

Emee Lynne Drews

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I had the privilege of working with Emee at DCFS. She was such a hard worker and an advocate for those she served. I was inspired by her work ethic, her compassion, and the way she showed up every day. My condolences to the family and loved ones. Emee will be missed.

- Matthew Froelich

I worked with Emee for several years when she was a social worker for DCFS and I was one of the attorneys that represented DCFS in court. I always remember her having a smile and a positive attitude. I was always happy that she was the assigned worker when I got paired with her on a case. She was a kind and loving person, and that came through in her work and in the way she treated everyone. I was deeply sorry to hear of her passing. I will remember her fondly. I wish ongoing strength to her family at this difficult time.

- Amy Jonkhart

We love and miss you. I am sure the Marilyn is so happy to be with you. Take care until we meet again.

- Howard Chamberlain

I was one of Emee's sisters in Zeta Tau Alpha at SUU. I remember she had an ancient Mercedes and we used to drive around town with her in it. She could be the life of the party and still take care of other people at the same time. I was so sorry to hear of her passing. She left us way too soon.

- Shelly Strahan

I was a DCFS Caseworker assigned to work on Emee's team. I learned a lot from her and appreciated her taking time to go through cases with me. She will be missed and has left a positive impact on me in working with families. May her family find peace and comfort during this difficult time.

- Maria Gonzalez-Baumer

I went to Highland High School with Emee. I remember that I enjoyed Emee's soft spirit. Like it has been said about Emee she didn't have to be the brightest star in a friend group but she was consistent and loyal to her friends. She was inclusive of anyone, never made people feel excluded or not included. Those are big qualities for a high schooler that we don't necessarily learn…. Those qualities must have com from her parents. I'm sorry that Emee and I lost touch over the years and terribly sorry to hear this difficult news. May peace be with her family knowing Emee is reunited with her Mom.

- Lindsay Ward

We were so sorry to hear about your loss Scott and family, you and family are so wonderful and also so kind and loving to me, and to Dave,,, please know we love you so much, and our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time, and always!!!

- Melanie Christensen

I worked with Emee may years ago at Division of child and family services, she is a wonderful person, so kind and enjoyable to work with. I'm so sad to hear this news and praying for your comfort.

- Arianna Bradley

Howard and Family: I just saw this. I'm so sorry for your loss of Emee. Michael and I only met her a couple of times, but we knew from the start that you had a tremendous love for eachother. She was not only beautiful, but very loving. We also know that she lives on with her Father in Heaven, and that you all will see her again. We love you. Aunt Eydie

- Eddris (Eydie) Morgan Duggan

I was devastated to learn of Emee's passing. She was my parent advocate through the court, as I navigated the juvenile court system. She was a very kind, supportive woman who was always professional and caring. My sympathies to her family. She will be dearly missed.

- Nikki Williams

Emee had a beautiful way of doing the quiet, special acts of love. My senior year of high school, my parents moved out of state and I stayed in Utah to finish high school. Emee would come to my basketball games and made me a memory book (scrapbook) of special moments, awards and moments that I thought were unseen. She reached out in a way of love that typically only a mother could do, when my mother had to be somewhere else. I'm so happy she gets to be with her mother and will miss her until we meet again!

- Jeff Rust

Emee was such a bright light when we were at Highland High School! She was always so friendly, kind, & had a beautiful smile!♥■

- Lois Williamson-Miller

Emee was always the one with the brightest smile and the biggest hug. She had an incredible way of making you feel completely accepted and loved just by being you. In learning of her passing, I've been sifting through memories of her and every single one was peppered with a laugh and a knowing look. Sending hugs to those who knew and miss her.

- Julianne Smith