



Charla Kay O'Donnell

November 27, 1944 - January 26, 2022

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford

Charla Kay O'Donnell, 77, passed away Wednesday, January 26, 2022, in Oxford, MS. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, January 29, 2022, at 1:00 p.m., at Yellow Leaf Cemetery in Oxford, MS. Rev. Mike Vanderlip will officiate. Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford is in charge of arrangements.

Kay was born to the late Kenneth and Kathrine Knight. She was married to the late Thomas O'Donnell.

Kay was described by her family for being a loving soul who had the utmost love for her children and grandbabies. She was remembered for her jokes and constant laughter along with her caring personality towards others. She leaves behind the legacy of living life to the fullest and enjoying every moment of it. Kay will be dearly missed by all those who loved and cherished her.

Kay is survived by her children, Brandon, Scott (Sonya), and Lori Kay (Timmy Gray) O'Donnell, of Oxford, MS; her grandchildren, Kayla O'Donnell (Shaun) Henderson, Natalie (Nathan) Hardin, Kennedy (Chris) Walters, Michael Levy, and Hannah Grace Purdy; and her great grandchildren, Ethan Thomas Loesch, Hudson Alexander Loesch, Walker Hayes Onsby, and Jaxson Daniel Onsby.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas O'Donnell; her daughter, Deana Levy; her parents, Kenneth and Kathrine Knight; and her brothers, Kevin "Sarge" Knight and Kennon Knight.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the American Diabetes Association (<https://bit.ly/3ABmkXE>) or the American Cancer Society (<https://bit.ly/33YafzN>).

Please leave online condolences on her Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Yellow Leaf Cemetery

50 CR 435
Oxford, MS 38655

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JAN 29. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ When I think of my earliest best friend I think of Kay and can almost hear her laughter.

We started first grade together at Yocona and even after we moved away I went back each summer to stay with my grandparents. I remember all the area children playing games in the yard of her grandmother, Mrs. Bishop. Kay and I loved to explore and we often broke the rules as we wandered about the area. Several years ago I visited with Kay and her mother and she related all our escapades and had us laughing for the longest time.

During my lifetime there has been no other friendship like the one we had. I loved her dearly.

My sympathy goes out to all her family.

Judy Coleman Flowers

Judy Coleman Flowers - February 04, 2022 at 07:46 PM

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She talked about you often. She loved you dearly to.

Lori Odonnell - February 27, 2022 at 04:32 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Charla Kay O'Donnell.



January 28, 2022 at 10:07 PM

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“ AAA Cooper Safety Department purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Charla Kay O'Donnell.



AAA Cooper Safety Department - January 28, 2022 at 01:24 PM

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“ O'Donnell family, we are sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you during this difficult time. May the memories of Ms. O'Donnell always remind you of the joy she brought to each of you. We work with Scott and it is event the attributes used to describe Kay were given to him by her. Loving, joyful, laughter and caring for others. I'm certain she impacted all of you in the same way. May God bless and comfort each of you. AAA Cooper Transportation Safety Department

Jerry Pearce - January 28, 2022 at 01:15 PM