



## Amelia Rose Hartman

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Amelia Rose Hartman, age 37, died peacefully with her two best friends by her side on Sunday, February 4, 2024.

Amelia was born on June 24, 1986 in Kyonggi-do, South Korea. She came home to the United States by her adopted parents, Ron Selvig and Sharon (Bussmann) Selvig. After completing her bachelor's degree at Hamline University in St. Paul, Amelia attended the University of Saint Thomas School of Law. During law school, she was known for her brilliance, hard work and bringing people together.

To Amelia, advocating for others was as natural as breathing. Her passionate, selfless approach to life made her a perfect fit for her chosen profession. She spent as much time at home talking about her paid work as she did her pro bono clients. Despite her talents as a lawyer, Amelia's truest love and deepest passion was her family and friends.

Amelia married the love of her life, Aaron, in November 2016. Through marriage, she gained a son, Jacob (16). Ryder (6) joined the family in 2017.

Amelia loved being a mom. Her boys were her entire world. She was kind and compassionate and taught her boys to be the same. Together they loved spending free time at the lake and in the mountains.

Amelia inspired everyone to face each day with purpose and grace. In the most challenging parts of her journey with cancer, Amelia continued to live life to the fullest and to focus on the good. She always took the time to check in on her friends and to make sure everyone from her family to the nursing staff to complete strangers were taken care of first.

Amelia is survived by her husband Aaron, sons, Jacob and Ryder, parents Ron Selvig and Sharon (Bussmann) Selvig, sister Arika Cooknell and her husband David Cooknell, sister-in-law Katie Beaulieu and husband Ryan Beaulieu, along with countless adoring aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and, of utmost importance to Amelia, friends that were her chosen family.

A visitation will be held on Friday, February 9, 2024 from 2:00-4:00 pm at the Washburn McReavy Funeral Chapel in Edina, MN. A short service will follow in the chapel at 4:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be sent to the Venmo account @AmeliasFund in order to purchase prepaid parking cards for cancer patients at Methodist Hospital.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 9. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Edina Chapel  
5000 West 50th & Highway 100  
Edina, MN 55436

## Chapel Service

FEB 9. 4:00 PM - 4:45 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Growing up with Amelia in Idaho gave me the childhood that I attribute to my standard for life and what “family” means to me. I’ve always felt like we were sisters and no matter the time and space, we never skipped a beat. Our lives reunited in the last decade and my appreciation for her wholesome and authentic presence will be a hard loss to process. There will always be a void during the holidays that only she could fill. Love you Amelia, your strength and giving heart will inspire me forever.

- Tina Evans



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**Tina Evans** - February 09, 2024 at 02:32 PM

SN

“ Aaron your aunt Jan told me about this sad news I know that Amelia was the love of your life. We are sending our deepest sympathy and prayers to you and your family. May her love for you and the boys carry with you through this difficult time and forever

Hugs and prayers

Scott and Rhonda Nordin

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**Scott and Rhonda Nordin** - February 09, 2024 at 08:26 AM

JZ

“ I met Amelia a few years ago at work, and loved her immediately. When we would walk to get coffee together in the office, she'd inevitably run into multiple people she'd know and every one felt like a reunion with an old friend; she'd hug them, ask them about a recent project or family member, and introduce me or whomever we were with. She made me and the people around her feel important because she genuinely cared. I also loved that along with the warmth of her friendship also came the fire of a no BS attitude. She stood up for her beliefs and her friends, even if it might have been risky to do so. She has added so much to the world, we're all lucky she was here.

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**Julia Zhang** - February 09, 2024 at 08:14 AM

SM

“ Amelia was the first patient I've ever truly become friends with in my 17 years of nursing. The first day I met her in the clinic we clicked, enough to even get together on occasion throughout the last couple years. She was fun, interesting, kind, and brought so much joy to so many of us. Aaron and family, please accept my sympathies and love. I will miss her dearly. I wish I could attend the services, but I will be at work. Know how much she was loved by all of us at Frauenshuh. Sarah Morrison

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**Sarah Morrison** - February 08, 2024 at 09:17 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Amelia Rose Hartman.



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February 08, 2024 at 06:28 PM

JD

“ I was blessed to be a colleague of Amelia Hartman. She was dynamic to work with, her quick wit, intelligence and organizational skills made all of us better professionals. You knew when Amelia was nearby, her laugh, smile and energy filled the room. Amelia was an absolute joy to work with and be around, I have been blessed to have been a colleague and friend. My sincerest condolences to Aaron, Jacob and Ryder. Your wife/ mom was an awesome woman who made an impact everyday and made everyone around her a better person. I will miss her dearly. John Dietrich

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john Dietrich - February 08, 2024 at 05:54 PM

JH

Amelia, where you at?  
Every Dr., nurse and caregiver, neighbor, colleague, friend, and relative knows where. You are in our hearts forever. Dear God in heaven, we thank you very, very, very much for Amelia  
❤️ G-Dude

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Janice Hartman - February 09, 2024 at 09:40 AM

TI

*Dear Aaron, Ryder, and Jacob,*

*I cannot fathom the depth of sorrow you're experiencing with the loss of your beloved Amelia. I learned about her remarkable spirit before Amelia joining our team two years ago, our connection rooted in a shared passion for Pro bono work at Target. I was elated to discover that she would be my direct leader.*

*Amelia wasn't just a powerhouse litigator; she was a skilled negotiator with a charm that even the opposing side warmed up to. Her leadership style was exceptional—she exemplified the idea that a true leader finishes last. Regardless of her own challenges, she always began our updates with a genuine inquiry into our well-being. She was kind, wise, and found positivity in even the darkest moments. An inspiration to many, she channeled optimism and gave her all to achieve the end goal.*

*My deepest condolences to you and the family. Amelia's legacy of kindness, wisdom, and unwavering optimism will forever guide and inspire all of us who had the privilege of knowing and working alongside her.*

*Sincerely,*

*Tinzing Artmann*

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**Tinzing** - February 09, 2024 at 01:49 PM

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*Dearest Aaron, Ryder & Jacob,*

*Please accept my condolences, and know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. My deepest sympathies go out to you and your family during this challenging time. Amelia will always be remembered for her intelligence, kindness, and unwavering strength. I am truly sorry for your loss. God Bless You.*

*Sincerely,  
Mary M. Rossi*

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**Mary M. Rossi** - February 15, 2024 at 03:57 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Amelia Rose Hartman.* ”



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