



## Della Scaggs

July 27, 1961 - August 19, 2024

Arrangements are pending at this time.

Della Deann Scaggs was born on July 27, 1961 to Dale and Dorothy (Benson) Smuck in Iowa City, Iowa. Della graduated from Alden High School.

Della was the most incredible human to walk this earth. She was unbelievably kind hearted, open minded and loved every chance she got to help others. She worked endlessly. Any time off she had, she spent volunteering for the community, such as giving her time to the food pantry. If she wasn't busy helping others, she was spending time with the people she loved and cared for deeply, as well as her grad-pets Herman and Desi. She loved her coffee and cigarettes, the birds and flowers, fresh air on hot sunny days and making sure that everybody in her presence had the best and happiest day. She was an incredible listener and always had a shoulder for you to cry on and was never short on the perfect advice. Della's loss will forever leave a mark on the lives and communities that got to experience her perfect soul.

Those left to cherish her memories are her daughter, Sadie Allison Scaggs-Galvan; grandchildren: Keegan Mueller, Nova Galvan and Finnley Galvan; her sister, Donna Oelmann of Alden, Iowa and son in-law, Jordan Scaggs-Galvan of Boone, Iowa. She was preceded in death by her parents, Dale and Dorothy Smuck and a brother, Daryl Smuck.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Della Scaggs.*



October 11, 2024 at 04:00 AM



“ *To Della's Family ~ I very recently learned of Della's illness and now am saddened to find this news. I am honored to have been a part of life. Prayers for peace and comfort. Pam Hammond*

**Pam Hammond** - August 30, 2024 at 12:14 PM



“ *Jane Gullett lit a candle in memory of Della Scaggs*



**Jane Gullett** - August 24, 2024 at 11:26 PM



“ *Rich Blair lit a candle in memory of Della Scaggs*



**Rich Blair** - August 22, 2024 at 08:18 PM

LN

“ *Laura Nassen lit a candle in memory of Della Scaggs*



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**Laura Nassen** - August 20, 2024 at 11:14 PM

SE

“ *Sherri Elsberry lit a candle in memory of Della Scaggs*



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**Sherri Elsberry** - August 20, 2024 at 03:43 PM

KR

“ *Katie Rieks lit a candle in memory of Della Scaggs*



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**Katie Rieks** - August 20, 2024 at 03:33 PM

JB

“ To the family of Della,  
Della was a wonderful person, mom and a mother figure to many people. She had a heart of gold 🧡. She always had a smile on her every time I went into west casey's in boone. I always brought her smoked pull pork whenever i smoked pork butts. She always asked me if i was smoking anything on my smoker. She will be deeply missed by all her family and friends and extended family. I'll be thinking of you whenever I'm smoking on my smoker Della especially pulled pork. R.I.P Della



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**John Hellyer (friend from boone)** - August 20, 2024 at 11:36 AM

LB

*I loved Della aka Stella to me - I cried on her shoulder quite a few times - when she moved to Boone I'd always stop at Casey's and ask her if it was break time yet ? She'd get a big grin on her face and say right now it is - We had so much fun in the old days of Katie's Corner kitchen - RIP Stella I'll miss you ! 💔*

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**Lori Bonin** - August 20, 2024 at 09:51 PM