



Kimberly Linette Smithers (Childers)

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Kimberly Linette Davis Smithers left on her final journey April 11, 2013. Kim was born May 12, 1971 at St. Mary's Hospital in Russellville, Arkansas, to Eugene Vernon Davis and Oma Jo Dean Davis. Kim's Fianc  is Brian Childers of Jenks, Oklahoma. His parents are Owen Childers and Dee Childers of Claremore, Oklahoma. They planned to be married in the summer of this year. She is survived by her Fianc , Brian Childers of Jenks, Oklahoma. Kim's sister is Karen Elaine Crews and brother is Jeffrey Eugene Davis. Karen is married to James Harold Crews. They have Andrew James Crews and Jamie Lenora Crews, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma. Jeff's daughter is Rian Alyse Davis, Reseda, California. Her aunt is Marjorie Elaine Dean Anderson. Elaine is married to William Robert Anderson. They have William Robert Anderson, Jr. He is married to Jacqueline DeeAnn Smith. They have Kael Kennett Anderson. She was preceded in death by her father, Eugene Vernon Davis, paternal grandfather and grandmother, S. V. 'Buck' Davis and Doris Edith Crockett Davis, maternal grandfather and grandmother, J. Coy Dean and Marguerite Lavonne Herbert Dean, aunt, Marvine Lankford Tyler Lippert, uncle, Coy Allen Dean. Kimberly is a descendant of David Crockett, who fought at the Alamo. Davy Crockett on his way to the Alamo would stop by Little Rock, Arkansas, to see Charles Gibson Crockett and tell stories of bears and Indian fights. Kim graduated from Conners State College, Warner, Oklahoma, in 1992. She graduated in 1995 from Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, Oklahoma, with a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education. She graduated from Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, Oklahoma, December 12, 1998, with a Master's degree of early childhood Education. She worked in Head Start in Tulsa, Oklahoma. She then worked in Tulsa Public Schools at Jones Elementary till 2010, when she went to teach in Jenks Public Schools in Jenks, Oklahoma. Kim loved to work with children striving to give them the best education. The Children loved to have Kim as their teacher. Her children were a



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priority in her life. She and the children had fun, but she disciplined them too. Kim loved Star Wars, Dungeons and Dragons, Wonder Woman, and was a big fan of Bon Jovi. She often went to the Renaissance Fairs. She, also, loved books of all kinds. She, especially, liked the Diana Gabaldon Outlander Series. Her wedding dress and her ring was fashioned after the main character, Claire, in the stories. Kim was a LifeShare donor. Kim was baptized at Grandview Baptist Church, in Muskogee, Oklahoma, on June 1, 1986, by Pastor Kevin Clarkson.



Tribute Wall

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LB

Leslie Baughman posted:

Time has gone so fast... cannot believe it has been 6 years now. Wish I could see that smile one more time. I truly do miss you girl! Can't wait to see you again! I love you!

April 11 at 8:59 AM

LB

Leslie Baughman posted:

My dear dear sister... still coming up in my memories...I miss you so very much. It's just not the same without you. See you soon. Xoxo ????

April 15 at 10:54 AM

SS

Steven Smithers posted:

She was a wonderful Lady and I never forgot her or stopped caring for her well being. It saddens me greatly to find out she is gone. Wish I knew sooner. I am glad she found someone that cared so deeply for her. Kim you are missed.Steven Smithers

March 26 at 1:17 PM

SS

Steven Smithers posted:

Lit a candle in memory of Kimberly Linette Smithers

March 26 at 1:14 PM

TC

Tammy Coleman posted:

I remember my brother singing to her when they were married.

March 25 at 1:35 PM

BC

Brian Childers posted:

I am a better man for her

April 16 at 11:26 AM



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BB

Brad, Raeleen & Hannah Buxton posted:

Sent a gift in memory of Kimberly Linette Smithers

April 15 at 5:07 PM

BC

Brian Childers posted:

I remember when she would sit at family gatherings in Claremore and 'talk teacher' with my aunt and cousins – and would instantly lose me. she patted me on the hand and said 'that's okay , honey'

April 15 at 10:01 AM

BC

Brian Childers posted:

My love, my light, my life, my angel. Thank you, for everything you have done in this world and will do in the next, thank you for being my inspiration, and for bringing out the best in me, and putting up with my terrible, terrible jokes and stupid humor. Thank you for loving me and letting me love you in return.

April 15 at 9:15 AM

LB

Leslie Baughman posted:

Miss you so much....

April 15 at 5:47 AM

JC

Jeanne Sorenson Childers posted:

Kim will be missed tremendously. She was a part of our family from the first time that we met her. We loved her so much and she loved our son so very much, she was his life. She will forever be in our hearts. Mom and Dad Childers

April 15 at 3:22 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Kimberly by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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