



Kerstin Noelani Akaka

October 3, 1995 - April 13, 2025

With hearts full of sorrow, we announce the passing of Kerstin Noelani Akaka, who left this world far too soon at the age of 29. Born on October 3, 1995, in Ocala, Florida, Kerstin lived a life defined by compassion, joy, and deep love for those around her.

A proud graduate of West Port High School's MCCA Program and the College of Central Florida, where she earned her Associate of Science in Nursing, Kerstin dedicated her professional life to caring for others. As a registered nurse on the labor and delivery floor at AdventHealth, she was a calming, confident presence for new mothers and families—someone who brought light and warmth into some of life's most intimate moments.

Her talents extended far beyond her career. Kerstin was a competitive dancer in her youth, a spirited and skilled bartender, and was once voted “#1 Best Friend” in elementary school—a title she carried with her in spirit throughout her life. Her infectious smile could brighten any room, and her kind heart left an impression on everyone she met.

Kerstin had a unique gift for bringing people together. As one of three sisters, she often helped mediate and create harmony, always striving to ensure happiness for those she loved. She put others before herself without hesitation, a quiet but powerful presence who made the lives of those around

her better just by being there.

She is survived by her loving parents, Eugene “J.R.” Akaka and Nancy Akaka; her sisters, Kalei and Kiana; and many family members, friends, and colleagues who will forever cherish her memory.

A visitation will be held on Monday, April 21, 2025, from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM, with a service beginning at 7:00 PM, at Roberts of Ocala Funeral Home – Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, Florida 34471.

Kerstin's life was a beautiful dance—graceful, passionate, and full of heart. Her spirit lives on in the laughter she sparked, the love she gave, and the memories we hold close.

Previous Events

Viewing

APR **21**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Roberts of Ocala Downtown Chapel
606 SW 2nd Ave
Ocala, FL 34471
(352) 537-8111
info@robertsfunerals.com
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Celebration of Life Service

APR **21**. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Roberts of Ocala Funerals and Cremations created a Webcast in memory of Kerstin Noelani Akaka*



Roberts of Ocala Funerals and Cremations - April 21, 2025 at 03:44 PM



“ *Roberts of Ocala Funerals and Cremations created a Tribute Video in memory of Kerstin Noelani Akaka*



Roberts of Ocala Funerals and Cremations - April 21, 2025 at 03:44 PM

EG

“ *My Condolences to the entire Akaka family. My mom passed on April 13th, 1989 in Bermuda. Very nice family photo. Hello Teresa! Good to see you. You are looking well. Love Estelle Glasford, Massachusetts*

Estelle Glasford - July 02, 2025 at 04:24 PM

KF

“ Kevin and Gina Preston & family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Kevin and Gina Preston & family - April 21, 2025 at 12:27 PM

KF

“ Kevin and Gina Preston & family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

Kevin and Gina Preston & family - April 21, 2025 at 12:27 PM

ER

“ Emily Roberts Nekvasil & Lauren Roberts purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Emily Roberts Nekvasil & Lauren Roberts - April 21, 2025 at 08:05 AM

DA

“ Dan.C. purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Dan.C. - April 21, 2025 at 06:48 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.*



April 19, 2025 at 06:49 PM



“ *Love, Lesley, Silvia, Tammy, Jaya, Ella & Jerry purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.*



Love, Lesley, Silvia, Tammy, Jaya, Ella & Jerry - April 19, 2025 at 02:22 PM



“ *The Hill Family, Eva, Lori, and Shannon. purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.*



The Hill Family, Eva, Lori, and Shannon. - April 19, 2025 at 02:09 PM



“ *Love, Lincoln, Healani, Amber and Elijah planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.*

Love, Lincoln, Healani, Amber and Elijah - April 19, 2025 at 12:55 PM

LE

“ Love, Lincoln, Healani, Amber and Elijah purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Love, Lincoln, Healani, Amber and Elijah - April 19, 2025 at 12:55 PM

LF

“ Love: Rodriguez & Nieves Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Love: Rodriguez & Nieves Family - April 18, 2025 at 08:47 PM

WH

“ Wayne, Bessie and Kellie Harmon purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Wayne, Bessie and Kellie Harmon - April 18, 2025 at 02:34 PM

YW

“ Yasmin Watford planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

Yasmin Watford - April 18, 2025 at 12:12 PM

YW

“ Yasmin Watford purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Yasmin Watford - April 18, 2025 at 12:12 PM

JJ

“ Jessica, Carleen, and Joycelyn purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Jessica, Carleen, and Joycelyn - April 18, 2025 at 11:23 AM

RM

“ Randy Janet, Scott Montgomery purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Randy Janet, Scott Montgomery - April 17, 2025 at 11:55 AM

AC

“ Amy, Ricky, Robert and Cynthia purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Amy, Ricky, Robert and Cynthia - April 17, 2025 at 11:32 AM

AE

“ AdventHealth Ocala, Nurse Educators purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



AdventHealth Ocala, Nurse Educators - April 17, 2025 at 11:23 AM

AE

“ AdventHealth Ocala, Nurse Educators planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

AdventHealth Ocala, Nurse Educators - April 17, 2025 at 11:23 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



April 17, 2025 at 10:43 AM

TF

“ Tammy, Allison and family. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

Tammy, Allison and family. - April 16, 2025 at 05:48 PM

TF

“ Tammy, Allison and family. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Tammy, Allison and family. - April 16, 2025 at 05:48 PM

DG

“ Darlene & Charles Gilhousen purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Darlene & Charles Gilhousen - April 16, 2025 at 04:07 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

April 16, 2025 at 01:34 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



April 16, 2025 at 01:34 PM

PA

“ Paula planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

Paula - April 16, 2025 at 12:52 PM

PA

“ Paula purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Paula - April 16, 2025 at 12:52 PM

MP

“ Marybeth, Summer, Jasmine and Paris purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Marybeth, Summer, Jasmine and Paris - April 16, 2025 at 08:58 AM

KF

“ Kaitlin Saulnier & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

Kaitlin Saulnier & Family - April 16, 2025 at 05:28 AM

KF

“ Kaitlin Saulnier & Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Kaitlin Saulnier & Family - April 16, 2025 at 05:28 AM

TF

“ Tamia & Family purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Tamia & Family - April 16, 2025 at 03:16 AM

CO

“ Chaney Oliver purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Chaney Oliver - April 15, 2025 at 11:56 PM

CO

“ Chaney Oliver planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

Chaney Oliver - April 15, 2025 at 11:56 PM

FB

“ From Troy, Schyler, and Drew Brumm purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



From Troy, Schyler, and Drew Brumm - April 15, 2025 at 10:20 PM

RF

“ Rachel Farrell and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.

Rachel Farrell and Family - April 15, 2025 at 09:58 PM

RF

“ Rachel Farrell and Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



Rachel Farrell and Family - April 15, 2025 at 09:58 PM

WG

“ With Love, Melissa, Nevaeh & Giovanni purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.



With Love, Melissa, Nevaeh & Giovanni - April 15, 2025 at 09:20 PM

WF

“ *With love, The Wittman/Hennessy Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.*



With love, The Wittman/Hennessy Family - April 15, 2025 at 08:59 PM

MI

“ *3 files added to the album Kerstin ??*



Miisy - April 15, 2025 at 08:45 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.*



April 15, 2025 at 08:41 PM

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“ *...Megan, Michelle, Ronel and family purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.*



...Megan, Michelle, Ronel and family - April 15, 2025 at 08:36 PM



“ *...Megan, Michelle, Ronel and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kerstin Noelani Akaka.*

...Megan, Michelle, Ronel and family - April 15, 2025 at 08:36 PM