



Mrs. Amy Elizabeth Holmes

March 26, 1965 - March 14, 2023

A memorial service for Mrs. Amy Elizabeth Holmes, 57 of Oakland, California, will be held on Saturday, April 29, 2023, at 11: 00 a.m. at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel.

Mrs. Amy Holmes was born on March 26, 1965, in El Paso, Texas to her parents, Charles and Elizabeth Holmes. She passed away on March 14, 2023, in Oakland, California.

She was raised in El Paso and graduated from Andress High School with the class of 1983. Amy attended the University of Texas at Austin as an honors student and graduated with her B.A. in 1997. She went on to earn her M.A. in History from the University of Michigan in 1990. She enjoyed a career in research and spent many years working for Blue Shield of California.

Amy married Christopher Kueny in 1996 in Austin, Texas. They were married for 26 years and raised two children together. Amy stood out as an empathetic and thoughtful person, in a world where that can be hard to find. She faced many challenges and hardships in her life, but through it all she persisted and continued to brighten the world around her with her love and kindness.

She was an open-minded and forgiving person, who always tried to help the people around her. Amy cared deeply for people and animals, and no matter how hard things got, she was always able to appreciate the beautiful things in life. She enjoyed being in nature, and loved flowers and birds, particularly great blue herons. Amy was a loving mother and was a light in the lives of all who knew her, and she left the world an undeniably better place than it would

have been without her.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Charles, and Elizabeth Holmes. Amy is survived by her children, Maia and Shane Kueny and brother, Mark Holmes.

Donations in Amy's name can be made to the National Alliance on Mental Illness at www.nami.org/home

A guestbook can be signed at www.hawthornfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel
307 W Wellington St.
Carthage, Tx

Tribute Wall

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“ I miss our talks. Love you forever, Amylynn.

Margaret (DeBarr) Lowry - July 02, 2023 at 09:38 PM

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“ Pamela Gray purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mrs. Amy Elizabeth Holmes.



Pamela Gray - April 26, 2023 at 09:03 AM

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“ All of us from Dowell Elementary , as well as Andress High School, Class of '83 express our sincerest condolences to the family of Amy. She will surely be missed by everyone that had a chance to know her.



Mirko McClammy - April 24, 2023 at 07:51 PM

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“ Judith Happe and Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Amy Elizabeth Holmes.



Judith Happe and Family - April 24, 2023 at 05:39 PM