



## Tamara K. "Tammy" Sharp

May 2, 1947 - June 26, 2012

Tamara "Tammy" K. (McCammon) Sharp, May 2, 1947, June 26, 2012. Born and raised in Monroe County, Tammy grew up in Smithville and attended Smithville Schools 1-12. As a teenager she was an avid Skibo'fan, loved playing the clarinet in the SHS marching band and was extremely excited when the band was asked to play at an IUB football game during her senior year. Tammy and her 1967, SHS gang spent many hours hanging out at the Lake Monroe Dam during its construction.

Tammy was preceded in death by her only daughter Suzie Lynn Sharp and father Harold 'Batch' McCammon; grandparents Grace and Roy Hill and Vivin and James Shields. Her mother Vema 'Imogene' Glass and her step-father Kenneth Glass of Smithville survive. Also surviving are her sisters Linda McCammon, Bloomington, Rosalind McCammon Gerstman (Daniel Gerstman) Ellettsville, and her step-sister Judith Glass Hinefeld (Jerry Hinefeld) Bloomington. She also leaves behind nieces Anita Bastin Bohn (Christopher) Chicago, Angela Richardson Mayle (Brent) Spencer, Ashley Hinefeld Germany, Alyssa Hinefeld Bloomington, and nephew Chad Richardson, Bedford; great-nieces Addison L Mayle and Ava J Bohn. Also surviving are aunts Rosemary Wisley and Ellen Shields Tiberand, an

uncle James Hill (Lois) of Bloomington and many cousins.

Tammy retired from Indiana University after a 35 year career at the Herman B Wells Library on the IUB campus where she leaves behind many close and affectionate friends.

She suffered a terminal illness and died in her sleep at home on Monday. Visitation will be Thursday from 4-8 pm; funeral services will be held at 10:00 am on Friday at Allen Funeral Home with Rev. David Lee officiating.. Burial will follow at Smithville Cemetery, Smithville. Online condolences may be sent to the family at [www.allenfuneralhome.org](http://www.allenfuneralhome.org).

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *I was so sorry to hear of Tammy's passing. She was a great friend and colleague.*

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**Janice Lorenz** - October 26, 2015 at 04:17 PM

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“ *Although I didn't work directly with Tammy, I was really sad to hear of Tammy's passing. Even with her problems, she kept a positive attitude. Always a nice word to say to others.*

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**Kathryn Marlett** - October 26, 2015 at 04:17 PM

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“ *Rest in peace, Tammy. You suffered many long years. May God comfort your family.*

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**Linda Kamoji** - October 26, 2015 at 04:17 PM

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“ *I never worked with Tammy, but knew her as a customer for many years and I admired the way she took care of her daughter and handled working she was really nice, Tammy you will be sadly missed. My thoughts and prayers to your family.*

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**DeeDee Burris** - October 26, 2015 at 04:17 PM

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“ I worked at the IU Libraries for many years and though I did not work in the same dept as Tammy, I saw her frequently. She was such a wonderful mother to her handicapped daughter and I was always impressed at her strength as she faced many difficult things in her life. I pray that God will comfort Tammy's family in this difficult time.

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**Barbara McDonald** - October 26, 2015 at 04:17 PM

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“ I worked with Tammy in the IU Libraries for many years. I have missed her since her retirement, and I am saddened by her passing. Tammy faced many difficulties in her life, but she never failed to give encouragement to others. She was a very good person.

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**Jackie Byrd** - October 26, 2015 at 04:17 PM