



Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell

February 18, 1974 - April 15, 2019

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford

Mrs. Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell, 45, passed away Monday, April 15, 2019, at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, TN. Visitation will be Thursday, April 18, 2019, from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., at Coleman Funeral Home. A funeral service will be held Friday, April 19, 2019, at 10:00 a.m., at First Baptist Church of Oxford (800 Van Buren Ave., Oxford, MS 38655), and interment will follow at 2:00 p.m., at Bakers Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery (1965 Johnston Road, Hernando, MS. 38632). In honor of Mrs. Amy's request, Bro. Robert Allen and Bro. David Ard will officiate. Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford is in charge of arrangements.

Amy was born in Metairie, La. in 1974. She is known for her larger than life personality and her smile that brightened every room she entered. Her laugh was contagious and she put her heart and soul into everything she did. Celebrating Amy's life seems only natural to all who knew and loved her.

Amy was an Acute Care Nurse Practitioner at Urgent Care Clinic of Oxford for 8 years, and she served as an adjunct nursing instructor at Northwest Mississippi Community College. She was a faithful member of the MS Nursing Association and the Junior Auxiliary of Oxford. She spent her spare time reading, participating in photography, enjoying her work in the flower beds,

and traveling with her husband, Will. They shared a bond like no other; a love that everyone they knew craved to have. She also adored hanging out with her family and playing with her grandson, Tyler. To Sarah Beth, Amy was "Super Mom", always there to support her in every endeavor. She likes to say they were "attached at the hip". Amy also spent time working with various volunteer organizations including Yellow Leaf Baptist Church where she was an active member.

Mrs. Tidwell leaves behind her loving husband, Will Tidwell of Oxford; two daughters, Sarah Beth Tidwell of Oxford and Alex Tidwell of Boston, MA; one son, Ethan Tidwell of Oxford; her mother, Susan Dempsey of Oxford; one sister, Lawrie Williams of New Orleans, LA; one brother, Casey Dempsey of Atlanta, GA; her mother and father-in-law, Gary and Margaret Hale of Taylor, MS; best friends, Lauren Lundgren and Wanda Howell; and one grandson, Tyler Tidwell of Oxford, to whom she was "Nims".

Mrs. Tidwell was preceded in death by her father, Larry Dempsey.

Donations and memorials in honor of Mrs. Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell may be made to the Yellow Leaf Building Fund (50 Cr. 435, Oxford, MS) or the First Baptist Missions Fund (800 Van Buren Ave., Oxford, MS).

Online condolences may be left on the Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Bakers Chapel Cemetery

1965 Johnston Rd.
Hernando, MS 38632

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford
601 Commerce Parkway
Oxford, MS 38655
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Funeral Service

APR 19. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Baptist Church of Oxford
800 Van Buren Ave.
Oxford, MS

Burial

APR **19**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Bakers Chapel Cemetery
1965 Johnston Rd.
Hernando, MS 38632

Tribute Wall



“ Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford created a Tribute Video in memory of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell



Coleman Funeral Home - April 18, 2019 at 02:37 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.



April 22, 2019 at 01:38 PM



“ Amy , a sweet lovely lady. May God bless each of you and give you comfort as only He can.
God is good.

Anna Beth McNeely - April 18, 2019 at 06:15 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.



April 18, 2019 at 04:03 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.*



April 18, 2019 at 03:52 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.*



April 18, 2019 at 01:22 PM



“ *Sympathy, Danny and Ruth Caldwell Allyson Caldwell Hardy*

danny caldwell - April 18, 2019 at 01:18 PM



“ *It is with heavy hearts that we have said goodbye to Amy. She gave so much of her life to others, in her profession, her laugh and smile, and her goodness. She will always be in our hearts. We pray the Lord holds Will, Sarah Beth, and Susan, steadfastly in His arms as they grieve. Amy will always be remembered as very special angel of God.*



Dick and Marilyn Frey - April 18, 2019 at 11:49 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Life Tributes*



Coleman Funeral Home - April 18, 2019 at 11:23 AM

BC

“ *Amy was one of a kind! I have known her most of her life, she went from the sweet and precious giggle to that beautiful and kind smile. She will be missed by everyone that knew her. My pray is that GOD will wrap his loving arms around each of you and give you the strength, comfort and peace that only HE can do!*



Bonnie and Minta Craig - April 18, 2019 at 10:29 AM

SL

“ *Amy was one of my favorite students. She had a great personality and always smiling. My heart goes out to her family.*

Sam T. Logan

Sam T. Logan - April 18, 2019 at 09:04 AM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.*



April 18, 2019 at 07:14 AM



“ *Wishing you comfort and peace during this difficult time that only God can provide. Our hearts hurt alongside yours as we all grieve, but take comfort in knowing we will see Amy again. Know that we love you and are lifting you all up in prayer.*

*With much love,
The Kight families*

Kight Families - April 18, 2019 at 07:07 AM



“ *Rest In Peace sweet Amy. You were always so kind to me and my mother.*



Jane Connell Lee - April 17, 2019 at 09:41 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.*



April 17, 2019 at 06:49 PM

BC

“ Susan, Sarah Beth, and Will,

What a sad day it was to hear Amy left this earth. She was such a beautiful lady, inside and out. We loved her so and love ya'll too.

We know without a doubt she is an Angel in Heaven now. Mr. C. and Ms. C. (Becky) have been praying for you and your family. Even though Amy has left us. She will not be forgotten. We know now, she is with her Daddy and they are together again. Their are no words we can say, but we wanted all of you to know how much we love and adore all of you.

*Love,
Becky and Larry Christman*



Becky Christman - April 17, 2019 at 06:47 PM

TP

“ Words cannot express our grief over the loss of this amazing lady. Our thoughts and prayers are with Mrs. Susan, Will, Sarah Beth and the rest of the family. We were blessed to be part of a “dance family” at DKSD for many years and she will be deeply lost. All our love, Terri, Tim, Pittman Ohillips and Grace Turner

terri phillips - April 17, 2019 at 06:44 PM

LH

“ I was blessed to have met Amy in 2011, when our Son's were rack mates at Marine bootcamp. We were both Nurses, and I was so impressed with Amy becoming a Nurse Practitioner. What a beautiful woman, wife, mom, and friend. Her live for her family was so apparent. Blessed for sure. Praying for her family. I know so many hearts are broken, but Amy would want us to stay strong in our faith in God. I know Amy will always watch over her loved ones from Heaven 🙏❤️

lisa Hodson - April 17, 2019 at 06:09 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.



April 17, 2019 at 05:56 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.



April 17, 2019 at 03:03 PM

TB

“ Sincere sympathy in the loss of such a beautiful, young lady. Prayers are going up for God to bless each and every one of her family members and all that she impacted throughout her life.

*The Moran Family
Louisa, Kentucky*



Tonya Moran Bess - April 17, 2019 at 01:10 PM

NF

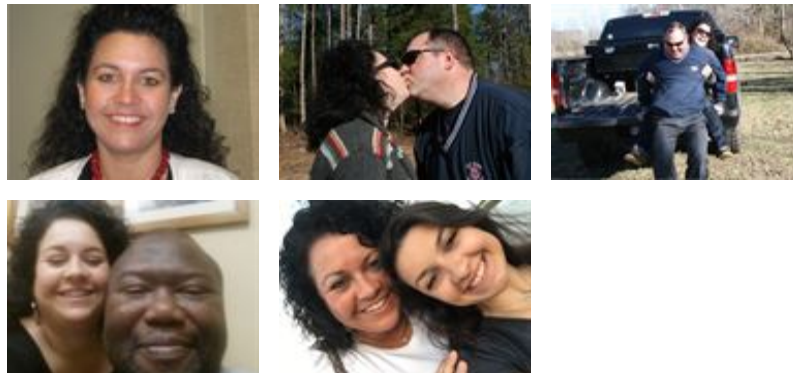
“ Nancy Wiggers and Family purchased the Written in the Stars for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.



Nancy Wiggers and Family - April 17, 2019 at 12:30 PM



“ 49 files added to the album Life Tributes



Coleman Funeral Home - April 17, 2019 at 12:21 PM

SR

“ Will I'm so sorry for your lost my prayers are with you and your family

Shirley Reed - April 17, 2019 at 12:16 PM



“ Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.



April 17, 2019 at 09:47 AM

WI

“ Amy was a shining star among nurse practitioners and people alike. She touched so many lives and made them better. She will truly be missed by her colleagues, patients, friends, and of course, her family. Many prayers for her family.
Much love, Wanda Ikeda



Wanda Ikeda - April 17, 2019 at 07:33 AM

LS

“ I was fortunate to have her as a drama student at Lafayette Schools. She was a delight and her smile was effervescent. She enjoyed dance: really shined in our version of CATS. I was so comforted to know she was taking care of my mother in ICU in Oxford. She was very special to me. My love and condolences to her family. Leah Shollenberger



Leah Shollenberger - April 17, 2019 at 12:46 AM

JT

“ So Sorry for your loss. Amy was such a sweet lady. Our prayers and thought are with her family. James, Phyllis & Kim Turner

James Turner - April 16, 2019 at 11:27 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.



April 16, 2019 at 11:03 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.



April 16, 2019 at 10:54 PM

GM

“ Love and prayers for Amy and her family, Mike & Gill Mitchell.

Gill Mitchell - April 16, 2019 at 09:52 PM

ML

Prayers!

MaryBeth Lowrey - April 17, 2019 at 09:34 AM

EH

“ We are so sorry for your lost, Amy was a wonderful person. We have many wonderful memories from back in the school days. May the Good Lord wrap his loving arms around each of you and give you peace. Sending love and prayers.

Ed and Ann Hood - April 16, 2019 at 09:32 PM

GH

“ Amy, Barbara and I always loved coming to you when we needed care. You were always smiling and caring like we were family. Sitting near you and Will at church gave us that same feeling. We will miss you terribly and we send our love to you and Will and the rest of your wonderful family but we know we will all be reunited again.



Gene and Barbara Hays - April 16, 2019 at 08:44 PM

MR

“ I pray for comfort in this time of grief. Just remember she is better of than any of us.... She is in heaven pain free and rejoicing with the Lord!

In love,
Meredith McCurdy Rhodes

meredith mcurdy rhodes - April 16, 2019 at 08:39 PM

DT

“ Fly high my friend! I'll always remember you with your big smile contagious laughter and constant encouragement in everything I did! You were an amazing person who touched so many lives and now he has called you home!



Debra Toliver - April 16, 2019 at 08:37 PM

BA

“ *Benny, Pam and Beth Armstrong purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Amy Elizabeth Dempsey Tidwell.*



Benny, Pam and Beth Armstrong - April 16, 2019 at 08:23 PM

CR

“ *Much love and many prayers for all. Try a special young woman. Celia Roberts and the boys*

Celia Roberts - April 16, 2019 at 08:09 PM

DT

“ *Amy was such a sweet, caring person. She was so uplifting in a depressing time in my life. She had a gorgeous, contagious smile. Prayers for the family as they face the days ahead. God's peace be with them*

deniese thweatt - April 16, 2019 at 07:57 PM

LS

Susan, my heart is broken. My prayers are with you. Love, Linda Coppage Spurrier

Linda Coppage Spurrier - April 16, 2019 at 08:29 PM

PJ

Prayers for you as you celebrate Amy's life. What a special person she was with so many family and friends who loved her.

Paulette Jordan - April 16, 2019 at 08:33 PM

SL

A sad loss. Amy was the kind of medical practitioner who made you feel better just for having her attention even if she had depressing news to give you. So kind.

Sylvia Lenhoff

Sylvia Lenhoff - April 18, 2019 at 04:05 PM

DT

“*Love and prayers for the family. Doug and Glenda Treanor*”



Doug and Glenda Treanor - April 16, 2019 at 07:54 PM