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Home in Grinnell with Pastor David Brandt officiating. Memorials may be directed to House of Mercy in Des Moines or to the Prenatal Social Work Program of the Mercy Medical Center and sent in care of the Smith, Funeral Home, PO Box 368, Grinnell, Iowa 50112.

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Emily is survived by her mother, Christine of West Des Moines, Nowa; big sister, Olivia of West Des Moines; her grandparents, Ruth and "Tweet" Carstensen of Montezuma; her Uncle Tom and Aunt JoAnn Carstensen of Cedar Rapids; cousins, Aiden and Maura Carstensen of Cedar Rapids; and bonus family, Aunt Tami and Uncle Tony, Aunt JuJu and SuSu.

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