



Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis

November 27, 1990 - February 3, 2022

Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis died of natural causes on Thursday, February 3, 2022, at her home in Virginia. She was 31.

Elizabeth was born on November 27, 1990, in Easton, MD, to David Brian Lewis and Marion Adella Shannahan Lewis. She graduated from St. Michaels High School in 2008. She then attended the University of Mary Washington, where she studied in South Africa before earning a Bachelor of Arts in International Relations in 2012. While in college, Elizabeth did volunteer charity work for immigration advocacy groups. She devoted her life to service and to helping others.

After college, Elizabeth joined Americorps and began her professional career at Chesapeake Multicultural Resource Center as a Site Coordinator, where she was charmed by the children of Talbot County's newest immigrant families. Elizabeth earned her paralegal certificate from George Mason University in 2014, and joined The District of Columbia Bar association as a Program Specialist in the Continuing Legal Education program, working closely with attorneys and scholars from around the nation.

An old soul who was mature and wise beyond her years, she enjoyed cooking for family and friends, laying on her pool float, reading books with her sister, and spending time on the beach. She also really loved goats. Elizabeth spent

her summer weekends on the boat and relaxing at her grandparents' home in St. Michaels. She enjoyed country music and going to wineries, farmers' markets, and baseball games, always with friends and family.

Elizabeth was preceded in death by her grandfathers, Norman Shannahan III and Rodney Lewis. She is survived by her parents, Marion Adella Shannahan Lewis, David Brian Lewis; her stepmother, Shazz Lewis; her beloved sister, Gillian Shannahan Lewis (fiancé Patrick Sean McBryde); her grandmothers, Thelma Shannahan, Nancy Winks, and Elaine Johnston; stepsisters Carrie Barber, Megan Leap (Garett Leap), and Molly Barber; her godparents Deborah and David MacKendrick; cousin Christian MacKendrick (Erica Wiles-MacKendrick); and three nephews, Parker, Graham, and Miles.

A public memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 19, at 11 AM, at Christ Church in St. Michaels, Maryland. The family will conduct a private interment at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to Chesapeake Multicultural Resource Center Youth Program at 331 East Dover Street, Easton, Maryland 21601 (<https://chesmrc.org/>) or to Rose Bridge Farm & Sanctuary to support their work in goat rescue. (Please note your contribution is in memory of Elizabeth Lewis) or visit their website at <https://rosebridgefarmsanctuary.com/>) to donate and read about Elizabeth's love of goats. Their address is 1314 Limekiln Pike, Dresher PA 19025.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

FEB **19**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Christ Church
301 S. Talbot St.
St. Michaels, MD 21663

Tribute Wall



“ Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ Liz I will never forget the good times and memories we shared I will forever miss you and your Birthday text!!! Love you always and forever (Boom Boom pow) =insider



Duval Mills - February 28, 2022 at 12:10 AM



“ Elizabeth was such a ray of sunshine and will be deeply missed. Her family and friends are in my prayers, I am so so sorry for your loss.

Abi B - February 19, 2022 at 02:28 PM

AH

“ *My deepest condolences to Elizabeth's family. She will be lovingly remembered by her D.C Bar family.*

Amy H - February 19, 2022 at 10:41 AM

KW

“ *Prayers lifted to the family of Elizabeth, and all who knew and loved her.*



Kristen W - February 18, 2022 at 05:07 PM

KW

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Keith Wilson - February 16, 2022 at 06:33 PM

DI

“ *Dionnah lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Dionnah - February 16, 2022 at 03:27 PM

DR

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Delonte Rogers - February 16, 2022 at 02:38 PM

KW

“ Keith E Wilson lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis



Keith E Wilson - February 16, 2022 at 01:44 PM

KW

My very deepest condolences to the family. Keeping you in thought. I will miss my friend and colleague.

Keith E Wilson - February 16, 2022 at 01:48 PM

TR

“ Prayers and healing for you all.



travis - February 16, 2022 at 07:55 AM

CE

“ Marion, Gillian & family my heart breaks for you. Sending hugs & prayers



Connie Edwards - February 16, 2022 at 06:59 AM

VB

“ Vanessa Batters-Thompson lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis



Vanessa Batters-Thompson - February 15, 2022 at 05:11 PM

CB

“ Carole Barnett lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis



Carole Barnett - February 15, 2022 at 04:17 PM

RJ

“ So sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.



RuthAnn Jones - February 14, 2022 at 08:56 PM

RF

“ *Roe Family lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Roe Family - February 14, 2022 at 07:14 PM

RF

Dear Marion, Gillian and David - Our hearts ache for your loss. We send our prayers and love, Don, Ann & Mason

Roe Family - February 14, 2022 at 07:17 PM

KL

“ *Kathleen Lewis lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Kathleen Lewis - February 14, 2022 at 12:29 PM

AA

“ *Abesha Assefa lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Abesha Assefa - February 14, 2022 at 09:48 AM

BH

“ Dear Molly, Shazz and family. I was so sorry to see this about Elizabeth. I remember when you all were little girls and I would bring Courtney over to visit when you lived in Matthewstown Run. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this very sad time.



Beverly S Hahn - February 13, 2022 at 10:25 AM

CF

“ Carla Freudenburg lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis



Carla Freudenburg - February 12, 2022 at 05:46 PM

KA

“ Karly lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis



Karly - February 11, 2022 at 10:16 PM

LM

“ Lisa Martin-Morina lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis



Lisa Martin-Morina - February 11, 2022 at 03:49 PM

BT

“ *Brenda Thomas lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Brenda Thomas - February 11, 2022 at 03:07 PM

NH

“ *NhuMai Huynh lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



NhuMai Huynh - February 11, 2022 at 01:29 PM

KC

“ *Katina Clark lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Katina Clark - February 11, 2022 at 12:19 PM

AZ

“ *Adriana Zick lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Adriana Zick - February 11, 2022 at 12:08 PM



“ *Melissa Frobenius lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Melissa Frobenius - February 10, 2022 at 07:47 PM



“ *Javier Mascorro lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Javier Mascorro - February 10, 2022 at 07:47 PM



“ *Consuella P. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis.*



Consuella P. - February 10, 2022 at 06:47 PM



“ *Connie Puryear lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis*



Connie Puryear - February 10, 2022 at 06:03 PM

VM

“ Vicki Morris lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis



Vicki Morris - February 10, 2022 at 02:32 PM

LL

“ Luther And Lori lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Shannahan Lewis



Luther and Lori - February 09, 2022 at 10:49 PM

NF

“ I am so sorry to hear about the loss of sweet Elizabeth. She was a shining light. Her smile and laughter, I will always remember. May she Rest In Peace. My heartfelt condolences to all of her family and friends. Praying for peace and comfort for each of you during this difficult time. Noelle



Noelle Filion-Powell - February 09, 2022 at 05:11 PM

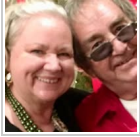
JS

“ Our hearts and prayers go out to Marion and David. We know how your hearts feel and are so sorry for the loss of your beautiful daughter.



Julie and Mac Stinchcomb

julie stinchcomb - February 09, 2022 at 03:42 PM



“ Sweet sweet Elizabeth, may you continue to shine on all of us and we pray for peace for your wonderful mother, grandmother, sister and your family who you loved so dearly. Gone too soon but never forgotten.



Sandy Simmons - February 09, 2022 at 01:29 PM

BW

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you Love Shapers Salon



Bicky Warrington - February 09, 2022 at 12:52 PM

DC

“ Rest In Peace sweet Elizabeth. Praying for mom,sister and your grandmother.



Debbie Correa - February 09, 2022 at 07:53 AM

LC

“ My heart breaks for your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you.



Lynn Crouch - February 09, 2022 at 06:01 AM



Sherelle
Chase

“ *Sending my condolences to you and your family through this difficult time . I'll keep you in my prayers*

Sherelle

Sherelle Chase - February 08, 2022 at 11:47 PM

KT

“ *Keeping your family in my heart and sending love and deepest sympathy,*

Karen Van Trieste



Karen Van Trieste - February 08, 2022 at 05:05 PM