



## Tara Ivey

January 13, 1963 - November 1, 2024

Tara Christine Ivey passed away Friday, November 1, 2024. Tara was born and lived in Baldwin County most of her life. She is survived by her children, Matt Ivey (Brooke), Jordie Hanson (Jack), Jade Bloodworth, and step-daughter Amber Bloodworth; grandchildren, Jada Helms and Kenslee Ivey; sister, Haley Veal (Greg) and dear friend, Donna Haskins. She was preceded in death by her late parents, Mathew Harris Ivey and Betty Lavonne Holder Ivey, and sister Sabrah Ivey Braddy.

Tara was a natural artist who lived an unapologetically authentic life. She was a talented painter, photographer, and musician. The vibrant landscapes she captured on film and whimsical designs she created are a testament to her love of nature and deep connection to Native American culture and traditions.

She had a passion for live music, often seen dancing under the stars at concerts and festivals, her laughter mingling with the melodies. Music was her heartbeat, and she shared that love with everyone, encouraging her children and friends to find their own rhythm in life.

An avid journaler, Tara found solace in the written word, documenting her thoughts, dreams, and reflections. Her journals were a treasure trove of insights and inspiration, filled with quotes that resonated deeply with her and those around her. She often shared her favorite lines, reminding us all to

embrace life's journey with open hearts and minds.

Tara judged others by their character rather than their circumstances and welcomed all walks of life into her orbit. She had an extraordinary ability to make people feel seen and valued; especially friend's of her children for whom she offered a safe space without judgment. Her close circle of friends was a tapestry of diverse souls, united by her unwavering support and kindness.

Tara's vibrant spirit lives on through her children who will carry forward her legacy of love, creativity, and adventure. Her warmth and wisdom will be profoundly missed, but will continue to inspire all who knew her.

In her memory, the family will receive friends from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM, Wednesday, November 6, 2024 at Williams Funeral Home and a celebration of life will follow at 2:00 PM in Williams Funeral Home Chapel.

# Previous Events

## Receive Friends

NOV 6. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Williams Funeral Home & Crematory - Milledgeville  
1670 N. Jefferson St.  
Milledgeville, GA 31061  
(478) 452-2148  
staff@williamsfuneralhome.net  
<https://www.williamsfuneralhome.net>

## Celebration of Life

NOV 6. 2:00 PM.

Williams Funeral Home Chapel

# Tribute Wall



“ Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory created a Webcast will start approximately 10 minutes before the service in memory of Tara Ivey



Williams Funeral Homes and Crematory - November 06, 2024 at 05:34 PM

DB

“ She was a light in this world. RIP



Debra Brown - November 12, 2024 at 01:22 PM

KP

“ Karen Stafford Prescott lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey



Karen Stafford Prescott - November 06, 2024 at 01:18 PM

DB

“ *Debbi Batchelor sent a virtual gift in memory of Tara Ivey*



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**Debbi Batchelor** - November 05, 2024 at 08:38 AM

IG

“ *Inman & Laurie Garner lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey*



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**Inman & Laurie Garner** - November 04, 2024 at 06:39 PM

SB

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the family. Randy and Sue Brack*

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**Sue Brack** - November 04, 2024 at 04:37 PM

CM

“ *Connie McCoy lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey*



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**Connie McCoy** - November 04, 2024 at 02:37 PM

AM

“ *AMY MILLER lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey*



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**AMY MILLER** - November 04, 2024 at 01:01 PM

PR

“ *Patti Rushin lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey*



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**Patti Rushin** - November 04, 2024 at 10:06 AM

PR

“ *What a wonderful tribute to Tara! I was lucky enough to have known and loved her. My love and prayers are with her children and family.*

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**Patti Rushin** - November 04, 2024 at 10:06 AM

MB

“ *Michelle Brookins lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey*



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**Michelle Brookins** - November 04, 2024 at 09:43 AM

PV

“ Pamela Verbel lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey



Pamela Verbel - November 04, 2024 at 09:16 AM

LM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Friends at Johnnie McDade Grocery.



Luther Minor - November 04, 2024 at 09:02 AM

PD

“ So sorry for your loss, Haley



Patsy Dalton - November 04, 2024 at 08:45 AM

AM

“ AMY MILLER lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey



AMY MILLER - November 04, 2024 at 07:24 AM

JT

“ Jimmy Thigpen lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey



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**Jimmy Thigpen** - November 04, 2024 at 07:18 AM

NH

“ Nicole Henderson lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey



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**Nicole Henderson** - November 03, 2024 at 11:17 PM

KN

“ Haley an Family so sorry for your loss. Your family will be in my prayers.



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**Kathy Nolan** - November 03, 2024 at 08:50 PM

JB

“ *Jordie and Taylor Jade, I have so many memories of your sweet mom I wouldn't know where to start. Deepest condolences to all family members. Tara loved family and was always willing to lend helping hand. Hearts are broken and the grieving process will take time... just know we are here for you.*  
*Todd and Jill*



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**Jill Blackwell** - November 03, 2024 at 07:20 PM



“ *Terry Hardie-Smith lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey*



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**Terry Hardie-Smith** - November 03, 2024 at 06:03 PM

SS

“ *Prayers going out to the family. Tara was always such a nice person, always a smile and a kind word. So sorry for your loss*

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**Sara Yeager Sanders** - November 03, 2024 at 04:56 PM

LG

“ *Lynn Garland lit a candle in memory of Tara Ivey*



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**Lynn Garland** - November 03, 2024 at 12:22 PM