



## Emilee Anne Bennett

July 9, 1983 - February 3, 2022

Emilee Anne Bennett, 38 of Bloomfield, NJ passed away on February 3, 2022. Emilee is survived by her loving mother Barbara Bennett, sister Sara Bennett and brother Eric Bennett. She was predeceased by her father Samuel Bennett and brother in law Christopher Rinaldi. Emilee attended Montclair State University. She was a Pre-School Teacher at Montclair Cooperative School. Emilee was an active leader of singing company of Montclair Salvation Army Church and member of Imperial Brass. Emilee was very talented and creative, she enjoyed spending time doing crafts. She loved music, singing and playing euphonium. She was fearless and loved to travel by herself. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Memorial Service

FEB 9. 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Salvation Army Church  
13 Trinity Pl  
Montclair, NJ 07042

# Tribute Wall

IB

“ *Imperial Brass purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Emilee Anne Bennett.*



Imperial Brass - February 08, 2022 at 11:11 PM

IB

“ *With Distinction was purchased for the family of Emilee Anne Bennett.*



February 08, 2022 at 11:12 AM

JM

“ *Emilee,  
There is no way for me to sum up in words just how much you meant to me. We were teaching partners for so many years, but first and foremost friends. I have witnessed your magic on countless occasions of calming a crying child with your joyful spirit. God gifted you with a musical talent that you generously shared with others and taught it to all the children both at school and church. Your peaceful presence and grace were ever present in all that you did. You brought creativeness and beauty to all that you touched. From handmade teaching materials that you spent hours on, to thoughtful notes and cards to cheer someone up when they were feeling down, handcrafted crochet projects, calligraphy signs, water color paintings, t shirts, sewing, culinary delights, and the lots goes on and in. You were such a creative soul that spent your life serving others: the children, your family and friends, and GOD. And all of us who knew and loved you who are left on this earth without you will feel this great loss. I will remember you with the budding flowers in the Spring. I will remember you when I hear a child sing. I will remember your gifts of kindness and grace. I will remember your friendship and love. But I will mostly remember you every time I see a fluttering butterflies wing* ❤️🦋🙏

Jennifer May - February 08, 2022 at 11:09 AM

AC

“ Aunt Alice and Aunt Charlene purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Emilee Anne Bennett.



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**Aunt Alice and Aunt Charlene** - February 07, 2022 at 12:48 PM



“ Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of Emilee Anne Bennett.



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February 07, 2022 at 12:45 PM

LH

“ Lydia and Bob Hetherington purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Emilee Anne Bennett.



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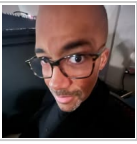
**Lydia and Bob Hetherington** - February 07, 2022 at 11:08 AM

NT

“ Emilee taught my son at Montclair Coop. She was a lovely, caring, person and will be missed by many. My heart goes out to her mother, Barbara. We will be keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Natalie Trento** - February 06, 2022 at 07:52 PM



“ Emily and I played euphonium together in the Imperial Brass Band. I enjoyed sitting to her right, that was where I had the chance to get an earful of her beautiful sound. I would often say, I was there to support her and follow her lead! She was such a strong musician. She rarely needed my "back up"! I just wanted her to know that I was there when she needed me. We last spoke via text a few days before Em's "Going Home". I asked if she needed anything. Emilee responded, "Nothing needed right now except everyone's prayers". I was more than happy to do provide that on the spot. I'm going to miss her very much. I will treasure our conversations and music making. Love You Emilee Bennett! My condolences and continued prayers for the family and everyone that knew her. We were truly blessed to have known her.

Gerard Wells

Gerard Wells - February 06, 2022 at 04:56 PM

AL

“ Emilee and I worked together for several years as early childhood educators for and we first met as fellow butterfly whisperers at a weekend workshop at Teacher's College. It was a hot summer, but our group crowded the New York subway with unusually large nets and mesh butterfly enclosures and trekked to Central Park. It was quite a sight! Later, we even enacted a little pollinator play dressed up as insects and flowers — she was a purple flower and me, a Harlequin moth larva. She was radiant and mindful — and I could only imagine what a great teacher she was. Fortunately, only a year later, I was able to see for myself when I joined the Montclair Co-op where she worked. The care of all beings, especially the small, was a gift she had, whether it was for a delicate butterfly newly emerged or a crying child. She is love and is loved. She will be missed and ever remembered. My condolences and prayers to all who knew her and were touched by her Light. — Andrea Lee



Andrea Lee - February 06, 2022 at 01:16 PM

RK

“ Early Ages was the first classroom I was assigned to as a new substitute teacher six years ago. Emilee was such a loving, caring assistant teacher and I learned so much about how to interact and teach such young little souls as it was so new to me. I watched Emilee play, teach kids to set their lunch table and clean up. She taught them so many games and sing alongs and how to cook! She was always professional and caring. I will miss seeing her in and around the school and Ruthies!



Rita king - February 06, 2022 at 01:09 PM