



Heather Dawn Smart

August 19, 1976 - October 28, 2025

Heather Dawn Smart, 49, of Napoleon, Ohio passed away on October 28, 2025. She was born in Fairfield, California on August 19, 1976 to the late Kerry and Nancy (Radabaugh) Welch. On February 22, 1996, Heather married Christopher Smart in Napoleon.

Heather's greatest joy was her family and those she chose as family. She enjoyed taking care of them and having everyone close. Her grandchildren were everything to her. Heather enjoyed singing along to music and collecting Mickey & Minnie Mouse memorabilia.

She is survived by her children, Jordan (Makenna) Smart, Mya (Michael) Shiffler, Autumn (Jordan) Finn, and Brooke Gonzales; grandchildren Lilith Smart, Adelaide, Eden, and Ryatt Finn, and Novah and Rowyn Shiffler; brother, Aaron (Austin) Nelson-Welch; and lifelong best friend, Tracy Langwell. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Chris; and son, Jonathan Smart.

Friends and Family will be received at the Rodenberger-Gray Funeral Home, Napoleon, on Tuesday, November 4, 2025, from 3:00 PM until 7:00 PM. Funeral services will be held at the funeral home on Wednesday, November 5, 2025, at 11:00 AM with an hour of visitation prior to services. Memorial contributions may be made to the family in care of the funeral home. Online

condolences and messages may be shared with the family at rodenbergergray.com.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

NOV 4. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Rodenberger Funeral Home - Napoleon
1010 Westmoreland Avenue
Napoleon, OH 43545

Public Viewing

NOV 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Napoleon, OH 43545

Funeral Service

NOV 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ I am so sorry to hear this; Heather was a wonderful person. I pray she and Chris and Jon are together again.

Kimberly Hensen - November 05, 2025 at 09:47 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Heather Dawn Smart.



November 04, 2025 at 11:05 AM



“ Dave and Chandler Koskela planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Heather Dawn Smart.

Dave and Chandler Koskela - November 04, 2025 at 11:05 AM



“ Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Heather Dawn Smart.



November 04, 2025 at 09:47 AM

AF

“ *Adrienne Boissy and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Heather Dawn Smart.*

Adrienne Boissy and family - November 04, 2025 at 09:47 AM

UI

“ *Uncle Bo, Aunt Julie, Julia & Izzy purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Heather Dawn Smart.*



Uncle Bo, Aunt Julie, Julia & Izzy - November 02, 2025 at 01:17 PM

VW

“ *I love Heather. She always made me laugh. I am so sorry for the family. She loved her family so much and always talked about them.*
Vicki Waisner

Vicki J. Waisner - November 01, 2025 at 09:35 AM

SR

“ *Steve and Deb Rasey purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Heather Dawn Smart.*



Steve and Deb Rasey - October 31, 2025 at 05:17 PM

KF

“ Katie Spangler & Family purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Heather Dawn Smart.



Katie Spangler & Family - October 31, 2025 at 03:47 PM

KF

“ Katie Spangler & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Heather Dawn Smart.

Katie Spangler & Family - October 31, 2025 at 03:47 PM

HC

“ I am so sorry for the loss of Heather. My Prayers and with her children and grandchildren.

Helena Carman - October 31, 2025 at 02:31 PM