



Ms Sarah Elizabeth Hughes

February 27, 1951 - March 8, 2022

Ms. Sarah Elizabeth “Sallie” Hughes age 71, of Memphis, Tennessee died on Tuesday, March 8, 2022 in Memphis.

Sallie was born on February 27, 1951 in Memphis. She was the daughter of Lawson and Ann Lancaster Hughes. Sallie was a member and had served as a Deacon at Idlewild Presbyterian Church in Memphis and was the owner and operator of Dogs Rule Day Care. She had served on the Memphis Humane Society and had been a past president. She attended William Woods College and had been a member of the Chi Omega Sorority.

Sallie is survived by a brother Jim Hughes and wife Joye of Forrest City, Arkansas; a sister in law Susan Hughes of Forrest City. Two nieces, Sarah Hughes of Fayetteville and Katie Hughes of Memphis, and two nephews, Patton Hughes of Nashville and Lance Hughes of Forrest City, also survive her. We’d be amiss not to mention her surviving furry friends, Bennett, Lola, Alice, and Andy. She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother Jay Hughes.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, March 12, 2022 at 2:00 p.m. with visitation starting at 1:00 p.m. at The Idlewild Presbyterian Church, 1750 Union Ave. Memphis, Tn 38104. Reception following at the home of The Ginty’s, 12 Belleair Drive, Memphis. The family requests memorials be made

to the animal rescue of your choice. Visit online registry at stevensfuneralhome.net.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

The Idllewild Presbyterian Church
1750 Union Ave.
Memphis, TN 38104

Memorial Service

MAR 12. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JC

“ I'm so sorry to hear that Sallie has died. What a wonderful, generous woman she was. When I had my first Airedale, Dudley, I found out in the early 2000s that she was opening a dog daycare and stopped by her place off of Sycamore View (or Pleasant View--can't remember for sure) to see it for myself. She pulled up just as I did and we started talking. I knew she looked familiar and we discovered that we knew each other from when she was married to a photographer who had worked at Channel 3 when my former husband was a producer there. We talked about the PSA Channel 3 had done that featured a small, scruffy-looking dog abandoned in the rain. That was her dog. We connected. I enrolled Dudley and when she moved to Union Ave and opened Dogs Rule, Dudley continued. Along with Dudley, my mutt Hunter loved his days at Dogs Rule.



Sallie was a tireless advocate -- some would say a sucker -- for dogs her entire life. She was an inspiration by her devotion and tenacity when it came to caring for dogs. She hired good people and treated them like family. She sacrificed her own comfort for her dogs. I'm so sorry that Sallie is no longer in this world. She must be at the Rainbow Bridge surrounded by all the dogs she has ever cared for -- hers and those of her clients.

I'm sending love to all who cared for and depended on her. May her memory be a blessing.

Jackie Cash - March 15, 2022 at 12:55 PM

EW

“ Elizabeth White purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Ms Sarah Elizabeth Hughes.



Elizabeth White - March 11, 2022 at 08:56 AM

ST

“ Sam And Dorothy Threat lit a candle in memory of Ms Sarah Elizabeth Hughes



Sam and Dorothy Threat - March 11, 2022 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ Mary Harrell and Susan Rich purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ms Sarah Elizabeth Hughes.



Mary Harrell and Susan Rich - March 10, 2022 at 09:01 PM

ST

“ Shirley Williams Thorn sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms Sarah Elizabeth Hughes



Shirley Williams Thorn - March 10, 2022 at 06:43 PM

PH

“ Patricia Higgs lit a candle in memory of Ms Sarah Elizabeth Hughes



Patricia Higgs - March 10, 2022 at 10:27 AM

TH

Will be praying for this family .

Tommy Hillis - March 11, 2022 at 08:57 AM

PH

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Patricia Higgs - March 10, 2022 at 09:44 AM