



## Kay Adams

October 10, 1944 - June 4, 2023

Kay Carole Hood Adams was born October 10, 1944, to the late Warren and Elsie Hood in Vicksburg, MS. She lived in Jackson, MS, and graduated from Murrah High School before attending the University of Mississippi where she enrolled in Industrial Engineering. After college, she met Gerald Joe Adams and they married soon after.

Kay was committed to a life of service. Her captivating personality shone through in every aspect of her life. Not only a business owner, Kay was an avid philanthropist. From fundraising for the Jackson Zoo to volunteering with the Boy Scouts, her unique and vibrant character shone through. She was enthusiastic about cooking, interior design, storytelling, animals and hosting others in her home. Her fondest memories were her times spent at the family farm. She was often kept by her grandmother as a young girl as her parents grew their own business. She loved hearing about the stories dating back to the Civil War and hidden treasure. She always felt as though the farm was her home and the place she always wanted to go back to. She and her family often returned throughout her life to enjoy the peace and solitude. Hence, she will be laid to rest at Hood family cemetery.

She is survived by her husband Joe Adams, her children Shannon (Lee) Adams, Sean Adams, and Linden (Brad) Barefield, her grandchildren Will Adams, Ben Adams, Charlie Adams, Madison Barefield, Reagan Barefield,

and Blaise Barefield, and her siblings Warren Hood Jr., Jimmy Hood and Peggy Louis.

Visitation will be Friday, June 9, from 9 a.m. – 11 a.m. with services following directly after at Stringer Family Funeral Home in Hazlehurst, MS.

Memorials may be made to Diabetes Foundation of Mississippi <https://www.msdiabetes.org/> or Michael J Fox Foundation <https://www.michaeljfox.org/>

# Cemetery Details

## Hood Family Cemetery

1052 Linden Lane  
Hermanville, MS 39086

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 9. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Stringer Family Funeral Home - Hazlehurst  
PO Box 884  
28023 Hwy 28  
Hazlehurst, MS 39083  
(601) 894-1331  
stringerfuneral@bellsouth.net

## Funeral Service

JUN 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Stringer Family Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Kay Adams*



Stringer Family Funeral Service - June 07, 2023 at 02:04 PM

LB



Linden Barefield - June 07, 2023 at 08:10 PM

DO

*Kay was my scout leader growing up. Always friendly and encouraging. My thoughts are with you Sean.*

David O'Neal - June 07, 2023 at 10:22 PM



“ *10 files added to the tribute wall*



Masaki Sakabe - June 08, 2023 at 03:48 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.*



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June 08, 2023 at 10:51 AM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.*



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June 08, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *A grove of 10 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kay Adams.*

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June 08, 2023 at 08:20 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Masaki Sakabe** - June 08, 2023 at 05:53 AM

MA

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Madison - June 07, 2023 at 07:39 PM

LB



Linden Barefield - June 07, 2023 at 07:55 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.



June 07, 2023 at 04:13 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.



June 07, 2023 at 04:13 PM

GI

“ Good Hope Inc. purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Kay Adams.



Good Hope Inc. - June 07, 2023 at 02:45 PM

GI

“ Good Hope Inc. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kay Adams.

Good Hope Inc. - June 07, 2023 at 02:45 PM



“ 57 files added to the album Life Tributes



Stringer Family Funeral Service - June 07, 2023 at 01:51 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.



June 07, 2023 at 01:38 PM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.*



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June 07, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.*



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June 07, 2023 at 11:21 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.*



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June 07, 2023 at 10:31 AM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kay Adams.*

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June 07, 2023 at 10:31 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.



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June 07, 2023 at 08:11 AM



“ *Serene Retreat* was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.



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June 07, 2023 at 08:10 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.



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June 06, 2023 at 08:59 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.



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June 06, 2023 at 07:52 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kay Adams.

June 06, 2023 at 07:52 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kay Adams.

June 06, 2023 at 05:43 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Kay Adams.



June 06, 2023 at 05:07 PM