



## Michele T. Scholes

November 12, 1966 - September 23, 2025

Michele T. Scholes  
(née Jett)

Age 58, of South Wilmington, IL, passed away peacefully at her home on Tuesday, September 23, 2025. Born November 12, 1966, at Grand Forks Air Force Base in ND, Michele was the cherished daughter of Michael and Rosemary (née Kroll) Jett.

On October 3, 1992, Michele married Troy Scholes at St. Lawrence Catholic Church in South Wilmington. Their marriage was blessed with many years together, and she remained deeply devoted to Troy and their family throughout her life.

Michele worked as an accountant at First National Bank in Wilmington before choosing to stay home and raise her children, a role that brought her the greatest joy. In later years, she also worked at Marketti's. She gave much of her time to her community, volunteering with the South Wilmington Grade School Parents Group, Gardner-South Wilmington High School, and as a church money counter.

She enjoyed live music, line dancing, and was a member of the South Wilmington Fireman's Club. Michele will be remembered as a kind and caring woman whose greatest devotion was to her family, and whose generosity of spirit extended to her friends, church, and community.

Michele is survived by her husband, Troy; her mother, Rosemary Jett of South Wilmington; her son, Justin Jett of WY; her daughter, Samantha (Taylor)

Treamer of South Wilmington, IL; her grandchildren, Zoey Jett, Kaysen Schneider, and Charlotte Treamer; her sister, Melissa Jett of South Wilmington; and her brother, Christopher (Jenny) Jett of South Wilmington. She is also survived by many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins. She was preceded in death by her father and her maternal and paternal grandparents.

Visitation will be held at R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory in Braidwood, IL, on Sunday, September 28, 2025, from 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Funeral services will take place on Monday, September 29, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, with Father John Hornicak officiating. Interment will follow at Braceville-Gardner Cemetery in Braceville, IL. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to South Wilmington School Parents Club.

To share memories or offer condolences, please visit Michele's online guestbook at [www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com](http://www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com) or find us on Facebook.

R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory  
401 E. Main St., Braidwood, 815-458-2336  
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# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **28**. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

R.W. Patterson Funeral Home  
401 East Main St.  
Braidwood, IL 60408  
(815) 458-2336  
info@rwpattersonfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com>

## Service

SEP **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

St Lawrence Catholic Church  
165 Rice Rd  
South Wilmington, IL 60474  
(815) 237-2230

## Inturment

SEP **29** (CT)

Braceville-Gardner Cemetery  
7295 W. Braceville Road  
Braceville, IL

# Tribute Wall

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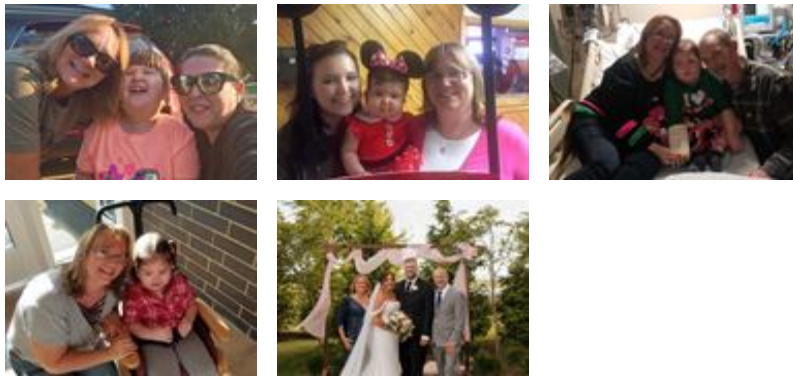
“ *Chris and family,  
Very sorry for your families loss. May your  
sister rise with the Angels and forever watch  
over her family, friends and loved ones from  
above.  
With deepest sympathy,*



**Dianne T Gerling** - September 28, 2025 at 01:33 PM



“ *147 files added to the album LifeTributes*



**R W Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd.** - September 28, 2025 at 11:07 AM

JR

“ *I have had the privilege to work Michele's sister Mellisa for years. I  
can only imagine they are very much alike - which speaks volumes  
on how wonderful they are & how they touch so many of our lives.  
Peace Michele!!!*

**Joe Rogus** - September 26, 2025 at 03:52 PM

TH

“ So sorry to hear about your loss. She was such a sweet person. Always had a smile and a laugh when we worked together at the bank. RIP Michelle.

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**Tina Habing** - September 26, 2025 at 01:55 PM

DP

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Michele’s family. She was a great person. I had the pleasure of teaching her at South Wilmington Grade School. May she Rest In Peace.

*Mr. Pantaleone*

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**Dominic pantaleone** - September 25, 2025 at 11:18 AM

CC

“ Troy and Michele have been my great neighbors for over 18 years now. My favorite thoughts are of the food stuffs we shared from my garden for the family. Best memory is of her making jelly from some of my gardens hot peppers. The pepper jelly made my mouth and my soul warm. We laughed about many things as good neighbors can. One day she saw me on the tailgate of my truck with a ladder next to it cutting tree branches with a pole saw to keep my phone line clear. Being 6'5" 295#s she had been watching out for me and teased me by saying be careful if you fall I can never pick a big guy like you up. We both laughed so hard. Nice to have caring friends with an amazing ability to joke and laugh. Will miss that laugh . God bless

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**Chris J. Cammack** - September 25, 2025 at 10:31 AM

JP

“ My sincere condolences to Michele’s family 💔 She was a wonderful person and this makes me very sad ☐ Rest in peace Michele and have a visit with Luann ❤️

Jill Simms Princko - September 24, 2025 at 06:57 PM

CS

Our sympathies to Michelle’s family and friends. She was a wonderful person and a very loving grandmother. I know she will be missed greatly. My heart breaks for all of you.

Cathleen Smith - September 25, 2025 at 10:33 AM

JB

I never saw Michelle that she didn't have a smile on her face. I like to think this is a reflection on her love for her family and contentment with her life. She packed a lot of happiness into a too short life.  
John and JoAnn Burns

John Burns - September 25, 2025 at 07:27 PM