

Tara Ashley Starks

July 1, 1976 - May 11, 2021

Tara Ashley Starks, 44, passed away May 11, 2021 at Copiah County Medical Center in Hazlehurst. Visitation will be 10am-11am with a Memorial Service at 11am Friday, May 21, 2021, at New Zion Baptist Church. Stringer Family Funeral Services in Crystal Springs is handling arrangements.

Tara, AKA Tootie, loved her Lord Jesus and her family without regard for self. She was an active member of the body of Christ. She loved to spend time doing anything with or for her boys. She was an example for all in her fight with MS and cancer for the last 14 years. She lived without her left collarbone since her victory over cancer. Through it all she gave all the credit to her unwavering faith in Christ.

She is survived by her husband, Kevin William Starks; sons, Conner William Starks, Jack Owen Starks, and Price Walker Starks all of Crystal Springs; parents, Carroll Ashley and Kay Sewell Ashley of Hazlehurst; and brother, Joey Ashley, Jr. of Magee.

Memorials may be made to New Zion Baptist Church (Building), 12023 New Zion Road, Crystal Springs, MS 39059 or Hazlehurst United Methodist Church (Building), 127 Caldwell Drive, Hazlehurst, MS 39083.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

New Zion Baptist Church
12023 New Zion Rd
Crystal Springs, MS 39059
(601) 892-1246

Memorial Service

MAY 21. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Stringer Family Funeral Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Tara Ashley Starks*



Stringer Family Funeral Service - May 19, 2021 at 02:22 PM

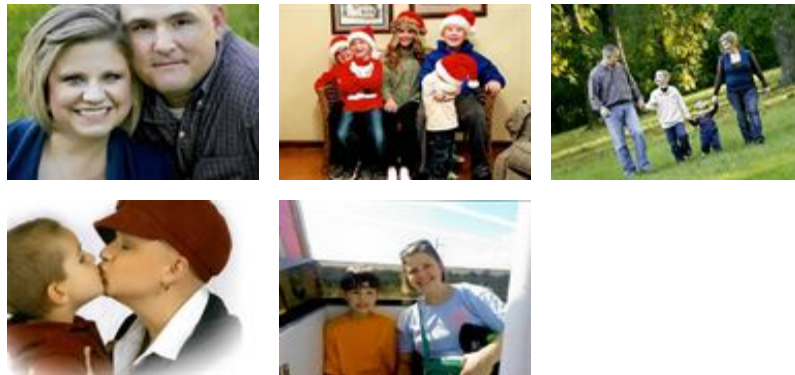


“ *Tara Ashley Starks*

January 28, 2023 at 04:45 PM



“ *108 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Stringer Family Funeral Service - May 19, 2021 at 02:02 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.



May 18, 2021 at 05:02 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.



May 17, 2021 at 12:52 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.



May 17, 2021 at 10:06 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.



May 14, 2021 at 03:39 PM

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“ Tom Schaeffer - Structural Design Group, Nashville purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.



Tom Schaeffer - Structural Design Group, Nashville - May 14, 2021 at 11:08 AM

MC

“ Mo-Sci Corporation purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.



Mo-Sci Corporation - May 14, 2021 at 10:54 AM



“ Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.



May 13, 2021 at 09:58 PM



“ Sandra Cliburn sent a virtual gift in memory of Tara Ashley Starks



Sandra Cliburn - May 13, 2021 at 08:48 PM



John 14Much Love Many Prayers

Sandra Cliburn Freddie Cliburn

Sandra Cliburn - May 13, 2021 at 08:50 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.*



May 13, 2021 at 06:37 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.*



May 13, 2021 at 03:17 PM



“ *Many prayers and love sent your way. Tara was so sweet and reached out to us, during our ordeal in December. May our Lord lift you up during this time. Kim Palmer*

Kim Palmer - May 13, 2021 at 12:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Tara Ashley Starks.*



May 13, 2021 at 11:53 AM



“ *Kevin I am praying for you and the boys as well as Mrs Kay and other family. I had the privilege of knowing Tara throughout all our CA years as well as teaching Conner. Her smile could definitely light up a room as well as her feistiness!! Words can't express how sorrowful I am that she isn't getting to be here with her guys experiencing everything. I'm praying for God to give you a hopeful peace knowing that she is in her heavenly home and a comfort that only He can provide. I pray this verse over all of you.*

Mandy Walters Mize



amanda mize - May 13, 2021 at 09:17 AM



“ *Kevin,
Praying for you and your sweet boys. I sure enjoyed the time we got to spend together last year and will cherish those memories. Give the boys a hug for us!*

Beiana Sewell - May 12, 2021 at 10:23 PM

KJ

“ Kevin, our prayers are with you and the boys during these times. Tara was so very special and such an example of what a faithful servant and wonderful mom should be. She will be missed.
Kayra Johnson

Kayra Johnson - May 12, 2021 at 04:37 PM

BL

Tara was a very special person. She worked so faithfully as part of the Hazlehurst United Methodist Outreach Committee and was such an inspiration as she served in various capacities. She was a faithful Christian and loved her family dearly. It was a privilege to know her. Our prayers are for Kevin, Connor, Jack, Price and other family members.

Brenda and Ken Lewis - May 13, 2021 at 01:30 AM