



## Starlyn L. Tyree

June 19, 1945 - January 18, 2017

Mrs. Starlyn Lorraine Tyree, 71, of Colfax, Indiana, passed away on Wednesday, January 18, 2017 at St. Vincent Seton Specialty Hospital in Indianapolis, Indiana. She was born in Lebanon, Indiana on June 19, 1945, a daughter of the late Stanley Eugene Huffman and Edna Dorine (Abney) Huffman Wilson.

She was a 1963 graduate of Lebanon High School. Following high school, she obtained college instruction in fundraising.

Star was married on January 7, 1984, in Thorntown, Indiana, to Cleatus Hollie Tyree, Sr.; he passed away on June 21, 2008. She was formerly married to Kenneth Lee McIntyre.

Star had devoted her time working for several not-for-profit organizations. She had served as National Director for Critical Care Systems, Program Director for the Kidney Foundation and Leukemia Society of America, and was the Executive Director of Hemophilia of Indiana. Most recently, Star had also worked at The Home National Bank.

She enjoyed her family and traveling.

Funeral Services are planned for 1:00 p.m., on Sunday, January 22, 2017, at

Myers Mortuary, 1502 North Lebanon Street, Lebanon, Indiana, with Rev. Glen Jewell, officiating.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2017 from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home in Lebanon.

Interment will follow services at Plainview Cemetery in Colfax, Indiana.

Survivors:

Two Children:

Madison R. "Matt" McIntyre – Lebanon, Indiana

Tina L. McIntyre – Caple Coral, Florida

Two Step Children:

Jennie L. Tyree – Lebanon, Indiana

Robert G. "Rob" Tyree – Thorntown, Indiana

Five Grandchildren:

Lucas McIntyre – Lebanon, Indiana

Zach Essex – Greenwood, Indiana

Melissa Moore – Lebanon, Indiana

Vanessa Snow – Thorntown, Indiana

Katie Chester – Clarksville, Tennessee

Six Step Grandchildren:

Toney M. Tyree – Colfax, Indiana

Ryan C. Tyree – Rennseleer, Indiana

Stacy Johnes – Lebanon, Indiana

Sara L. Merrill – Lebanon, Indiana

Ashley R. Tyree – Lebanon, Indiana

Jenna L. Tyree – Thorntown, Indiana

Numerous Great Grandchildren and Step Great Grandchildren

Two Brothers:

Michael Eugene Huffman – Florida

Randy Gene Huffman – Lafayette, Indiana

Four Sisters:

Betty Lou Murdock and husband, Joe – Anderson, Indiana

Gloria Jena White and husband, Kevin – Lebanon, Indiana

Cindy S. Minor and husband, Terry – Lebanon, Indiana

Judy Kay Martinez and husband, David – Brownsburg, Indiana

Many Nieces and Nephews

In addition to her parents and husband, Star was preceded in death by her step-mother, Barbara Huffman; step-father, Horace E. Wilson; three brothers, Ricky Van Huffman, Michael Dean Huffman, and Tommy Huffman; a sister, Nedra Jean Wilson; a half-sister, Sandra Sue Lollar; a step-son, Cleatus H. “Chip” Tyree, Jr; and a step-grandson, Dustin R. Hinkle.

Memorials may be directed to IU Simon Cancer Center, c/o IU Foundation, PO Box 7072, Indianapolis, IN 46207 or to the Thorntown Christian Church, 125 West Main St., Thorntown, IN 46071.

# Cemetery Details

## Plainview Cemetery

80 West  
Colfax, IN 46035

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JAN 21.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Myers Mortuary  
1502 North Lebanon Street  
Lebanon, IN 46052  
(765) 482-0620  
office@myersmortuary.com  
<https://myersmortuary.com/>

## Service

**JAN 22.** 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Starlyn L. Tyree*

November 27, 2022 at 01:43 PM



“ *Star is one of the greatest people I have been privileged to know and able to call my friend. Many thousands of people in the hemophilia community are indebted to her for their health and prosperity. The Hemophilia Federation of America would not be the great organization it is today without Star. Her passion and dedication to HFA were more than just a helping hand. Star was a pillar of the community. We will truly miss her.*

**Donnie Akers** - January 22, 2017 at 06:14 PM



*Thank you for your words. Yes she was the pillar of our family also. A very sweet soul.*

**Toney Tyree** - May 01, 2017 at 10:11 AM



“ *The hemophilia community has loss a great advocate, and I have loss a good friend. RIH.  
Thanks for all you have done, so take your rest now. -Greg McClure*

**Greg McClure** - January 22, 2017 at 10:52 AM



*She was A great advocate all around. I'm glad you was blessed with knowing her.*

**Toney Tyree** - May 01, 2017 at 10:13 AM

UK

“ *Star was my mentor when I first started working for the Kentucky Hemophilia Foundation 23 years ago. We became good friends. She was genuine, always willing to help, and very compassionate. She had such a big heart and was liked and respected by all. I will miss my dear friend and never forget her!*

*Ursela Kamala*

Ursela Kamala - January 22, 2017 at 09:41 AM

TT

*Such true words and thank you for them! She definitely was the most beautiful soul I've ever meet. Glad you was blessed with her as well. Thank you*

Toney Tyree - May 01, 2017 at 10:15 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



January 20, 2017 at 07:15 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



January 20, 2017 at 06:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



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January 20, 2017 at 03:47 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



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January 20, 2017 at 02:21 PM



“ *Garden of Memories was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



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January 20, 2017 at 02:18 PM



“ *Although I had not known Star long, I always enjoyed seeing her smiling face when I walked into Home National Bank . She will be missed. Trish Swisher*

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**Trish Swisher** - January 20, 2017 at 12:55 PM

TT

*Thank you for your words. And glad you got to meet her and her beautiful soul and smile.*

Toney Tyree - May 01, 2017 at 10:17 AM

BB

*“ I was blessed to get to know Star when I worked at Hankins Super Market in Thorntown IN and I got to see her every Friday night and carry out her groceries and get to talk to her. I know its been many years ago, but I still remember the good chats we had back 35 or more years ago.*

*R.I.P. Star  
Bob*

Bob Bowen - January 20, 2017 at 08:40 AM

TT

*Thank you for sharing. Glad you was blessed with meeting her.*

Toney Tyree - May 01, 2017 at 10:19 AM



*“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



January 19, 2017 at 10:32 PM

CB

*“ Starlyn and I were friends from back in school. she was a fun lady to be around. we have had many laughs about many things. shr was a hard worker and enjoyed helping others. she dearly loved her children and their families. she will be sadly missed...*

Carol belcher - January 19, 2017 at 10:08 PM

TT

*Thank you for your words. Yes she was a beautiful soul who was a pillar to a lot of us and will be missed dearly. I glad you got to be blessed with her.*

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**Toney Tyree** - May 01, 2017 at 10:21 AM

JE

“ *I remember Starlyn from school. I always enjoyed her company. Deepest sympathy.*

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**Jane Sterling Eaton** - January 19, 2017 at 08:48 PM

DJ

“ *So sorry to hear this. I have known Star for many years. I was in Union Square in San Francisco one time; and heard someone say "Delbert Davis", it was Star. We had a long conversation about Boone County people being so far from home. I know how much her family meant to her; and I am sure she will always be in your hearts.*

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**Delbert Davis Jr** - January 19, 2017 at 04:28 PM

TT

*Thank you for sharing. I'm glad you was blessed with her also. Always and forever she will b. What a beautiful soul she was.*

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**Toney Tyree** - May 01, 2017 at 10:23 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



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January 19, 2017 at 02:17 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



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January 19, 2017 at 01:50 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Starlyn L. Tyree.*



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January 19, 2017 at 01:48 PM