you Katie, forever and ever amen!



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**Davey Rager & Trisha Bodero** - October 02, 2021 at 05:51 PM

MF

“Cherish All The Memories in Peace...  
Katie was much loved by many, and she will never be forgotten.

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**Michael and Debby Finegan** - October 02, 2021 at 04:58 PM

RH

“Greg and Donna,  
So very sorry to hear of your daughter's passing. We send our thoughts and prayers to you and your family during this very difficult time.  
Ray and Kathy Heroux



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**Ray and Kathy Heroux** - October 02, 2021 at 02:10 PM



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October 02, 2021 at 01:58 PM

JE

“ I love you. Gary 🐹 got this now. McRagen for life.

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**Jessica** - October 02, 2021 at 12:37 PM

JH

“ Our brothers were best friends and we were birthday buddies. David was basically my brother, too... meaning of course, you were family. June 10th just won't be the same. Always will love you, kiddo.



*Jennifer Green Harrington*

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**Jennifer Harrington** - October 02, 2021 at 12:23 PM

CL

“ I worked with Katie at Friendlys she was always so happy and had a smile on her face! She always made everyone laugh! She will be missed dearly!! Praying for her family!

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**ciera lee** - October 02, 2021 at 11:53 AM

DR

“ Our hearts are broken and we will never be the same again. We miss you Katie Bug...

*Donna and Greg Rager*

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**Donna & Greg Rager** - October 02, 2021 at 11:49 AM

LG

*Ronnie and I were just devastated to hear that Katie had passed. She was always a sweet and polite girl. Her love of animals was so special. We would never have met Lucy without Katie! She stopped by the house last June when you told her about saving our little Birdie. He wouldn't come out from under the bed, but she got down on the floor so she could see him. I will always smile when I think of her. I hope the time comes quickly when your smile replaces your tears at her memory.*

*Ronnie and Linda Ganter*

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**Linda Ganter** - October 06, 2021 at 12:57 PM