



Adria Danell Chandler

April 27, 1980 - August 23, 2016

Adria D. (Edwards) Chandler, 36, of Austin, TX formerly of Ellettsville passed away at Cozumel International Hospital in Cozumel, Mexico on Tuesday, August 23, 2016.

Adria was born in Nashville, TN on April 27, 1980, the daughter of Johnie Paul and Melba (McBride) Edwards. She attended Stinesville Elementary School and graduated from Cambridge Academy. She attended Mid America College of Mortuary Science where she graduated with a degree in Mortuary Science in 2006. Adria began her career as a funeral director at Chandler Funeral Home in Ellettsville then moving to Tampa, FL. She found her place as a director at Cook-Walden Funeral Home in Austin, Texas where she excelled at assisting the families she served. Her special touches to the funeral services she conducted exceeded her families' expectations each and every day. Some of Adria's favorite things were horses and turtles. She was a generous and loving person, caring for her family and friends throughout her life.

Adria is survived by her parents, Johnie Paul Edwards and Melba Edwards of Ellettsville; siblings, John Isaac Edwards and his wife Aleisha of Terre Haute and Rebekah Edwards of Atlanta; companion and best friend, G.L. Chandler, Jr. of Ellettsville; maternal grandmother, Helen McBride of Bedford; paternal grandparents, Johnie Edwards and Loretta Edwards of Bloomington; uncle, Larry McBride and wife Brenda of Columbia, MO; aunts, Linda Winger and

husband Ralph of Orleans, Marilyn Hunter and husband Don of Bedford; uncles, Tom Edwards and wife Debbie of Bloomington and Titus Edwards of Land O' Lakes, FL,; several great aunts, uncles and cousins; and her faithful Chihuahua, Digger.

She was preceded in death by her maternal grandfather, Russell McBride.

Funeral services for Adria will be held at Chandler Funeral Home in Ellettsville on Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. with her brother, John Isaac Edwards officiating. Burial is to follow at Chambersville Cemetery. Visitation will be at the funeral home on Tuesday, September 6, 2016 from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. and again one hour prior to the service.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the family to assist in Rebekah's medical expenses in care of the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Chambersville Cemetery

North County Line Road and State Highway
46
Spencer, IN 47460
(812) 327-1553

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 6. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chandler Funeral Homes - Ellettsville Chapel
203 E. Temperance Street
Ellettsville, IN 47429
(812) 876-6075
chandlerfh@bluemarble.net
<https://www.chandlerfh.com>

Service

SEP 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Chandler Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Adria Danell Chandler



Chandler Funeral Homes - September 06, 2016 at 09:58 AM

JE

“ I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Adria. May you find comfort from Isaiah 25:8- 8 He will swallow up death forever,And the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces. What a beautiful promise for our future.

jessie - December 09, 2016 at 10:38 AM

LR

“ I'm so very sorry to hear of the loss of your daughter. Prayers for strength and comfort as you walk this journey.

Lisa Bradley Reathaford - September 09, 2016 at 02:13 PM

EB

“ Erin Bishop lit a candle in memory of Adria Danell Chandler



Erin Bishop - September 06, 2016 at 06:24 PM

LK

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this time. I think I only met Adria once or twice, but I know her family loved her and are grieving much at this time. May our Lord above comfort them.



Lana Kinser - September 06, 2016 at 05:02 PM

SS

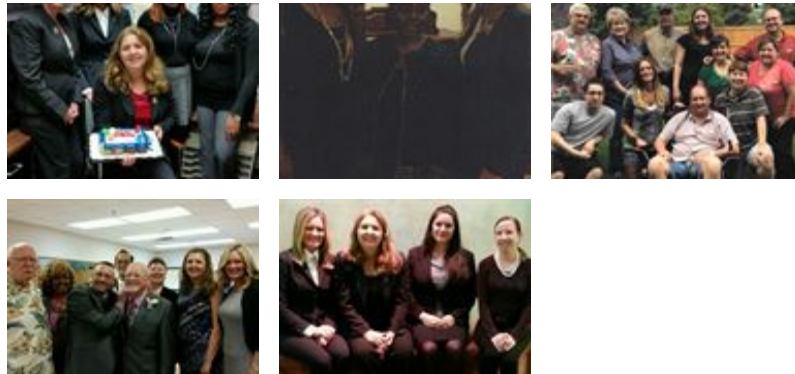
“ Sandy & Bob Sutter lit a candle in memory of Adria Danell Chandler



Sandy & Bob Sutter - September 06, 2016 at 12:43 PM



“ 8 files added to the album Life Tributes



Chandler Funeral Homes - September 06, 2016 at 11:22 AM



“ 125 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Chandler Funeral Homes - September 06, 2016 at 08:51 AM

PW

“ Pam, John, Chandler, and Walker purchased the *Heavenly and Harmony* for the family of Adria Danell Chandler.



Pam, John, Chandler, and Walker - September 05, 2016 at 09:05 PM

JD

“ Jayne Dillman purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Adria Danell Chandler.



Jayne Dillman - September 04, 2016 at 10:46 PM



“ *In life, you have the opportunity to meet many people and if you had the opportunity to meet Adria you would immediately feel her specialness and amazing and caring spirit. She was one of those special people you never forget. If you had the opportunity to cross paths or even read or exchange Facebook posts it was always a special experience.*

Billy Joel sings the song, only the good die too young. It's never more true in this unfortunate tragedy.

RIP Adria....you will never be forgotten!

David Puckett - September 03, 2016 at 06:02 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Adria Danell Chandler.*



September 03, 2016 at 05:39 PM



“ *Adria was a special woman...kind..sweet...caring....I was looking forward to see her when she was here in florida...we became very close when she lived here..everyone loved her..she will be very much missed,,,so sorry for the families loss and friends*

Lori Walbring - September 03, 2016 at 04:48 PM

AL

“ Love you cuz!! 💕💕💕💕



Autumn Lincoln - September 03, 2016 at 04:45 PM

YC

“ Your Family at Powers Ferry Church of Christ purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Adria Danell Chandler.



Your Family at Powers Ferry Church of Christ - September 02, 2016 at 12:14 PM

SR

“ So sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
Sarah Kaiser Ratliff

Sarah Ratliff - September 02, 2016 at 11:06 AM

YH

“ your friends at The Herald-Times purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Adria Danell Chandler.



your friends at The Herald-Times - September 01, 2016 at 03:20 PM

SR

“ So sorry for your loss. May God hold your hands in this time of sorrow. Prayers



Sherry Richcreek - September 01, 2016 at 02:33 PM

Deon Monday

“ My condolences an prayers are with you all. Fly high with the angels Adria.



Deon Monday - September 01, 2016 at 12:14 PM

SA

“ Carla and I are so sorry to hear of your loss. Our hearts hurt for you all at this difficult time. You are in our prayers and thoughts. May God continue to bless you lovely families. -----Stan and Carla Adams-----Hickory, NC

Stan Adams - September 01, 2016 at 12:06 PM

DS

May God watch over you all and give you strength and peace.

Darlyne Sowder - September 02, 2016 at 05:48 PM

RC

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Our prayers and condolences to all.

Ray Carpenter - September 01, 2016 at 10:27 AM

VS

“ In the 2 years Adria became one of my really close friends. I will miss our trips to Sonic and her getting her 2 plain hotdogs and a Dr Pepper. Our talks when we couldn't talk to anyone else about work. She balanced my personal life as well as work. We worked well together and she was the only one that could keep me calm. We never forgot each others birthdays and we always did something special. I am going to miss her so much and was a wonderful friend and she had the biggest heart. I was there for her and she was there for me. She was the perfect funeral director for my father services and I will cherish all the memories that I have of my "Fav" (that is what her name at work) she was my favorite and nothing or no one can change that about our friendship. Adria I love you and I will truly miss you. and by the way I love my shoes that you got me for my birthday. Love you always.
Your Hello Kitty (Val)

Valerie Sneed - September 01, 2016 at 09:52 AM

 Scott
Chandler

“ Thoughts a prayers with Family and G L

Scott Chandler - September 01, 2016 at 09:33 AM

JJ

“ Just wanted to say how sorry I am to hear about Adria. All of your family continues to be in our prayers here. We are very sorry for your loss and pray God's blessings of comfort and strength during this time. We love you! God bless you!

Jarrod Jacobs - September 01, 2016 at 09:12 AM

DM

“ I was shocked an so very sorry to hear of Adria's death. I have worked with Adria at Cook Walden Funeral Home in Austin, Texas for a few years now and she was one of the sweetest people I worked with. Please know I keep her and her family in my prayers. She has left quite a void in our funeral home 'family'.

Sincerely,
Donna Mayfield
Funeral Celebrant

Donna Mayfield - September 01, 2016 at 01:27 AM

BH

“ So sorry to hear about Adria's death. I'll always remember her as that quiet little blonde girl across the street. We will be praying for your family at this time.

Bob and Debbie Hawkins

Bob and Debbie Hawkins - August 30, 2016 at 06:32 PM

MS

“ Lord wrap your arms around this family and give them peace and comfort. We will be praying for you all. God Bless You.

Love you, Melody Crockett Shipley and Melba Crockett Moffatt



melody Shipley - August 30, 2016 at 08:12 AM

LS

“ Our hearts are so deeply saddened over your tragic loss, and our prayers have been constantly with you since we received the sad news! May God strengthen your poor aching hearts and give you comfort and peace. We give God thanksgiving and praise for keeping Rebekah safe, for blessing her with surgery to heal and for bringing all of you safely back home!! We love you so much!

Linda Sebree - August 29, 2016 at 12:03 PM

LF

“ She will be greatly missed and leaves an emptiness in our hearts!

Lori Frederick - August 29, 2016 at 09:39 AM

BK

“ Ben & Gayle Kimmel lit a candle in memory of Adria Danell Chandler



Ben & Gayle Kimmel - August 28, 2016 at 06:22 PM

JH

“ So saddened by the loss of Adria's life. I knew her from the Preacher Training programs I attended and become really good friends with her and the family. We lost contact through the years only to find that when I moved to Florida she lived 30 minutes away from here. We spoke a few times but again lost contact. I pray for peace for the Edwards family and will think of the neat times that she and I shared. One of those moments was in 1997 when we were both 17. I was living in Mooresville Indiana for the summer and would often drive to Ellettsville and eat at the family restaurant. One of those days Adria and I spent most of the day together. We went putt putt golfing, then went to one of the local National Parks and saw one of the most beautiful sunsets I have ever seen. We took a 3 mile hike around one of the local trails at the Park and the whole time I kept telling her that if we see a snake that I would have to turn around. Well we made it all the way to the end and sure enough a snake lay across the trail. I wanted to turn around but Adria coached me through it. Ten minutes later when we stopped at the bathroom she came out only to be confronted by a Raccoon that scared her to death. How does that even happen? Just one of the fond memories that I have with Adria. May God comfort the Edwards family and remind all of us of the brevity of this life.

Jerry Elmore Hickman - August 27, 2016 at 12:33 PM

BG

“ So saddened that this has happened to a wonderful and amazing family. Adria I hope you are flying high with the angels.

Billy Gamble - August 27, 2016 at 11:31 AM