



## Pamela Lynn Craft

June 28, 1969 - June 28, 2017

Pamela Lynn Craft, 48, of Munford, Tennessee, formerly of Cape Girardeau, entered this world in the arms of her loving parents on June 28, 1969 and passed away June 28, 2017 at Methodist University Hospital in Memphis in the arms of her loving parents.

She was born Saturday, June 28, 1969 in Cape Girardeau, MO to Raymond and Betty (Mosley) Craft.

Pam was a 1987 graduate of Central High School and graduated from Southeast Missouri State University in 1992 with a bachelor's degree in elementary education. She then went on to the University of Memphis to earn her master's in science, leadership and policy studies. Pam taught for 11 years in the Memphis City Public Schools and for the last 14 years at Drummonds Elementary School in Drummonds, TN where she was an Instructional Facilitator the last two years.

Pam was an avid reader, enjoyed movies and playing softball in her younger years.

She was a member of the Antioch Baptist Church in Cape Girardeau.

Survivors include her parents of Cape Girardeau; brother, Gregory (Amanda)

Craft of Cape Girardeau and a sister, Jeretta (Stephen) Schaefer of Charlotte, NC; two nieces, Anneliese Schaefer and Isabelle Craft; nephew, Vincent Craft. Although Pam had no children of her own she loved her students as if they were her own.

Visitation will be Sunday, July 2, 2017 from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home.

Funeral service will be Monday at 1:00 p.m. at the funeral home with Rev. Glenn Hamilton officiating.

Burial will follow at New Bethel Church Cemetery in Pocahontas, MO.

Memorial donations may be given to the American Cancer Society.

# Cemetery Details

## New Bethel

Pocahontas, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 2. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home  
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701  
(573) 334-1313  
info@fordandsonsfuneralhome.com  
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## Service

JUL 3. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

AL

“ I can't think about Cape Central softball without thinking about Pam and the camaraderie we shared. Those memories and Pam will always live in my heart.

*With deepest sympathy to her family.*

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**Anne Lang** - July 02, 2017 at 10:35 PM

JS

“ Pam was the truest of friends. She took me under her wing when I started working at DES. She was always there for me. I will miss your candor and I will never forget you, my friend! I love you!

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**Joy Smith** - July 02, 2017 at 08:47 AM

JH

“ I had Pamela as a student in the early 1990s at Southeast University. She was always smiling and cheerful. I saw her once in Memphis when visiting family and we recognized each other in some restaurant. As always she had a smile on her face. That smile will be missed but she touched so many lives others will carry on that smile. My condolences to the family on their loss.

*Joe Huskey retired from the College of Education at Southeast MO State.*

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**Joe Huskey** - July 01, 2017 at 01:11 PM

DI

“ I have known Pam since we attended Franklin Elementary together. It might have been alway back to kindergarten. Always so nice! So sorry for your loss. Rest in peace Pam.

*Dan Irwin*

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**Dan Irwin** - July 01, 2017 at 08:59 AM

CL

“ You have been in my life I was in the 2nd grade. We were the 1st class you ever taught, you weren't just our teacher, but you were a mother to us, and a friend. I'm glad that we got back in touch with one another and I'm going to truly miss the texting, and fb comments and the little hearts you used to send me every other week. I love you and you will never be forgotten.

Love always and forever, your former student but forever friend,  
CYNTHIA



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**Cynthia Lofties** - June 30, 2017 at 06:59 PM

C.

“ Many years ago, I accompanied Pam to see an animated movie "Heavy Metal" at the old Rialto Theater in Cape the night before her older sister and my younger brother were to be married (we all went together). It was a lot of fun, and I remember Pam being more entertaining than the movie even though she was just a young, teenage kid at the time. She was always quite the character, full of life and will be terribly missed. Godspeed and rest in peace, Pam. Here's hoping they have lots of softball games in heaven. (Be sure to pitch the angels up and in ... they can't turn on a fastball.)

With deepest sympathy to Pam's family,

Christopher (& Carmelita) Schaefer

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**C.Schaefer** - June 30, 2017 at 04:26 PM

MD

“ *Ms. Elaine Finney and Jennifer Duncan purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Pamela Lynn Craft.*



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**Ms. Elaine Finney and Jennifer Duncan** - June 30, 2017 at 09:43 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Pamela Lynn Craft.*



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June 29, 2017 at 11:54 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Pamela Lynn Craft.*



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June 29, 2017 at 09:38 PM

MR

“ *I remember when she first came to Drummond to teach. She had beautiful hair and was very sweet person. So sorry for your lost. Marie Russell, Cafeteria*

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**Marie Russell** - June 29, 2017 at 08:50 PM

LA

“ Pam and I met as co workers 12 years ago at Drummonds Elementary. We became so much more, she was like a sister to me as well as a wonderful friend and mentor. I do not know what I'll do without our marathon phone conversations, watching Bridesmaids while on the phone or critiquing TWD. There will forever be a void in my life, a hole in my heart that will never be filled. Fly high, angel. I will miss you and love you forever.

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**Laura** - June 29, 2017 at 07:59 PM

JW

“ I worked with Pam for several years at Jackson Elementary School in Memphis. She was a great friend and co-worker. She was also a wonderful teacher! I would have been glad to have had my own child in her class; which is the highest praise one teacher can give another! She had a great sense of humor and we were always cracking each other up! Love you, Pam! Say "Hi!" to Andy for me!  
Jean Wilson

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**Jean Wilson** - June 29, 2017 at 07:27 PM

JR

“ I can not tell you how much I will miss this special friend of mine! She is truly a one-of-a-kind friend! Several years ago Pam called me with a sound in a dryer vent. My husband and I drove over to help her. We moved the dryer and out flew the biggest crow I have ever seen. Of course Pam and I did the only thing we knew to do. We ran, screamed, and dove under whatever was available. My husband was yelling, "Open the door!" Somehow Pam made it to the door and the poor traumatized bird flew out the door. I am sure he flew as far away from her house as he could. Meanwhile, Pam made sure that he didn't leave any presents behind! 😲 Oh, how I will miss the stories!!

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**Janica Roberts** - June 29, 2017 at 07:14 PM