



# Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh

January 20, 2017 - July 31, 2020

Our precocious, vibrant, wild, and loving Buggy Girl, Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh, 3 of Enon, born January 20, 2017, tragically passed away. She was deeply loved by her parents, Brian S. and Heather J. (Horne) Stambaugh. She was a phenomenal and proud “Big Zus” to Carter Belle Rowan. Bursting with pride at her every achievement were her beloved Mimi, Loretta Stambaugh of Springfield, and her beloved Gigi and Pepper, Sharon and Wendell Horne of Enon. Additional members of her large cheering section were her uncle Brandon Stambaugh and cousin Jesse Stambaugh, both of Springfield, as well as her great grandpa Paul Snyder, of Enon. Always looking out for her were her great aunts, uncles, and cousins. Her best friends were her beloved canine companion, Annabel Lee, and dearest neighbors, Mr. Dale, Miss Loene, and Bentley. She was preceded in death by her paternal grandfather, William Stambaugh, and great grandparents.

Sutton Grace was a force of life and nature who drew you in and made you love her. She had so many accomplishments in her short life: she met and was photographed with numerous Cincinnati Reds (although Joey Votto eluded her), attended more major and minor league baseball games than she could count, served up the best imaginary ice creams (and ate her fair share of real ones too), patrolled the neighborhood, and had learned to ride her tricycle!

We appreciate the efforts of our dear neighbors, Enon Mad River emergency services, Enon Police, and the Clark County Sheriff’s Department, as well as the valiant efforts of the Dayton Children’s Emergency room. The unparalleled love and care from our family and friends has been astounding.

A Funeral Service will be held on Wednesday, August 5, 2020 at 7:00 PM in First Christian Church, 3638 Middle Urbana Road, Springfield, OH. Friends and family may call during a visitation prior to the service from 4:00 to 7:00 PM on Wednesday as well, also in the church. The family asks that attendees honor Sutton Grace’s spirit by wearing their favorite Disney-themed, Reds-themed, or super hero themed items. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Sutton Grace Willow Memorial Fund (Security/Park National

Bank). Adkins Funeral Home in Enon is assisting the family with Sutton's arrangements.  
([www.AdkinsFunerals.com](http://www.AdkinsFunerals.com))

In the words of Buzz Lightyear, Sutton Grace's first love, "To Infinity and Beyond!"

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 5. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

First Christian Church  
3638 Middle Urbana Rd.  
Springfield, OH 45502  
<https://fcclife.me/>

## Funeral Service

AUG 5. 7:00 PM (ET)

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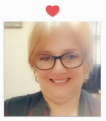
# Tribute Wall

SH

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you and your family 🙏



Stephanie Henderson - August 11, 2020 at 06:27 AM



“ Brian & Heather,  
I'm so very so sorry for your loss! I cannot even begin to imagine what you're going through. You're in my thoughts and prayers.  
Rachelle Shaul-Kniess

Rachelle Shaul Kniess - August 06, 2020 at 11:02 PM

DB

“ Sutton winking at Pepper at a very young age!!! Then winking at everyone else around. She certainly inherited her Gigi's flirt, I witnessed it first hand for many years. Love you Sharon, I am so deeply sorry for you and your family. Sutton made a lasting impression on Charli too from our lunch at Young's. She wouldn't sit down and Heather was so mad. The whole time I kept telling Charli "That's exactly how you were at that age!!!"

Dawn Bennett - August 05, 2020 at 09:00 PM



“ Precious Moments - Praying Angel” Resin Music Box was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.



August 05, 2020 at 01:44 PM

DG

“ DOROTHY GRIGGS lit a candle in memory of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh



DOROTHY GRIGGS - August 05, 2020 at 08:42 AM

DG

*Dear Loretta and Family, Sutton is " Safe in the Arms of Jesus". A new star is shining bright.*

*Love and Prayers. Dottie*

**DOROTHY GRIGGS** - August 05, 2020 at 08:46 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.*



August 05, 2020 at 07:44 AM

MC

“ *Miami Valley Career Technology Center local leaders and Union members send their love and prayers to Heather and her family. Holding you in our hearts...*

*Margaret Correale  
President, Local 4575*

**MARGARET CORREALE** - August 05, 2020 at 07:40 AM



“ *She was winking her eye before any child her age ever should. I knew her silliness then. I then talked to her about her baby sister she was so excited. More than anyone, as thought. She was a GEM. Unique.*

**Dawn Bennett Weller** - August 05, 2020 at 12:53 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.*



August 04, 2020 at 05:24 PM

SS

“ Sending our love- Yellow Springs Schools purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.



Sending our love- Yellow Springs Schools - August 04, 2020 at 03:06 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.



August 04, 2020 at 10:28 AM

FE

“ From everyone at B&G Equipment purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.



From everyone at B&G Equipment - August 04, 2020 at 09:51 AM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.



August 04, 2020 at 08:54 AM



“ I Have You In My Heart Plush Blanket was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.



August 04, 2020 at 04:55 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.*



August 03, 2020 at 04:57 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.*



August 03, 2020 at 03:32 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.*



August 03, 2020 at 09:45 AM

CW

“ *May her memory be Eternal in your Hearts!*

**CHUCK WASZCZAK** - August 03, 2020 at 08:48 AM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.*



August 03, 2020 at 06:52 AM

AB

“ Beautifully written tribute, Heather, to the little girl who ALWAYS put her whole heart into the hugs she so readily shared.



Angela Bowerman - August 02, 2020 at 11:15 PM

TA

“ Fly high precious angel ❤️🥰😘😇🙏🕊️

Tisa Allen - August 02, 2020 at 11:02 PM

TC

“ So heartbroken for your loss! We are so thankful for the sweet friendship she shared with our grandson! She was a wonderful happy little girl! And i loved listening to them "talk" and laugh and play. Our thoughts and prayers are with Brian, Heather, Carter, and the rest of your families.



Tina Compton - August 02, 2020 at 10:52 PM

LH

“ So very sorry for your family. Know our thoughts and prayers are with you. 🙏❤️🙏  
Linda and Darrell Hodson



Linda Hodson - August 02, 2020 at 06:27 PM

JV

“ You are so loved . Bus #7 and Mr Dave will miss our little pre schooler . Love you Julie and Dave VanHoose

Julie and David VanHoose - August 02, 2020 at 06:06 PM



SC

“ Susie & Keith Caudill purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Sutton Grace Willow Stambaugh.



Susie & Keith Caudill - August 02, 2020 at 10:07 AM

PO

“ The poppy buck wink



poppy - August 02, 2020 at 07:31 AM

Sharon Horne

“ Best Buddies from the very beginning



Sharon Horne - August 01, 2020 at 09:30 PM

VH

May you rest easy in the arms of Jesus. Love you Uncle Vern

Vern horne - August 01, 2020 at 10:09 PM



God has a lullaby for you tonight and every night Sutton. And we are praying for all of the family. No words can say .....  
Marty and Kathy

Kathleen Bryan - August 02, 2020 at 01:08 AM

BP

Brian, Heather and family, our family's prayers are with you during this tragic time suffering the loss of your beautiful little girl. May God hold and comfort you now and in the many, many days ahead. Barbara Patton

Barbara Patton - August 02, 2020 at 02:01 PM

DE

*Sutton Grace you were such a force to be reckoned with. We're going to miss that smiley little face of yours and your partner in crime, Jordan, is going to miss you too Brian and Heather and Sharon and Steve they're are no words that will make this any easier for you, just know that we love you and are here for you when you need us. Love you, Uncle Larry, Aunt Debbie, John Paul, Easton and Jordan*

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**Deborah M Evilsizor** - August 02, 2020 at 06:28 PM

AK

*Dear Heather,  
I cannot begin to imagine your grief. I am comforted to hear that you and your husband have felt "unparalleled love" through family and friends. Praying that you both will continue to be carried by that strong love in each day ahead.  
Heartfelt prayers . ~  
Ann Kent (former Speech/Language Pathologist)*

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**Ann Kent** - August 04, 2020 at 12:51 PM