



## Desiree Dawn Folsom

August 3, 1997 - May 26, 2023

Desiree Dawn Folsom, 25, of Iowa Falls, passed away Friday, May 26, 2023 in Eldora. A public visitation will be held from 2-4 PM on Saturday, July 8, 2023 at the Woodley Funeral Home. A private family service will be held prior to visitation. Woodley Funeral Home and Cremation Services of Iowa Falls is caring for Desiree and her family.

Desiree' Dawn Folsom was born August 3, 1997 to Tracy Lynn Rohlfen in Des Moines, Iowa. She attended school in Iowa Falls and Wapsie Valley. Desiree' moved to Iowa Falls to complete her high school years and graduated in 2015.

Desiree' excelled in track and field and received many medals and ribbons while in high school. She enjoyed the hurdles the best and participated in the Drake relays and State track with her teammates. Her passion for music, friends and fashion kept her busy. When she put her mind to something, she accomplished it. While in high school she decided to join the National Guard. She completed her application in September of 2014 and went to basic training right after graduation. Her physical fitness benefited her at basic training. She excelled in many of the military challenges. While at basic training she was baptized and found her spiritual center to her life.

Desiree' attended the University of Northern Iowa majoring in psychology. She

had several jobs during college but always enjoyed working with people. She was hired by Optimae Life Services and found her perfect fit with helping her clients and working with her colleagues.

Desiree' was a mother, sister, daughter, granddaughter and friend. She enjoyed reading, exercising, learning new things and spending time with her two children, Harper and Sawyer, and hanging out with her many friends.

Desiree' Folsom is survived by two beautiful children, Harper and Sawyer and a special friend, Joey DeHart. She is also survived by her mother, Tracy Rohlfesen; sisters, Shereese and Samantha Rohlfesen; half brothers, Robert and Nick Folsom; grandparent, Robert Rohlfesen and Victoria Arndt and many other aunts, uncles, and cousins. She was preceded in death by her grandmother, Roberta Rohlfesen and father, Richard Folsom.

Memorials may be sent to Iowa Falls State Bank in memory of Desiree' Folsom for Harper and Sawyer. Additional donations may be sent to the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 8. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Iowa Falls - Woodley Funeral Home  
516 S. Oak Street  
Iowa Falls, IA 50126  
(641) 648-7700

# Tribute Wall



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Desiree Dawn Folsom.* ”



July 06, 2023 at 03:54 PM



“ *Tessa Van Buskirk lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom* ”



Tessa Van Buskirk - June 21, 2023 at 10:31 PM



“ *I will never let you be forgotten. I will love you always, Des. Thanks for being the best friend and mum all of these years. Until we meet again. ❤️* ”



Tessa Van Buskirk - June 21, 2023 at 10:30 PM

MK

“Mindy Klein lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom



Mindy Klein - June 20, 2023 at 08:25 AM

BJ

“This is for you girl, we will miss you dearly at Optimae LifeServices. 😞



Brenda Jerkins - June 17, 2023 at 09:49 PM

LO

“Linda Oberender lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom



Linda Oberender - June 13, 2023 at 05:54 PM

RB

“Rebecca Bunger lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom



Rebecca Bunger - June 06, 2023 at 04:06 PM

CB

“ So sorry for your loss. You have my sympathy.



Cinda Barnes - June 02, 2023 at 12:20 AM

KS

“ Kelly Shea lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom



Kelly Shea - June 01, 2023 at 10:13 PM

TR

“ Tim Reisinger lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom



Tim Reisinger - June 01, 2023 at 08:44 PM

KS

“ Kelly Steinfeldt lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom



Kelly steinfeldt - June 01, 2023 at 08:35 PM



“ *Renae Whittington lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom*



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**Renae Whittington** - June 01, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *I'll always remember you Desiree! You truly were one of a kind and had the most beautiful soul. Rest easy my dear*



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**Sarah Ramirez** - June 01, 2023 at 06:06 PM



“ *Oh man , where do I start . Our kiddos went to the same daycare. We would sit around after hours and just complain about the littlest stuff. Joke about the silly stuff and cry during hard times. This is so unfair forever a young beautiful soul*

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**krystal** - May 31, 2023 at 08:41 PM



“ *You will never be forgotten. I will always cherish our venting sessions and chats. You were not just a daycare mommy but you and the babies were family! Love you beautiful angel. Fly high...*

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**Mandy M Harkness** - May 31, 2023 at 08:15 PM

ML

“ *Mardie Luman lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom*



Mardie Luman - May 31, 2023 at 02:20 PM

LE

“ *Lori Elbermawy lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom*



Lori Elbermawy - May 31, 2023 at 01:39 PM

JA

“ *Janine Allbee lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom*



Janine Allbee - May 31, 2023 at 12:46 PM

CW

“ *Carol Wood lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom*



Carol Wood - May 31, 2023 at 10:51 AM

BJ

“ *Brenda Jerkins lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom*



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**Brenda Jerkins** - May 31, 2023 at 07:29 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Desiree Dawn Folsom.

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May 31, 2023 at 02:35 AM

DC

“ *Dawn Crosser lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom*



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**Dawn Crosser** - May 30, 2023 at 09:00 PM

WE

“ *Wendy lit a candle in memory of Desiree Dawn Folsom*



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**Wendy** - May 30, 2023 at 07:55 PM