



Kristina Elizabeth Kamm-Young

June 6, 1975 - December 23, 2020

Kristina Elizabeth Kamm Young - a passionate advocate, loving mother, and unwaveringly generous friend - passed away December 23, 2020, at home in Little Rock at the age of 45. She was born in Rochester, New Hampshire on June 6, 1975 to Thomas Kamm and Maureen Heimgartner Kamm, who both preceded her in death.

Kristina was a fighter: the storm, thunder, and lightning all in one and a source of calm, strength, and hope for so many of her many friends and family. Every breath she took was a gift to this world and her intelligence and wit will never be forgotten by those whose lives she touched.

Growing up she enjoyed dance, basketball, cheerleading, and making everyone around her laugh. A graduate of Ozark High School, Kristina attended the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville. She began her career as a marketing analyst at Proctor & Gamble and from there continued her successful career working as a brand manager at several companies, including Pactiv and Abbott Labs. Kristina was also an avid volunteer and served on boards and committees of several organizations including the Botanical Garden of the Ozarks and the Kiss A Pig Gala for the American Diabetes Association.

She is survived by her three beloved children, Austin Ross, Emery Young, and Grayson Young, all of Fayetteville; her life partner, Melanie Neal of Little Rock; her siblings, Randall Kamm and wife Meredith of West Monroe, Louisiana, Kori Kamm Keith and husband Gary of Naples, Florida, and Hans Kamm and

wife Sarah of Springdale; and many nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held Saturday January 2, 2020 at 2:00 PM at Highland Cemetery in Ozark with Reverend Stoner officiating under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home of Ozark.

Open Viewing from 2:00 PM until 9:00 PM on Friday January 1, 2020 at Shaffer Funeral Home Chapel 2315 West Commercial Street, Ozark.

In lieu of flowers, her family asks that condolences be offered in the form of donations to Oasis of NWA, a nonprofit women's transitional living community. Kristina served on the board of directors there, and a scholarship has been established at Oasis in her memory.

Previous Events

Open Viewing

JAN 1. 2:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home
2315 West Commercial Street
PO Box 680
Ozark, AR 72949
(479) 667-4147
shafferfuneralhome@gmail.com

Graveside Service

JAN 2. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Highland Cemetery
Highway 64 West
Ozark, AR 72949

Tribute Wall



“ *Kristina Elizabeth Kamm-Young*

January 30, 2023 at 02:28 AM



“ *Kristina, you made a HUGE impact here at Our House and you will be missed every single day. The fact you committed so much time, effort, and love to so many causes just warms my heart. Being a VISTA is hard and you did it with so much love. My sincerest condolences to your loved ones. May we walk into this new year with your same passions and commitment you have showed us all!*



Lauren - January 02, 2021 at 12:13 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kristina Elizabeth Kamm-Young.*



December 30, 2020 at 03:31 PM

NG

“*Kristina was so passionate about helping others with the fundamental tools and shared her experience strength and hope to see others free from the bondage of addiction. I am so grateful for the opportunity to know such an awesome young vibrant determined young lady. To the family and loved ones of my friend may you be strengthened and may the peace of God keep you during the transition of your dear loved one.*”

Nitita Gaddie - December 30, 2020 at 07:18 AM



“*Kristi was a young lady with a heart of gold! When, my son, Hotrod died she wanted to help in some way to honor her classmate, and she did by organizing a fund raiser for an animal shelter in his honor! Today I honor you, Kristi, for all the good you brought to others life! R.I.P., sweetheart..*”

Donna Jackson - December 29, 2020 at 08:22 PM

SM

“*Kristina you were and amazing person you really sowed the true meaning of a discipline take your rest job well done.*”



Sandra Murdock - December 29, 2020 at 05:34 PM



“*Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kristina Elizabeth Kamm-Young.*”



December 29, 2020 at 04:07 PM

PS

“ PPGP Staff purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Kristina Elizabeth Kamm-Young.



PPGP Staff - December 29, 2020 at 03:43 PM

CD

“ Charlene Davis lit a candle in memory of Kristina Elizabeth Kamm-Young



Charlene Davis - December 29, 2020 at 02:57 PM

CD

May God Wrap His Arms Around The Family In Your Time Of Need. To Be Absent From The Is To Be Present With The Lord. Your Jouney Here Was Good. I'll Miss You So Much,Now Rest In Peace. Condolences And Prayers For Tge Family.

Charlene Davis - December 29, 2020 at 05:41 PM

RS

“ This world lost a precious soul when Krisi left. As a girl, she was cute and spunky. As a woman, she was compassionate, loving, and unconditionally accepting of others. Her bright light will be missed by many. I loved her.

Revonda Sutton - December 29, 2020 at 02:35 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kristina Elizabeth Kamm-Young.*



December 29, 2020 at 11:44 AM



“ *Todd and Lori Timmernan (Nevel) purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kristina Elizabeth Kamm-Young.*



Todd and Lori Timmernan (Nevel) - December 29, 2020 at 11:01 AM