



Jennifer Renee Hutchinson

September 11, 1983 - May 18, 2026

Jennifer Renee Hutchinson, age 42 of Wellston, Ohio passed away on Monday, May 18, 2026, surrounded by her loved ones. Jennifer was born on September 11, 1983, in Athens, Ohio.

Jennifer was a lifelong resident of the Jackson County area, growing up in Jackson and making a home of her own in Wellston for most of her adult life. She worked for over 17 years at General Mills but also worked at Guhl's Country Store and the Child Development Center in Jackson, where the time she spent with children led to memories she cherished for the rest of her life. Jennifer shared her home, and flagrantly spoiled, her dog Chloe and cat Lucky.

Jennifer made a multitude of friends among her neighbors, coworkers, and the health care providers that looked after her during her fight against cancer. She found no limits in the number of ways she could have fun, whether it was beating her family in board games, hiking and fishing with her fiancé, hanging out on the beach, evenings out with her girlfriends, swapping sarcastic jokes, sharing pepperoni pizza with just about anyone, painting little porcelain sculptures, and, perhaps best of all, shopping for clothes and anything that came in pink. Jennifer was an unapologetic "hopeless romantic" who found the sweetness and beauty in everything she encountered in life. Her beautiful smile is gone too soon and will be missed by everyone who knew her.

Jennifer is survived by her mother, Lonna Lea Hutchinson, her father, Byron Daniel Hutchinson; her fiancé, Robert Tabor; brothers, Anthony Jason (Sherri) Hutchinson and Christopher Aaron Hutchinson; her niece and nephews, Samuel Christopher Hutchinson, Madelyn Jo Chambers, and John “Jack” Byron Hutchinson; her aunt, Rosemary Hutchinson, and many other loving members of her extended family. Jennifer and her family were touched by, and grateful for, the outpouring of kindness and support she received during her battle with cancer.

She was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, Dorothy May Hutchinson and Zach Edward Hutchinson, and her maternal grandparents Lonnie Davis and Mabel Louise Lambert.

Funeral services will be held at 4pm on Thursday, May 21, 2026, at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home with Deacon Emeritus Janie Karl officiating and burial in the Fairmount Cemetery to follow. The family will receive friends 2 hours prior to the service from 2-4pm at the funeral home. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Fairmount Cemetery

12 Fairmount St.
JACKSON, OH 45640

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 21. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home
135 Broadway Street
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-4161

Funeral Service

MAY 21. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Sharonk Kearns lit a candle in memory of Jennifer Renee Hutchinson



Sharonk Kearns - May 22 at 08:26 PM

DS

“ Jenny was an awesome friend to the boys; Jason, Derek, and Jeremey. She was the little sister they didn't have. We are very blessed to have had her in our lives. Our sincere prayers for all of her family. Jim, Dianna, Jason, Derek, and Jeremey Sturgill

Dianna J Sturgill - May 21 at 12:32 PM

DF

“ Dale Gahm Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Jennifer Renee Hutchinson.



Dale Gahm Family - May 21 at 12:43 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jennifer Renee Hutchinson.



May 20 at 09:45 PM

JM

“ *Lonna, Byron, Tony and Chris,
I am so sorry for your loss. Jennifer was always a sweetheart. My
thoughts and prayers are with your family.*
Jenny Marietta

Jenny Marietta - May 20 at 09:30 PM

CC

“ *Lonna, Byron and family, please accept our prayers and deepest
sympathies for the loss of Jennifer! Donna & Chip Chapman*

Chip Chapman - May 20 at 08:28 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the
family of Jennifer Renee Hutchinson.*



May 20 at 06:12 PM



“ *A [Memorial
Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Jennifer Renee Hutchinson.*

May 20 at 06:12 PM

RT

“ *Rita Tabor purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet
for the family of Jennifer Renee Hutchinson.*



Rita Tabor - May 20 at 05:28 PM

ED

“ *Lonna babysat my brother and I, and Jenny and I became fast friends. We spent many weekends staying overnight at each other's house. From the annual yard sale to baseball games in Cleveland, we spent a lot of time together growing up. I will miss Jenny terribly and I am so sorry that I didn't get to see her. Jenny was a beautiful person, she will definitely be missed. Lonna, Byron, Tony, and Chris I love you all and I am so sorry.* □



Emily Davis - May 20 at 02:14 PM

KT

“ *Kevin Tomblin purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Jennifer Renee Hutchinson.*



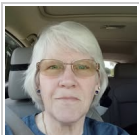
Kevin Tomblin - May 20 at 01:05 PM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jennifer Renee Hutchinson.*



May 20 at 11:07 AM



“ *I worked with Jenny for several years at General Mills. She always had a smile and a spunky personality. I am sorry for the loss of her. Watching her walk the dog with her step matching her personality.*

Julie Hamer - May 20 at 11:02 AM

LO

How was I so blessed to get you for a daughter! Don't tell the boys, but you are my joy. I love you forever. Rest well in your savior's arm, my sweetheart. Mom

Lonna - May 20 at 11:21 AM

MG

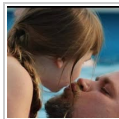
Lonna, I am so very sorry to read of your daughter's passing. I never had the pleasure of meeting her, but she certainly sounds like such a lovely person. I am thinking of you and sending sincere and heartfelt sympathy to you all. Prayers for comfort. Mary Ginter

Mary Ginter - May 20 at 12:40 PM

RT

Jen was soon to be my daughter-in-law. I'll never forget the day I met her, she was happily running in the yard carefree. I don't know why but I thought of her as my little strawberry shortcake. Little did I know that she collected strawberry shortcake items. We had some memorable moments together fixing her hair, applying makeup, and cooking. I even went with her to buy her wedding dress. We also shared the same birthdate. She was meant to be apart of our family and I consider her my daughter-in-law. She was in my prayers everyday and night. My heart is crushed as I know her family is too. My deepest condolences to you all. She will live in my heart forever. May the good Lord comfort you all. Rita Tabor

Rita Tabor - May 20 at 05:47 PM



"I am deeply saddened by the passing of (little Jenny) a dear co-worker. She was very young, full of life, and always had a smile. Though initially shy, she blossomed once she got to know you and was truly loved by all. She brightened people's days and was always working to build a beautiful life—a life that was taken far too soon. My prayers go out to the family of this little angel."

Charles Ray - May 21 at 07:01 AM

LO

Charles, I can't begin to tell you how your kind words about my daughter Jennifer touched my heart. We had over 200 wonderful friends come through the receiving line at her service yesterday with so many heartfelt comments about her sweet personality, sense of humor, and work ethic (makes a mama proud). Thank you for being a friend and for thinking enough of us to send your condolences to us. Forever Grateful, Lonna (Mom)

Lonna - May 22 at 08:23 AM

LO

Rita, Thank you for giving your time and "mom expertise" to Jennifer. I think every girl can use a second mother (maybe that's why they made Mother's in law). I am very happy that she had you to help and advise her on some very important decisions. Hopefully we will get to meet someday soon. I love that you loved my daughter. Lonna

Lonna - May 22 at 08:37 AM

LO

To the many friends of Jennifer, As I sat down this morning to write cards of appreciation for so many of you who have sent arrangements or other sentiments, I have discovered that it is not possible to find addresses like we could back in the old phone book days. So, my sincere apologies if you don't receive one. please know that we are deeply grateful to everyone who sent gifts and to those of you who shared part of your day with us at her visitation and service. We had a wonderful turnout for which we were deeply touched. We will be forever thankful. Lonna Hutchinson

Lonna - May 23 at 11:29 AM