



# Megan Kristen Twigg ~ Ma tso wa'paakii - Beautiful Woman

"As the sun shines and the eagle cries may our dear angel fly high"

With heavy hearts and great sadness, we announce the passing of (Ma tso wa'paakii - Beautiful Woman) Megan Kristen Twigg at the age of 35 years, on March 17, 2023 at the Chinook Regional Hospital, Lethbridge, AB. Megan was surrounded by her loving family.

Megan was born on December 7, 1987 to her parents, Lester and Beverley Twigg at the Lethbridge Regional Hospital. Megan was born and raised in Lethbridge. She later moved to Calgary in 1999 for a few years, then recently, moved back in 2019 to the Blood Reserve into their family home. Megan attended the Children of St. Martha's Elementary School and then grade eight at Father Leonard Van Tighem School in Lethbridge, where she made the Honour Roll. When she moved to Calgary, she went to school at Dover Jr. High, Forest Lawn High School and Bishop McNally High School. It was in Calgary where she met the father of her children, Shanie (Mashall), the twins – Kloe and Karter and her late son Seth, who was still born.

Megan was a kind, caring, loving soul with a beautiful heart of gold. As she was growing up, Megan was the only girl in the family until Nicole was born. In those younger years, Megan had her way of getting her male cousins Luke and Nolan, later her brother Jeff, to do and play what she chose. Megan would often join the boys bike riding in West Lethbridge. One place they enjoyed riding their bikes, was the "Dirt Hills" on the then outskirts of West Lethbridge.

Megan enjoyed playing basketball, baking, making crafts and decorating for every holiday. Megan loved doing hair in many stylish ways, especially for her girls, Shanie and Kloe. Another skill she had was putting on makeup. She had a routine when getting ready to go somewhere, always spending plenty of time to apply her makeup perfectly and fix her hair just perfect.

Megan enjoyed spending time with her children, often taking them to the waterpark, swimming and ovies. She was an auntie to all her friends' children. She loved the family gatherings and spending time with her cousins and friends, whom she had a special relationship with. She had a very special friendship with Bambi, Tara and Wacey Provost. Megan loved her dog Tuffy, she took him everywhere and always made sure Tuffy was groomed.

Megan is survived by her parents, Lester and Beverley Twigg; her children Shanie (Marshall) and twins Kloe and Karter Twigg; siblings Jeff (Lacey) Twigg and Nicole (Tom) Twigg and her nieces and nephews. She also leaves to mourn her partner, Rob Calder; maternal grandmother Sheila Hunt; uncles: Marcel (Dora), Chester Twigg, Dustin McGuinness-Aberdeen and Dana White Quills; aunties: Lenora (Scott) Many Fingers, Lisa Twigg, Marilyn (Cory) Goodstriker, Rochelle Hunt, Cynthia Hunt and Jody White Quills; uncles: Jordan (Susan), Mike (Barbara), Bill, Clark (Annette), Byron (Michelle) and Dexter (Tricia); aunties: Genevieve Bruised Head, Benita Creighton, and Cindy and Stephanie Provost; great-aunts: Pearl Long Time Squirrel, Barbara (Don) Cotton, Joanne Twigg, Yvonne (Rufus) Pretty Young Man, Sandra (Patrick) McDougall and Patricia Aberdeen; and great-uncles: Donald Big Swallow and James Aberdeen. Megan also leaves to mourn numerous cousins that she loved on the Twigg, Hunt, Bruised Head & Aberdeen sides of her family.

Megan was predeceased by her son Seth Twigg-First Charger; her grandparents Mary Twigg, Chester Bruised Head, and Phillip (Dusty) Aberdeen Jr., great-grandparents Phillip Sr. (Daisy) Aberdeen, Bob (Lost Bird) Hunt and Jim Sr. (Lucy) Twigg; sister Stacey Aberdeen; aunties: Tracy and Anita Twigg; uncles: Alvin Twigg and Dallas Wright; great uncles/aunties: Jim, George Bernard and Pete Hunt, Sophie Scout, Darius Long Time Squirrel, Virginia, Mary, Edmund, Ivan, Lester, Gabrielle, Gary, Lindsay Aberdeen, James (Celina), Albert (Philomena), Eugene (Evelyn), Andrew Twigg, Margaret (Morris) Hind Bull, Ada (Dan Sr.) Weasel Moccasin, Beatrice Big Swallow, Theresa (Dean) Plume, Kathleen (Raymond) Young Pine, Annie, Rosa, Mary, and Virginia Twigg; cousins: Leslie Bottle, Ty Lane Twigg, baby Mary Twigg-Wenger, Winold Creighton and baby Braxton Black Plume.

The family would like to thank Dr. Low and the ICU Staff of Chinook Regional Hospital for their care of Megan. The family sincerely apologizes if they left anyone out.

#### FAMILY SERVICE

Cornerstone Funeral Home 2825 - 32 Street South Lethbridge, AB Friday, March 24, 2023 from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM Opening Prayer by Roger & Charlene Prairie Chicken

## WAKE SERVICE

Old Agency Community Hall Blood Reserve, AB Friday, March 24, 2023 from 6:00 PM to 11:00 PM

Master of Ceremony - Scotty Many Fingers

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Prayers by Roger & Cathy Hunt Obituary read by Lacey Provost Songs: I'll be missing you by Puff Daddy Jealous Angels by Donna Taggart Eulogy by Collette Big Swallow Songs: Precious Memories by Patty Loveless Dreaming of You by Selena sary by Brian & Dorothy Twi Song: Go Rest High by Vince Gill Poems by Bailey Goodstriker Music by Christina Fox and Dexter Bruised Head Slide Show by Roman Twigg Speakers - Rob Calder, Luke Many Fingers, Pearl Long Time Squirrel, Tim Frank, Cory Goodstriker, and Marcel Twigg Closing remarks by Lenora Many Fingers Closing Prayer by Roger & Charlene Prairie Chicken

## FUNERAL MASS

St. Martha's Catholic Church 355 Columbia Boulevard West Lethbridge, AB

Saturday, March 25, 2023 at 12:30 PM

Celebrant - Father William Monis Musician - Christina Fox and Dexter Bruised Head

Ushers - Dustin McGuinness-Aberdeen and Chester Twigg

Elder's Prayer - Roger & Cathy Hunt Drummer - Eldon Chief Calf Blackfoot Song - Eldon Chief Calf

#### Musical Selections

Entrance: Amazing Grace Offertory: How Great is Our God Communion: Hail Mary, Gentle Woman Meditation: Lord's Prayer (in Blackfoot) Recessional: What A Day That Will Be

#### READINGS

Isaiah 65:17-21 by Kelly Wells Psalm 25 by Dustin Aberdeen Thessalonians 4:13-18 by Lisa Twigg Prayers of the Faithful by Lisa Twigg John 11:17-27 by Father William Monis

#### SPECIAL PALLBEARERS

Luke Many Fingers | Shanelle Twigg Anyah Twigg | Lucus Hint-Wright

### CHURCH PALLBEARERS

Nicole Twigg | Lacey Provost Paige Many Fingers | Tyleah Many Fingers Latoya Many Fingers | Bailey Goodstriker Katie Goodstriker | Whitney Goodstriker Serenity Twigg | Montana Twigg

#### INTERMENT

Megan will be laid to rest in the One Spot Cemetery, Blood Reserve, AB Blackfoot Song - Bradford Big Swallow/Old Agency

Elder's Prayer – Roger & Charlene Prairie Chicken

#### GRAVESIDE PALLBEARERS

Jeff Twigg | Cauy Twigg | Roman Twigg | Marcel Twigg | Rob Calder | Cory Goodstriker Marshall Grier | Jaylin Goodstriker | Kane Twigg | Myles Hunt-Goodstriker Blair Many Fingers | Nolan Wenger

#### FEAST

Old Agency Community Hall