

THEIR LEGACY

Tammy and Tony are survived by their beloved daughters, Ashley Borys, Carissa Frandrup, Kaelynn Knickrehm, and their devoted son, Brayden Drake.

They are also survived by their caring sons-in-law Nathan Frandrup and Doug Knickrehm, and Brayden's thoughtful partner Brooklyn Carlson.

Furthermore, their radiant spirit continues to thrive through their treasured grandchildren Raelenah Kunzman, Jaece Borys, Wren Frandrup, with Iris, Lois, and Cecilia Knickrehm.

Tammy leaves behind her brother Erick McDowell. She was predeceased by her mother and father, Sandra and Robert McDowell.

In addition, Tony leaves behind his cherished mother, Lenny Drake, his father, John Grable, and his dear sisters, Tiffani Connell and Amanda Drake.

They both leave behind nieces and nephews, in-laws and many loving family members.



SINCERE THANKS

Thank you to our friends, family and community for your ongoing warmth and support.

A special thank you to SPARK Children's Museum for hosting the celebration and to the Leadership Greater Rochester-Cohort 2020 for assisting with the service.

In

CELEBRATION

of

ANTHONY DAMON
& TAMMY LEIGH
DRAKE

1968 - 2025



*Beloved children, parents,
grandparents and friends.*

February 22nd
twenty twenty-six
at ten o'clock
in the morning.

Spark Children's Museum
12th St SW
Rochester, MN 55902

OBITUARY



In loving memory of soulmates, Tammy and Tony Drake, who embodied the essence of kindness, love and resilience. They dedicated their lives to family, creating a bond of laughter and warmth, even in the darkest of times. As we gather to honor their memory, we are reminded of the enduring impact of their love and legacy they leave behind. Let us celebrate their lives and find solace in the cherished memories we hold dear.

Both Tammy and Tony passed away on December 26th, 2025. They were known for their quippy, bubbly, caring, and loving nature. Tammy was a beacon of positivity, always ready with a supportive word, a warm hug, or a light-hearted joke to brighten your day. Tony was a firm believer in the power of resilience, often sharing the motto, "We got this", telling us we'll make it work, and there are so many people who love us. His laugh will echo in the hearts of those he left behind.

Amongst Tammy's greatest accomplishments was her talent for bringing joy to others. Tammy was renowned as an exceptional play manager who could bring even the wildest imaginations to life with her crazy costumes and insane holiday light displays. Tony, her equal in vibrancy, was always the crafter or problem solver, his creative and fix it mind always at the ready.

Their most potent legacy, however, is the profound kindness they always extended toward others. This legacy of altruism and the bond they shared with their family is a testament to their lives' greatest accomplishment. Their love and light continue to live within their loved ones' hearts and their absence will be felt forever.

We are planning their final scattering ceremony in Maine, summer of 2026. To share memories and more please visit their memorial site at:
<https://everloved.com/life-of/tammy-drake/donate/>.



ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION
BRAYDEN DRAKE

PRAYER
KAELYNN KNICKREHM

SCRIPTURE
PSALM 23

REMEMBERING TAMMY & TONY
SLIDESHOW

TOAST AND TRIBUTES
CHILDREN OF TAMMY & TONY

SHARED MEMORIES
FAMILY & FRIENDS ARE
ENCOURAGED TO SHARE THEIR
FAVORITE "THAT'S TAMMY"
MOMENTS AND TONY-ISMS.

SPARK DEDICATION
HEATHER NESSLER & TEAM

CLOSING PRAYER
KAELYNN KNICKREHM

An hour to connect with the family will follow the closing prayer.