



Lauren Delesse McNeil Jensen

April 29, 1983 - February 19, 2026

Lauren “Les” Delesse McNeil Jensen, 42, entered into the arms of the Lord on Thursday, February 19, 2026. Born April 29, 1983, in Vicksburg, Mississippi, and known to all as “Les,” she was a devoted wife, mother, daughter, and friend whose life was woven with love, laughter, and a tender heart for those around her. She leaves behind a family who loved her deeply and will forever cherish her memory.

She was the beloved daughter of Jerry “Bubba” McNeil and the late Laurie Bufkin McNeil Shepherd, and was deeply loved by her stepfather, Al Shepherd, her stepmother, Melanie McNeil, and her parents-in-law, Dennis and Laura Jensen. She was preceded in death by her grandparents, JD and Maudie Nell McNeil; Marvin Harold and Estelle Bufkin; and William and Joanna Steen, whose legacies of faith and family helped shape her life.

Left to cherish her memory are her devoted husband, Justin Jensen; her three precious children, Jaxon, Alexis, and Saylor Jensen; her brothers-in-law, Josh Jensen (Ashley) and Jeremy Jensen (Ashley); her sisters-in-law, Desarae Jensen and Chelsea Jensen; along with nieces and nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, and dear friends whose lives were touched by her kindness and spirit.

Though words cannot fully carry the weight of this loss, the family finds

comfort in God's mercy and in the promise that His love and grace extend into the deepest valleys. They ask for continued prayers and compassion as they walk through this season of grief, trusting that the Lord is near to the brokenhearted and faithful to carry them through. May the Lord grant her eternal rest, and may perpetual light shine upon her.

Service arrangements are Friday, February 27, at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, 833 West 6th Street, Laurel, MS 39443, Visitation from 3:00-4:00 with service to follow at 4:00.

To sign the online guest book, visit:
www.memorychapellaurel.com

Previous Events

Services

FEB 27. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
833 W Sixth Street
Laurel, MS 39440

Tribute Wall

RG

“ *Justine and all the family:
May the Peace of Christ be with you all and
help you in these tough times and know we
continue praying for you!
Roma Rahaim Graham, Rick, Dax and
Gabrielle Graham*



Roma Rahaim Graham - February 28 at 09:20 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for
the family of Lauren Delesse McNeil Jensen.*



February 25 at 04:03 PM

MD

“ *Condolences on your wife and mother,
Prayers for the whole family. May God Peace
surround you in the coming days and months
to come. His Grace is the only thing that can
strengthen and uplift you in times like this.
May God shine his love upon you. Prayers, Joey and Marsha Davis*



marsha DAVIS - February 23 at 04:19 PM

CP

“ Bubba and Mel, and all of Les's family, you have my deepest sympathy for your loss. Sending prayers to you all as you navigate this tragedy, and love from your friends at Elks Lodge #122 in Shreveport. - Carla Pampe and Earl Stout

Carla Pampe - February 23 at 11:40 AM

SB

“ Sarah Burroughs planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lauren Delesse McNeil.

Sarah Burroughs - February 23 at 08:46 AM

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“ Sarah Burroughs purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Lauren Delesse McNeil Jensen.



Sarah Burroughs - February 23 at 08:46 AM

LG

“ LessKay Reed, Brittany Barry & girls purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Lauren Delesse McNeil Jensen.



LessKay Reed, Brittany Barry & girls - February 22 at 05:44 PM

ST

“ *Words will never be enough to describe this loss.*

Stephanie - February 22 at 02:20 PM

AD

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Justin and the kids in the days to come. Les had such. Beautiful soul and was taken from us way too soon.*

Amanda Dearman - February 22 at 01:38 PM