



Tammy Colette Lytle

July 17, 1959 - November 26, 2024

LYTLE – Tammy Colette Lytle, age 65 of Lawrenceville, Georgia passed away on Tuesday, November 26, 2024. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, January 18, 2025, at Tim Stewart Funeral Home in Lawrenceville. Visitation will begin at 10:00 AM followed by the Memorial Service in the Chapel at 11:00 AM. Tammy graduated from Maryville College in Tennessee in 1981 with a Bachelor of Arts in Interpreting for the Deaf, later attending the University of Georgia and obtaining her master's in education. She was a Sign Language Interpreter for Deaf in the Gwinnett County School system for more than 30 years. Tammy shared a strong connection with her school family at Berkmar High School. She enjoyed singing and was a member of the Gwinnett Choral Guild for many years. Tammy loved spending time with family and friends. Traveling was a special joy to her. Tammy had a strong faith in the Lord and will always be remembered as a good and caring person; always being there for her family and friends. Tammy was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Charlotte (Turbett) Lytle. Tammy is survived by her brother and sister-in-law, Mark & Paula Lytle; niece and husband, Jennifer & Taylor Adams; nephew and wife, Zachary & Allison Lytle; three grand-nephews and a grand-niece. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Maryville College (Maryville, TN) or Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. Arrangements by Tim Stewart Funeral Home, 300 Simonton Road SW, Lawrenceville, Georgia 30046. 770.962.3100. Please sign the online guest registry at www.stewartfh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road SW
Lawrenceville, GA 30046

Memorial Service

JAN 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Chapel of Tim Stewart Funeral Home Lawrenceville
300 Simonton Road, S.W.
Lawrenceville, GA

Tribute Wall



“ *Tim Stewart Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Tammy Colette Lytle*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - January 07, 2025 at 03:46 PM

SW

RIP. We are very sorry to hear this news. We knew Tammy during our early Gwinnett County years. The Wileys

Scott Wiley - January 17, 2025 at 07:48 AM

KL

I hadn't heard of Tammy's passing, I know she is in the arms of Jesus now and ecstatically happy! We were great friends starting in south Florida and continuing for many years. She visited us in Arizona. We all loved her, my kids even called her "Aunt Tammy!" I don't know how we lost touch, I tried to reconnect with her and couldn't find her. RIP sweet Tammy!

Kathy and Mike Lucia

Kathryn Lucia - August 29, 2025 at 11:12 AM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Tammy Colette Lytle.*



January 17, 2025 at 09:40 PM

JG

“ I loved to be with Tammy! We had such a good time in New York singing with GCG at Carnegie Hall. She was a special sweet soul.

Judy Greene - January 17, 2025 at 09:35 PM

SS

“ 3 files added to the album Berkmar Crew



Sally Slay - January 16, 2025 at 11:20 AM

CW

“ Tammy Lytle, you are truly missed. You are such a beautiful soul. You always asked about my son and how everything was going in my life. I so appreciated that. The genuine love and care that you have for others is really beautiful. I will miss your beautiful smile and your jokes that were always right on time. You always kept such a positive attitude. You also worked so well with my students and we all will miss your presence here at Berkmar. Rest in Heaven!

Ms. Wilhite

Chondra Wilhite - January 16, 2025 at 09:51 AM



“ 2 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - January 16, 2025 at 09:24 AM

KU

“ *A wonderful soul and always shared her kindness and love .*

Kumar - January 16, 2025 at 09:22 AM

CH

“ *Tammy was the sweetest person, always asking about my family and me. The chorus in heaven is sounding a little sweeter with her voice in it. I know her sweet daddy was waiting for her. We always enjoyed him when he came to Berkmar. Prayers for her family.*
Cheryl Hall

Cheryl Hall - January 14, 2025 at 08:13 PM

LZ

“ *Your smile and silly sense of humor will be missed. Loved you in college, love you still. Tammy, you were truly special to all you met. We will toast you at our next reunion. Lori Bowers Zerick, class of '81, fellow interpreting major, Maryville College*

Lori Zerick - January 14, 2025 at 11:30 AM

CL

“ *Ms Tammy, you're greatly missed! I miss your kindness and how you made everyone around you feel special! I pray that the Lord who called you home at this time will comfort your family. rest on sweet sister.*

Christie Olafusi Lange - January 14, 2025 at 08:16 AM

KV

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Kathleen A VanTyle - January 14, 2025 at 08:00 AM

DJ

“ *Tammy was a wonderful and kind person. We worked together many years here at Berkmar. Every time one of students was assigned to my class, she would stop by and say "it's us this year Doc- with a big smile on her face". She will truly be missed! Take your rest Tammy - job well done!! Dr.Jackson*

Dr. Jackson - January 14, 2025 at 05:27 AM

JP

“ *Tammy was a dear friend to me. We shared many happy adventures as part of the Gwinnett Choral Guild.*

Joyce Parks - January 10, 2025 at 01:47 PM



“ 105 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Tim Stewart Funeral Home - January 07, 2025 at 10:43 AM

BG

“ I was so saddened to learn of Tammy's passing and send my deepest condolences to Mark, Paula, and the family.

I met Tammy early on in our freshman year at Maryville College. Almost immediately, she was known as 'Mater' and is still by her MC alums. I don't recall the meaning of the nickname; maybe another MC alum does.

Mater felt deeply and was an intuitive, loyal, and caring friend. I also experienced her as a Miracle on one occasion: We and another college friend met up in Europe in the summer of 1985. At one point, we decided to split up and then meet up in Paris at the Arc d' Triomphe at a particular day and time (remember, this was well before cellphones, much less smartphones). My arrival was delayed by a very late and rowdy evening the night before, late trains, a heavy backpack, etc. I was hurting, almost certain that she would not still be at the rendezvous point, and almost gave up trying to get there. Once there, I didn't see her and was ready to crumple in a crying heap. Then I heard a voice say my name. There was Mater. She had already gotten a room, practically carried me there, and nursed me back to functional status. Who knows what the rest of my trip would have been like if she hadn't stayed. Mater later told the story a bit differently. She waited and waited, then decided to pray before heading back to the room. She looked up to see me stumbling up the Champs-Eysees. She was a person of quiet but great faith.

Mater was a Seeker. She looked for the meaning in everything, including her own life. She was a Giver. She majored in Interpreting for the Deaf in college and went on to do that. She had a beautiful alto singing voice. I see from the other tributes and memories that she continued to be a Giver and touched many lives over the years. Yet she always seemed to highlight the deeds and achievements of others over her own. It is clear to those of us she cared for what her life meant; I hope that she knew this in her heart and soul.

We lost touch over the years, but saw each other again at our college homecoming a year ago. One of the first things she must have done after getting home was to send a text to us marveling at how most of us had ended up pursuing careers of service. REST IN PEACE MATER!

Barb George - December 21, 2024 at 07:57 PM

ZI

“ Ziegler purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Tammy Colette Lytle.



Ziegler - December 17, 2024 at 09:09 AM

CR

“ Celeste and Todd Reeves purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Tammy Colette Lytle.



Celeste and Todd Reeves - December 16, 2024 at 11:45 AM

CR

“ Celeste and Todd Reeves planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Tammy Colette Lytle.

Celeste and Todd Reeves - December 16, 2024 at 11:45 AM

BW

“ Ms. Lytle was a kind and gentle soul whose caring nature touched the lives of many students and staff at Berkmar. We are fortunate to have known her, and her presence will be deeply missed!

Brian Westlake - December 16, 2024 at 09:01 AM

KJ

“ Ms. Lytle was such a pleasure to work with. From the moment I started my career at Berkmar, she has always been so pleasant and helpful and had the funniest stories to share about her cat and family. May she rest in peace! You will TRULY be missed!

Kaila Jefferson - December 16, 2024 at 08:34 AM

LC

“ Ms. Tammy,

You'll surely be remembered for your beautiful spirit and the smile you shared with everyone. It was a blessing to have known you. May you be at peace.

To her family,

Please know that she was a bright light at Berkmar High School, that will continue shine in her memory.

You'll be missed,

LaKreisha Chowning

LaKreisha Chowning - December 16, 2024 at 08:02 AM

GC

“ *Ms. Tammy,*

Thank you for your kindness during my vehicle accident after school a few months ago. Several vehicles pasted me by, but you stopped to check on me not knowing I was your colleague. Once you found out months late who I was, we had a nice laugh. Your presents will be missed. My condolences to the family...RIP



Gregg Campbell - December 16, 2024 at 07:30 AM

BP

“ *Becky & David Pettis lit a candle in memory of Tammy Colette Lytle*



Becky & David Pettis - December 14, 2024 at 08:02 PM

TM

“ *My condolences to family and friends. She was a sweet lady who I have known while I was in high school student in 1995 to 1999 and was my interpreter. She will be so much missed by all of us. Love you Ms. Lyle and we will meet again with our Lord.*



Tasha McRaniels (Zimmer my maiden name those who knows me)

Tasha McRaniels - December 12, 2024 at 08:53 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Tammy Colette Lytle.



December 12, 2024 at 05:28 PM



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