



## Mrs. Amy Louise Datz

February 4, 1957 - September 27, 2020

Amy Louise Datz, 63, of Tallahassee, passed away on Sunday, September 27, 2020, at Tallahassee Memorial Hospital, while her husband of 40 years, Kirt Armantrout, held her hand.

Born in Johnstown, Pennsylvania on February 4, 1957, she was a daughter of the late Thomas Arthur Estep Datz and the late Maryann Weise Datz. Also preceding her in death are her brothers, Tom Datz and Michael Datz. She spent early years in Pennsylvania and later moved with her family to St Petersburg, Florida where she grew up.

In addition to her husband, she is also survived by sons, Seth Thomas Armantrout and Cale Sean Michael Armantrout; grandson, Landon Michael Armantrout; sister, Leslie Stewart; as well as several cousins, nieces, nephews, and numerous friends.

Amy enjoyed her outdoor plants, was an excellent cook, and a great primitive camper who loved the ocean and her special river in Tennessee. She was involved in Tallahassee BMX, loved raising rottweilers and making family plans for holidays. Above all else, Amy loved her family and friends, especially her grandson Landon, her most favorite person on earth.

She was a graduate of FSU with a BS in Psychology and worked for the State

of Florida, Department of Corrections and retired in 2018, after 33 years of service.

Strong willed in character, determined and loved by many, she will be missed.

A Celebration of Life gathering will be announced at a later date. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at [www.abbeyfh.com](http://www.abbeyfh.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ Amy and Kirt along with Mario and Leslie have been our friends since we first met in Cozumel Mexico years back. Amy was an amazing woman, so loving, kind and dedicated to her family. She was passionate about the work that she did. Amy was such a delight to be with. We loved hearing about all her life adventures and there were many. We were shocked and saddened by her death. She will be very missed. Love to Amy's entire family. Tom & Lori Lamprecht

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**Lori Lamprecht** - November 19, 2020 at 02:35 PM



“ Thinking about how brave you were. Miss you! Meg

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**Meg Myers** - October 25, 2020 at 01:50 PM



“ To the Family of Amy Dantz. Many years ago, Amy was a member of the Tallahassee Astronomical Society. Amy enjoyed assisting us with Public Events such as Earth Day, Sidewalk Astronomy and eclipses. These were some of the many events I had the honor of working with her. Fond memories.  
Juanita Raymond and the  
Tallahassee Astronomical Society

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**Juanita Raymond** - October 17, 2020 at 01:43 PM



“ *Meg Myers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Amy Louise Datz*



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**Meg Myers** - October 14, 2020 at 12:29 PM



“ *AMY was my friend since 7th grade homeroom as she would tell you when introducing me . She would add that she was D and I was C and she sat behind me .We were fast friends from then on and get in trouble as a sport. LOL. She left after high school and never returned. This did not end our friendship and no matter how much time was between our visits either here in St. Pete when she visited or I went to her in Tallahassee we took up right where we left off. So glad I got to spend a week with her for Kirts birthday. And so glad she butt dialed me the day before she passed. We got to tell each other we loved each other. I will always remember that as so precious. She was beautiful and strong and smart and unafraid and forthright and thats why we loved her so. See you before you know it Amy.*

*With tears as I write  
Love Meg*

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**Meg Myers** - October 14, 2020 at 12:27 PM



“ *Kirt, Seth and Cale, condolences. I am remembering the years we were neighbors and all the energy and joy that surrounded your family. We had so much fun. Amy had it all together and loved you fiercely. I am so sorry to hear of her illness and death.*

*Heidi*

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**Heidi Fox** - October 11, 2020 at 09:39 AM

FL

“ To Amy's family: I am so sorry for your loss. I worked with Amy for years and enjoyed every minute of it. She was caring for her staff and wanted the best outcome for the offenders. After I left the Department we would have long conversations over the phone and it was always a joy to see her name pop up when she called. I loved talking to her about her camping adventures and her many stories about her boys and their misadventures. She was a special person and I know she will be missed by all. God bless.

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**Frank Leonard** - October 11, 2020 at 08:10 AM

AD

“ I never knew Amy Datz personally but our records were constantly being mixed up. It seems it has happened again as my email address has appeared in her obituary. My nick name is Amy Datz but my legal name is Amalie Wetherington Datz. I don't know how to disentangle this situation. Any help would be appreciated.

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**Amy Datz** - October 09, 2020 at 04:02 PM

LS

“ I love you, Sis, and will miss you every day until we meet again. I'll be watching for your dolphin, or maybe mermaid, to show up! You were the best sister...

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**Leslie Datz Stewart** - October 08, 2020 at 07:24 PM

GM

“ To Amy's family who she adored and loved with all her heart- I am so very sorry for your loss.

*Amy was one of the kindest, realest people I have ever met. She was true to herself and to others. I am honored to have known her and to have had her as a supervisor and as a friend. The best lesson I received from Amy was "it's better to ask for forgiveness rather than permission". She was funny, loving, kind and most of all she was humble. She will be missed by many and was loved by many.*

*Ginny Maddox*

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**Ginny Maddox** - October 06, 2020 at 04:15 PM

GR

“ Kirt, I was shocked to hear the news about Amy. She was a very special person to me and I will miss her dearly. I am praying for you and the boys.

*Greg Roberts*

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**Gregory Roberts** - October 06, 2020 at 12:46 PM

SC

“ Datz was the best friend anyone could ask for. She and Kirt adopted my family as their own. Over the 20 years of friendship, she always took care of us and blessed us with so much love. She always cooked and made us feel at home. I even had my own bed at their house. When she got sick, I made her and Kirt dinner and when I dropped it off she said Susie I've been thinking all day and I can't remember a time u cooked for me. That was my girl always taking care of everyone else. In our younger years we could be called double trouble. Lol. Lots of great memories w a very special person. Amy I am so glad u r out of pain but you are sadly missed here on earth love you

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**Sue Cunningham** - October 06, 2020 at 11:52 AM