



Kim Chism

May 26, 1967 - April 5, 2026

Kimberly Renee Chism, 58, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Sunday, April 5, 2026 at her home.

She was born May 26, 1967 in Hayti, Missouri to Terry Ray and Anna Louise Hatcher Bradley.

She and Talley Edward Chism were married March 26, 1988 in Hayti, Missouri.

She was a graduate of Hayti High School and Southeast Missouri State University. She received her Masters in Education from William Woods University. She was a retired first grade teacher at Alma Schrader Elementary School.

She enjoyed being with her kids and grandkids.

She was a member of Lynwood Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Talley Chism of Cape Girardeau; son, Matt (Margo) Chism of Charleston, South Carolina; daughter, Kaley (Josh) Compas of Cape Girardeau; brother, Bryan (Courtney) Wilks of Tulsa, Oklahoma; two sisters, Terri Jo and Raelynn; and two grandchildren, Carsen and Tyson

Compas.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Kevin Ray Bradley.

Visitation will be 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Monday, April 13, 2026 at Lynwood Baptist Church in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral service will be at 10:00 am Tuesday, April 14, 2026 at Lynwood Baptist Church in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Mark Anderson officiating.

Burial will be at Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery in Cape Girardeau.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to Cape Girardeau Public School Foundation (<https://fundraise.givesmart.com/form/aCQjVg?vid=1pr6jn>) or text 41444 CHScholarship

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery

2315 Highway 61 North
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
(573) 334-1909
<https://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 13. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Lynwood Baptist Church
2935 Lynwood Hills Drive
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Funeral Service

APR 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

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2935 Lynwood Hills Drive
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Tribute Wall



“ Wally and Melissa West purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kim Chism.



Wally and Melissa West - April 13 at 01:16 PM



“ Delightful Decadence Gift Basket was purchased for the family of Kim Chism.



April 10 at 06:31 PM



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

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“ Christi Bryson, M-D colleague planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kim Chism.

Christi Bryson, M-D colleague - April 10 at 03:02 PM

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“ *Christi Bryson, M-D colleague purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Kim Chism.*



Christi Bryson, M-D colleague - April 10 at 03:02 PM

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“ *I'm so sorry to hear of your great loss Talley. I know words don't do much to ease your pain right now but I wanted you to know that the Bennett family will be thinking about you on Monday and Tuesday and beyond.*

Gayle Bennett Craddock

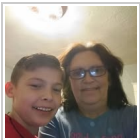
Gayle Bennett Craddock - April 10 at 03:13 AM

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“ *Talley, I'm so sorry.*

Vicki Clowers Duckworth

Vicki Duckworth - April 09 at 11:52 PM



“ *Me and Kim spent a lot of summers together growing up. The best times with her.*

Elizabeth New - April 08 at 10:15 PM

CB

Talley, I am so sorry . I loved Kim and appreciated how she took care of Mom when she was in the nursing home in Cape. I have a lot of sweet memories of her. Aunt Chris

Chris Bennett - April 10 at 02:25 PM