



Kira Marie Yapple

December 13, 1983 - April 8, 2022

Kira Marie Yapple, age 38, of Ozark, Arkansas died Friday, April 8, 2022 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. She was of the Catholic faith. She graduated Ozark High School in 2002, earned an Associate Degree through University of Arkansas Fort Smith and Majored in Music with Vocal emphasis. She worked in Childcare and at P.J's Fina during College. Kira was born December 13, 1983 in Enid, Oklahoma to James and Lucy Descher Yapple. She is preceded in death by her grandparents, Dr. Richard and Phoebe Yapple, Zeno and Matilda Descher; biological mother, Kim Sherman; biological grandparents, Frank and Tinsey Sherman and Anna Higgins.

Kira is survived by her parents, James and Lucy Yapple of Ozark.; biological father, Joe Sherman of Welder, Texas; and three brothers, Frank Sherman of Schertz, Texas, Kenneth Sherman of Spring Branch, Texas, and Robert Mamara of New York.

Memorial will be 2:00 PM Monday, April 18, 2022 at Shaffer Funeral Home 2315 West Commercial Street Ozark with Deacon Brian Lachowsky officiating. Cremation arrangements were made under the direction of Absolute Economical Funeral Home in Oklahoma City.

To leave and online memorial visit www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Shaffer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Kira Marie Yaple*



Shaffer Funeral Home - April 17, 2022 at 07:58 PM



“ *Kira Marie Yaple*

January 30, 2023 at 02:28 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Kira Marie Yaple.*



April 23, 2022 at 02:07 PM



“ *Thank you sweet Kira for taking care of my granddaughters, Madelyne & Macy, and loving them as your own. It was a blessing to know you. Your memory will live on forever* ❤️❤️❤️

Cynthia Juckett - April 18, 2022 at 03:15 PM

KR

“ It feels so un real. I still cannot believe she is gone. I'll never forget all the memories we had together growing up. Kira was the sister I never had. I remember all those times coming over and playing kitchen on your back porch, eating ramen noodles, and learning about this new cool way to make tuna casserole. I still think of her every time I make it. I remember those skate nights, going to Sea World together, and working at your dad's gas station during the Summer.

Though time caused us to drift away from each other, she never lost a place in my heart. She made a lasting impression on everyone she met and will never be forgotten. I love you Kira!

Kimberly Readnour - April 18, 2022 at 02:02 AM

JF

“ Our thoughts go out to Jim and Lucy. Kari was such a shining star in the Ozark Band and now she is a shining star in heaven. Joe and Jeannie Finley

Joe Finley - April 17, 2022 at 11:33 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Kira Marie Yaple.



April 13, 2022 at 08:22 PM

LS

“ Love, Bob & Bobbie Symuleski purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Kira Marie Yaple.



Love, Bob & Bobbie Symuleski - April 13, 2022 at 03:43 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kira Marie Yaple.



April 13, 2022 at 11:00 AM

PW

“ *My sincerest thoughts and prayers are with the family of Kira. Jim and Lucy, cling tight to each other and to our Lord and Savior.*

Paula Wiley



Paula Wiley - April 12, 2022 at 10:46 AM

AR

“ *AR lit a candle in memory of Kira Marie Yaple*



AR - April 12, 2022 at 07:20 AM

VD

What a warrior Kira was. She amazed so many. Her strength and smile will always be remembered. Kira was my double niece and was loved x2. May you Rest In Peace. Hope you and Jenni and Madi are having a reunion in Heaven 🙏❤️❤️❤�

vickie descher - April 12, 2022 at 01:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kira Marie Yaple.*



April 12, 2022 at 07:08 AM

KP

“ *Your girls miss you. We love you so much. You will never be forgotten.*



Keri Phillips - April 11, 2022 at 11:35 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kira Marie Yaple.*



April 11, 2022 at 09:44 PM



“ *Kira was a beautiful young lady. My deepest sympathy.*



Elaine Elser - April 11, 2022 at 09:19 PM



“ *Erin Shelton lit a candle in memory of Kira Marie Yaple*



Erin Shelton - April 11, 2022 at 08:18 PM