



## Kelly Ryan Ballard

January 11, 1961 - January 4, 2019

Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch

Kelly Ryan Ballard of Olive Branch, MS, passed away January 4, 2019. Visitation will be Wednesday, January 9, 2019 from 10:30a.m. to 12:30p.m. at Maples Memorial Methodist Church (8745 Goodman Road, Olive Branch) with a funeral service immediately following at 12:30p.m. Burial will be in Memorial Park Southwoods (5485 Hacks Cross Road, Memphis, TN). Coleman Funeral Home of Olive Branch is in charge of arrangements.

Kelly Ballard was born on January 11, 1961 in Memphis, TN. She was a devoted member of Maples Memorial United Methodist Church and could always be counted on for a listening ear, encouraging words, or just her contagious laugh. Mrs. Ballard owned Pampered Pooch Pet Sitters and had a great love for all animals. Mrs. Ballard was always up for playing a new game, but especially loved playing Pickleball with her friends and husband. She loved to explore new places and things while vacationing with her family. She will be missed by her family and many friends.

Mrs. Ballard leaves behind her husband, Stanley Ballard of Olive Branch; three sons, Bobby (Margaret) Ballard of Canton, MS, Brad (Stacie) Ballard of Nampa, ID., and Brennan Ballard of Olive Branch; granddaughter, Canyon Ballard and brother, Kyle Ryan of Memphis.

Kelly Leigh Ballard was preceded in death by her parents, James and Shirley Ryan and brother, Kerry Ryan.

Memorials in honor of Kelly Ryan Ballard may be made to Maples Memorial United Methodist Church ([www.mapleschurch.org](http://www.mapleschurch.org)) or to the Desoto Animal Rescue Society (P.O.Box 316, Horn Lake, MS).

Online condolences may be left on the Tribute Wall at [www.colemanfuneralhome.com](http://www.colemanfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 9. 10:30 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Maples Memorial United Methodist Church  
8745 Goodman Road  
Olive Branch, MS 38654

## Funeral Service

JAN 9. 12:30 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

JM

“ Oh my gosh! My wife Paula and I are so sad to hear of Kelly's passing! She was such a wonderful pet sitter for our cat Toffee, who lost her life last September. Kelly took care of Toffee throughout most of her life when we were out of town. Prayers to Kelly's family. Kelly was much loved, and we were so grateful to have known her.

John Miller - February 15, 2019 at 12:53 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Kelly Ryan Ballard.



January 08, 2019 at 10:33 AM

MW

“ Kelly was our pet sitter for many years from the time she started her pet sitting business. We could always count on her. Our trips out of town were always less stressful because we knew Kelly was there to take care of everything, not just our pets. She was so sweet and caring. Kelly's family and friends have our deepest sympathy.

Maureen Whitson - January 07, 2019 at 07:50 PM

MW

“ Maureen and Mike Whitson purchased the Laven der Reflections Spray for the family of Kelly Ryan Ballard.



Maureen and Mike Whitson - January 07, 2019 at 07:38 PM

DM

“ *David, Joan & Anna Langston and Keith & Kelley Montgomery purchased the Touching Tribute Spray for the family of Kelly Ryan Ballard.*



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**David, Joan & Anna Langston and Keith & Kelley Montgomery** - January 07, 2019 at 07:35 PM

MF

“ *Monty & Terri Foree purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kelly Ryan Ballard.*



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**Monty & Terri Foree** - January 07, 2019 at 04:56 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Kelly Ryan Ballard.*



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January 07, 2019 at 04:55 PM

AJ

“ *Ashleigh Barney & Family and Diane Loeffler John purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Kelly Ryan Ballard.*



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**Ashleigh Barney & Family and Diane Loeffler John** - January 07, 2019 at 04:33 PM

FF

“ *From The Hills, Pattersons, Biles, Wecshmorelands Families purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kelly Ryan Ballard.*



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**From The Hills, Pattersons, Biles, Wecshmorelands Families**

- January 07, 2019 at 02:08 PM

TE

“ *Kelly was a very sweet kind person. I enjoyed getting to know her in my agility class training her dog Murtaugh. I will miss her and so will her class mates.*

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**Tammy Ellis** - January 07, 2019 at 01:20 PM

DB

“ *Kelly was my guest at Magnolia Salon. I never saw Kelly when she failed to lift my spirit. Her love for God and her family was always such an encouragement. I loved her dearly and will miss her terribly. However; I know where she is. She is with our Savior and loving on dogs.*

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**Della Martindale Blancq** - January 07, 2019 at 01:16 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kelly Ryan Ballard.*



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January 06, 2019 at 09:03 PM

PC

“ I will always be grateful to have called you my sister-in-law and loving my brother for all this years. You always had a smile on your face and lit up a room when you came in. I will miss you until we see each other again in Heaven. Love Pam

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**Pamela Cantrell** - January 06, 2019 at 08:26 PM

DL

“ I met Kelly in book club and had the privilege of going out to lunch with her and watching her son perform at The Peabody Hotel. I was thrilled when she and Stan visited with us in Sun City Center and looked forward to them moving to Florida. Kelly was a bright and wonderful person. She was upbeat, caring and loving. She spoke happily about becoming a mother-in-law and grandmother. She will be missed, but she leaves a legacy of love.

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**Diane Loeffler** - January 06, 2019 at 07:15 PM

KC

*Prayers for Kelly's Family in their time of loss.*

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**Kelly Gordon Clark** - January 08, 2019 at 07:19 PM