



Stacey Hunter Hecht

May 14, 1968 - December 9, 2015

Associate Professor Bethel College

Age 47 of Falcon Heights

Passed away Dec. 9, 2015. Survived by husband, Stephen; daughter, Rosalind; mother, Sherry (Donald) Peters and sister, Amy (Daniel) Zugell; mother and father in-law, Janet and Charles Hecht; brothers in-law, Edward and John (Julie) Hecht; Katie and Paul Koch and many other supportive family and friends. Stacey was an associate professor of political science and chair of the political science department at Bethel University. She was the author of articles and book chapters on religion and politics, social policy, and state politics. Stacey was a regular commentator for the local media (TPT Almanac) in the Twin Cities area. She was a generous and valuable member of the local Twin Cities Chinese Community and an active member of Como Park Lutheran Church. A gathering to remember Stacey will be 4-8 PM Wednesday, Dec. 16th at HOLCOMB-HENRY-BOOM-PURCELL FUNERAL HOME, 515 Hwy 96 W., at Mackubin, Shoreview. Memorial Service 11:00 AM (gathering 10-11AM) Thursday, Dec. 17th at COMO PARK LUTHERAN CHURCH, 1376 W. Hoyt Ave., St. Paul. Memorials preferred to University of Minnesota Confucius Institute to support Chinese language and cultural education throughout Minnesota.

Tribute Wall

RW

“ Stephen, Rosalind, and all of your family. We are deeply saddened at Stacy's passing. You all are in our thoughts and meditations, especially now during this holiday season. Stephen, as my friend and fellow laborer please know I am available should you need anything at all. I look forward to seeing you the next time I travel to the Cities. Our deepest condolences and warmest wishes to you all. Take good care. Robert and Deborah Webster, Greenville County, South Carolina

Robert and Deborah Webster - December 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ I'm very saddened to hear about Stacey's passing. I had the great pleasure of having Stacey as a member of the Hampton High School Band for four years. She was very gifted musically, quite dedicated and a true leader. I also have fond memories of her husband Steve and her sister Amy who were also members of the band. I also know her mother Sherry as a fellow teacher and friend. Stacey contributed greatly to this world and all of her family & friends can be proud of her in many, many ways. I will keep the entire family in my Prayers at this sad time. God Bless.

Ted Cramer - December 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ Our sincerest sympathy to Steve, Rosie, and all of Stacey's family. Please let us know if there is ever anything we can help with.

Dan Pratt & Cammi Stanley - December 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GD

“ *The Mc Davitt family extends our sincere condolences on Stacey's passing. Stacey and I were partners at Jan and Jim's wedding and also, she and I share our wonderful godchild, Patrick McDavitt. Our prayers are with you all; Stacey indeed left a wonderful mark on this world ! God Bless Gerry McDavitt*

gerry mc davitt - December 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ *Stephen, I am so sorry to hear this news. While I didn't know your wife, I heard you speak so many times of your family and I know you're a great husband and father. My sincere condolences, there really aren't words to express how sorry I am for you and your family.*

Reesi Albers - December 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM