



## Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton

October 4, 1978 - September 10, 2021

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her honor to the SPCA: <https://secure.qgiv.com/for/sfgd>

Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton (nee Ehret) was a caring and beloved wife to Joel Tilton, daughter to Gary Ehret and Cheryl Ehret (nee Hessler), sisters to Elizabeth "Lisa" Mauntel and Suzanne Mardirosian, aunt to Anthony, Elizabeth, Isabella, Joshua, Lauren, Hannah, Hayden, so many other family members and friends.

Emily was born on October 4, 1978, in St. Louis, Missouri, married on March 18, 1999 in Ames, Iowa, and died on September 10, 2021 in Lakeland, Florida. She passed away unexpectedly at the young age of 42.

Emily was known by so many for her kindness, compassion, and joyous spirit. She was talented in so many ways including; cooking, making the most amazing and memorable crafts, her great love of animals, music and many other things. Anybody that knew Emily would say that she was the most vibrant and giving person. She was selfless to all. She will be sorely missed. Until heaven beautiful Emily.

A Celebration of Moe's life will be held Saturday, September 18th at 10 AM Eastern Standard Time, at Grace City Church, 1736 New Jersey Road, Lakeland, FL 33803. To view the services on Saturday, click the link below and use the Password: Tilton

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86384284557?pwd=c1IVMzZDekU1Wm9mQmtuK0Vjb3ltQT09>

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# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

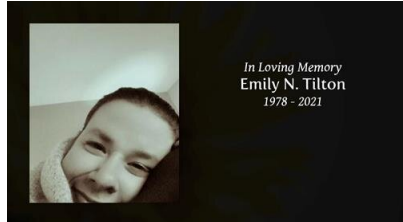
SEP **18**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Grace City Church - Lakeside Campus  
1736 New Jersey Road  
Lakeland, FL 33803

# Tribute Wall



“ *Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton*



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**Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes** - September 16, 2021 at 12:34 PM

MC

*Emily was always a bright spot in school at ACS. She'll always be remembered as a true & hilarious friend with a huge heart. Her loss reverberates across the world. Sending much love to her family*

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**Monica Cooney** - September 25, 2021 at 05:48 AM



“ *Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton*

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November 17, 2022 at 10:14 AM

GM

“ *1 file added to the album Celebration of Life Service*



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**Gentry Morrison** - October 20, 2021 at 07:48 PM

GM

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Gentry Morrison - October 20, 2021 at 07:12 PM

LI

“ Lilli lit a candle in memory of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton



Lilli - October 09, 2021 at 08:05 AM

LI

“ I miss you my sister/bff Em 🙏💜



Lilli - October 09, 2021 at 08:04 AM

DL

“ Emily was such a sweet, fun, and loving friend. So generous and kind. She will definitely be missed by everyone who knew her.

Danielle L. - September 29, 2021 at 10:27 AM

AB

“ I met Emily at Missouri Baptist College back in 1996. What a fun, kind, generous soul. The things I remember the most was she would let me finish all my reports on her computer in the dorm because I didn't own a computer back then. She is also the one that created my first ever email account that i don't use but still have. She loved writing notes and we would pass notes in school all the time (I still have them all) She came up with nick names too...Aliceo and Emileo ❤️ Emileo will always have a special place in my heart! Love,  
Aliceo (Alice Bogardus-Butler)

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**Alice Butler** - September 26, 2021 at 09:14 AM

MB

“ I will remember her kindness, her love for her dogs and she was so funny. I also remember the conversations about her pain and how bad it sometimes was. I tried to make her laugh so she would forget it even for a minute. She brightened up many lives. It's a shame we lost her way too soon. My condolences to everybody who loved her  
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**Mi Sook Bakker** - September 25, 2021 at 09:02 AM

JM

“ Emily and I played SongPop, and she was such a great player. We would play the same list until we finished it. The last one we did was Little Richard, and she finished it a week before passing. She said, I'll keep sending it as long as I needed to finish it. She was so sweet.

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**Joe McKenna** - September 25, 2021 at 12:23 AM

AM

“ Emily and I bonded over our love of dogs. She would send me photos of Teddy and Gracie! I would send her photos of mine. She had a wonderful heart. Last Christmas she sent me chocolate and I made her a magnet. She will be missed immensely.

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Allison McElhaney - September 24, 2021 at 08:32 PM

TY

“ Oh Emily, sweet Emily, I have been racking my brain trying to remember how and when we met i believe it was before 2009, I know it wasn't on facebook because at the time she didn't spend much time on there and i didn't find out she was on there til after the second game closed., WE did not get the pleasure to meet in person .and I really didn't know how old you were til now. I had the feeling I was much older, but it didn't matter , I was treated as one of the girls., What I remember is we played hours and hours of backgammon, we exchanged messages and photos. of places by where we lived, I believe she was in Colorado at that time. and had some amazing photo's of the Changing seasons. I live in California so i don't get to see it., We moved on to SuperPoke Pets, we played that till they closed it down, and it became a joke, we played a other game similar but can't remember its name either. We had a lot of fun, laughs on those silly games. She always checked in with me as to how i was doing even after the games ended, She was there for me during some really rough times , checking in on me. with kind words of encouragement.. . Come to find out now that she was a year older then my son, whom I lost in 2016 , Emily you hold a special place in my heart , until we met up in Heaven. rest in our fathers arms.

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tina young - September 24, 2021 at 06:27 PM

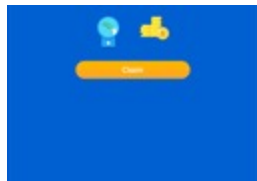
PB

“ Every year at the anniversary of my dad's passing. In SongPop she would send Johnny Cash his favorite artist. I am very thankful Emily did that for me and blessed to call her a friend.

Pj Brock - September 24, 2021 at 06:23 PM

JS

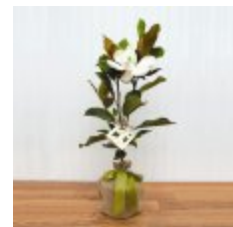
“ I miss Emily so much. She was my longest playing friend on our SongPop game, Em was always there if I needed to vent or share something or asked a question. I never thought I'd miss her presence as much as I do. Em was a very rare jewel who left an impression on so many people. She is missed worldwide and that is something special. She was truly a beautiful soul who now rests without pain with our Lord. I miss you sweet Emily I earned this badge for you my friend. Thank you for being you.



judy smith - September 24, 2021 at 04:40 PM



“ Southern Magnolia Tree was purchased for the family of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton.



September 21, 2021 at 01:57 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton.*



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September 18, 2021 at 02:56 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton.*



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September 17, 2021 at 03:35 PM




“ *We can all learn valuable life lessons from many of the highlights from Emily's life, and remember the positive things. We recall with great fondness memories of those that we loved that go on before us and too soon. This also helps us strengthen our resolve to go forward with what they taught us through their example. We learned from the Moe to be kind and be strong, to battle through your pains and still be there for others in any way that you can. Her passing while far too soon and sad is not in vain. For she leaves us a great example and testimony of how to be a better person. God bless you Moe, rest easy we shall meet again with our Lord and Savior.*

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**Thomas Ehret** - September 17, 2021 at 02:51 PM

RI

“ Emily was the most amazing, caring, loving, and selfless best friend I ever had. She cared and put everyone else before herself, I first met Emily by random chance around 5 years ago through SongPop and we remained friends until her passing, I love you and will miss our daily chats and just the simple check in with a  my deepest sympathies to Joel, the whole Tilton family and Ehrert family.



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**Roger Denslow III** - September 16, 2021 at 04:18 PM

EJ

“ Eileen and Bruce James purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton.



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**Eileen and Bruce James** - September 16, 2021 at 01:17 PM

DG

“ Deepest condolences to Joel and the family on your loss. You will be in our prayers.



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**Dan Gerard** - September 16, 2021 at 12:11 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton.*



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September 16, 2021 at 10:11 AM



“ *Many have commented on Facebook Emily's great laugh and voice. If anyone has recordings of Emily that you would be so kind to share please send to [g.ehret@me.com](mailto:g.ehret@me.com). It would be very appreciated by the family.*

*Many thanks and thank you for caring about Our Emily.*

*Gary Emily's Dad.*

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**Gary Ehret** - September 16, 2021 at 07:37 AM



“ *Emily has always been the Common Denominator for our family because of everyone's individual and collective immense love for her - who could possibly resist her. We remain in awe of her amazing qualities. Her joyful happy exuberance, humor and basic goodness warm us. Her loss is devastating.*

*We love, adore and are so proud of you Emily. To our next meeting My Dear Daughter. Love Dad*

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**Gary Ehret** - September 16, 2021 at 04:33 AM



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton.*



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September 16, 2021 at 03:52 AM



“ *Rebecca Hanes lit a candle in memory of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton*



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**Rebecca Hanes** - September 15, 2021 at 08:07 PM



“ *Becki H. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton.*



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**Becki H.** - September 15, 2021 at 08:04 PM

LM

“ Emily, “Moe” as I called her was the sweetest and most loving baby sister. She always downplayed any pain she had and tried to comfort me. That was what kind of person she was. She was a selfless person and kind beyond measure. I love you my sweet Moe. I look forward to seeing you in heaven.



Lisa Mauntel - September 15, 2021 at 06:49 PM

MW

We offer our Condolences to the Tilton, Ehret and Hessler Families. May Emily R.I.P. 🙏🙏🙏

Michael and Noreen Whitehead - September 15, 2021 at 07:54 PM



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September 15, 2021 at 06:40 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Emily “Moe” Nicole Tilton.



September 15, 2021 at 06:23 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Emily "Moe" Nicole Tilton.*



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September 15, 2021 at 04:47 PM



“ *Emily was the most beautiful, loving and caring wife. She always thought of others more than herself. She always put others needs above herself. I miss her dearly and will be forever heart broken.*



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**Joel Tilton** - September 15, 2021 at 03:45 PM