



Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz

December 18, 1965 - December 31, 2025

Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz 60, of Fraziers Bottom, WV passed away at home surrounded by her family on December 31, 2025.

She was born to Perefoti and Tamia Nofoa Ieremia on December 18, 1965 in Pago Pago, American Samoa. She was preceded in death by her father, Perefoti Ieremia and her brother Aleki Ieremia.

She is survived by her devoted husband, Peter J. Gaydosz; her beloved children: Steven (Miranda) Gaydosz of Culloden, WV, David (MacKenzi) Gaydosz of Scott Depot, WV, Taylor (Evan) Haley of Hurricane, WV; and her treasured grandchildren: Steven, Lincoln, Myles, Cruz, Vallie and Maven Gaydosz who were the light of her life; she is also survived by her loving Mother: Tamia Ieremia; Siblings: Filemoni Ieremia, Saaga Filoiali'i, Ta'avili Ieremia, Naomi Ieremia, Fa'afetai Ieremia, Helen Heather and Jeremiah Ieremia.

Tali graduated with her Bachelor of Science from WVSU and was a Counselor with a nonprofit, Council of Three Rivers, where she dedicated her time to helping and uplifting others. Above all else, Tali was a woman of deep and unwavering faith. She lived her life as a reflection of God's love, through kindness, patience, generosity, and quiet strength. Throughout her courageous battle with cancer, she remained steadfast in her belief, choosing

peace over fear and hope over despair. Even in her hardest moments, Tali only spoke of gratitude.

Family was at the center of Tali's heart. She found her greatest joy in time spent with her loved ones, especially her grandchildren. She was also deeply proud of her Samoan heritage and made it a priority to share her culture, values, and faith with others, honoring where she came from and glorifying God in all she did.

A Celebration of Tali's Life will be 12:00pm Friday January 9, 2026 at Chapman Funeral Home Hurricane, WV.

Friends may visit the family from 10:00 am until 12:00 noon prior to the service.

Anyone wishing to leave an online memory may do so by visiting Tali's tribute page at: www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com

Chapman Funeral Home 3941 Teays Valley Road Hurricane, WV 25526 is honored to serve the family.

Cemetery Details

Valley View Memorial Park

2466 Main Street
Hurricane, WV 25526

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 9. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Chapman Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz



Chapman Funeral Homes - January 09 at 12:41 PM

SN

Restful peace 🕊️ Amen 🙏

Sulia Noga - January 10 at 08:53 PM

EG

Rest in peace my beautiful sis/friend. You are so missed. A true warrior you were. 🕊️ 🙏 ❤️

Emma Gilham - January 11 at 11:39 PM

AC

Oh how I miss you sis! 😭 The kindest soul, and the spirit of a living God. RIP my flying angel 🙏 🕊️ 🙏 🙏

Ana Currey - January 15 at 10:34 AM

AA

“ Tali not only served the Native American/Alaskan Native/Native Hawaiian community but was a light in all our lives. She is sorely missed—the staff and board of the Council of Three Rivers American Indian Center

Anne A. - January 28 at 09:03 PM

CI

“ To my aunt who had the softest yet angelic voice, a laughter that could fill up the world and a heart bigger than any mountain and any giant.

Hi aunty Tali,

It's me your niece who stays in the back drop most times.

To my loving beautiful lady of and in Christ,

I wish I had the opportunity to learn you more than what I had already learned of you.

Your heart so kind It melted at the touch, Your voice so angelic It carried its tune throughout the world and into different hearts, Your eyes had such a beauty and joy with a strong warrior presence of God inside. Your children; the reflection of light unto the world the labors and the fruits of your tree are just as magnificent and glorious as you. May your legacy never die, May your spirit continue to rise and feel this earth with light and may your heart continue to melt and soften those in this world I love you then, I love you now, and I will always love you forever more. I will see you at the gates of heaven when our time arrive May you suffer no more May your laughter feel the heavens Your eyes seek the glory of God and may you continue to watch over your family who is the true jewel and gems of your legacy.

Take care in spirit and in truth.

You have fought the good fight and you have completed the task of God at hand,

Now rest my beautiful soulful angel as you have been mounted on wings of eagles, so I say glory be to God in all times and days and may you now be reunited with the heavenly sisters and brothers of God and our Father in heaven. No more pain, No more Stress, No more worries as you fought and have done the work I am proud of you but know your spirit is strong and alive, I Love You Aunty.

Until we meet again

Your Niece Cheyanne Ieremia

Cheyenne Ieremia - January 12 at 09:43 AM



“ We love u a neice and cuz to my Dad and his kids we like to say ia Manuia lou Malaga, Da Nofoa's Love you and will miss you!!!! Tali Iremia.

Sana Nofoa - January 11 at 07:04 PM

CF

“ Currey Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



Currey Family - January 09 at 04:54 AM

CF

“ Currey Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.

Currey Family - January 09 at 04:54 AM

CS

“ Christy, Turner (Chris), The Satterfields purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



Christy, Turner (Chris), The Satterfields - January 08 at 06:34 PM

CS

“ Christy, Turner (Chris),The Satterfields planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.

Christy, Turner (Chris),The Satterfields - January 08 at 06:34 PM

MF

“ Moni and Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



Moni and Family - January 08 at 03:02 PM

TJ

“ Trickett and Johnsons purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



Trickett and Johnsons - January 08 at 12:11 PM

TJ

“ Trickett and Johnsons planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.

Trickett and Johnsons - January 08 at 12:11 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



January 08 at 11:11 AM



“ To the Gaydosz family, Workforce West Virginia family & Oscar Gramling Team in Job Service and Tammie Mickey our Resource Specialist want you guys to know we send our deepest sympathy to you, we will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. We sent flowers to the Chapman Funeral home.

Tammie Mickey - January 08 at 08:37 AM



“ May the Lord open the door, for you in heaven, restful peace. 🙏🙏

Sulia Noga - January 08 at 02:15 AM



“ West Virginia Ohana Family purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



West Virginia Ohana Family - January 07 at 08:42 PM

WF

“ West Virginia Ohana Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.

West Virginia Ohana Family - January 07 at 08:42 PM

KW

“ I met Tali because her daughter married my nephew. Her as well as her family made you feel like you were part of their wonderful, kind family. Every person in her large family are the most loving, kind and welcoming people. She was a very kind person with a wonderful outlook on life. I was blessed to meet her and her family, words cannot describe the warmth you felt from her and her family, Thoughts and prayers for Taylor and her family. Sincerely with love and peace for them. Kevin Wilson Charleston

Kevin Wilson - January 07 at 08:12 AM

EG

“ Our deepest sympathies and condolences go out to the dear Gaydosz family. We love you all very much. Our love and prayers continue to be with each and everyone of you during this difficult time. Our family has so many great memories of and with Tali. Our dear, Tali, "Many women have done excellently, but you surpass them all" (Proverbs 31:29). Tali was an amazing, God-fearing, a rock to our family and so many. She had the most beautiful loving, caring, kindest, wisest and compassionate soul to ever be around. A true one in a million! Her strong faith in God and the love she had for her family showed in everything she did. A warrior in many ways. Her smile and soft spoken voice was comforting. She was always reaching out to help others. I am honored to be called her friend and sister; she will truly be missed.

We love you all,
Gilham Family.

Emma Gilham - January 06 at 10:11 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



January 06 at 09:36 PM

DT

“ I loved Tali, I got to know her through Susan's Monday night Bible study. I followed her progress and admired her faith and strength. I will miss seeing her beautiful face in Church but know that I will see her again.💔💔💔

Dawn Templeton - January 06 at 09:12 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.*



January 06 at 08:32 PM



“ *Dave, Emma, Courtney, Kaitlyn and Robbie purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.*



Dave, Emma, Courtney, Kaitlyn and Robbie - January 06 at 08:25 PM



“ *Great Teays Soccer Club Board purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.*



Great Teays Soccer Club Board - January 06 at 07:35 PM



“ *Our beloved cousin Tali, may you go with our love and tears as you journey on to the new horizon and eternal life. Pray that the company of heaven holds you in a safe place of Gods peace. Peace be on your journey. 🕊️🕊️💜*

Sailine Savusa - January 06 at 06:55 PM

KR

“ Kim Crawford-Lewis and Fatima Ball - Council Of Three Rivers purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



Kim Crawford-Lewis and Fatima Ball - Council Of Three Rivers - January 06 at 06:04 PM

KH

“ Kyle Machel and Grace Howard purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



Kyle Machel and Grace Howard - January 06 at 05:42 PM

KH

“ Kyle Machel and Grace Howard planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.

Kyle Machel and Grace Howard - January 06 at 05:42 PM

FB

“ Tali was a very kind and warm hearted friend. I enjoyed working with her and sharing laughter. She had a great sense of humor and caring personality. She was always willing to help others. She will be greatly missed. Many blessings and sympathy to the Gaydosz family. Rest in Peace Tali.. Fatima



Fatima Ball - January 06 at 05:02 PM

MW

I met Tali and all the Gaydosz family when they moved to Winfield when the children were all very young. She was always a beautiful woman with an exceptionally beautiful smile and kind heart. She was always a wonderful, caring mother who always put her children first, and raised three beautiful, handsome children. She was such a caring and sweet neighbor and I thought the world of her. My heart rejoices in knowing she is with her Heavenly Father where she will live forever more and will await for her family and loved ones to be with her one day. Rest in peace sweet Tali.

Mary Beth Wertz - January 07 at 05:53 PM

KC

“ *It’s hard to think about moving forward without Tali. We will carry her memory in the way we work, the way we treat each other, and the way you showed us how to lead with compassion.*

You helped create a culture of care, just by being yourself. That’s not something you can teach. It’s something you live.

*Kim Crawford-Lewis
Council of Three Rivers*

Kim Crawford-Lewis - January 06 at 04:27 PM

XR

“ *I think of Tali and it comes to mind her beautiful smile, her loving nature, the dedication she had for her family and the love he had for God. I know I will never forget her because her smiling is forever in my heart.*

Xiomara Rodriguez. - January 06 at 04:21 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.*



January 06 at 03:12 PM



“ *The greatest memory I can share is the love she showed for her grandkids at the soccer fields. She was always there supporting them and the entire Gaydosz family.*

Steve/Miranda/Boys praying for strength, peace, and faith throughout this difficult time.

*We love you guys,
Derek/Ashlie/Boys*

Derek Jones - January 06 at 02:44 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.*



January 06 at 02:11 PM

TC

“ The Staff and Board of the COTRAIC planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.

The Staff and Board of the COTRAIC - January 06 at 02:11 PM

MA

“ Michelle A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.

Michelle A. - January 06 at 01:50 PM

AJ

“ Tali was a beautiful, kind and giving person who I had the honor to work with. I send thoughts of comfort and strength to her family. She will be truly missed! Annette Jones

Annette Jones - January 06 at 01:34 PM

CF

“ Colton Justice & The Justice Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



Colton Justice & The Justice Family - January 06 at 12:49 PM

CF

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Colton Justice & The Justice Family - January 06 at 12:49 PM

LF

“ Love, The Stelmach Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Faatali P. "Tali" Gaydosz.



Love, The Stelmach Family - January 06 at 12:35 PM

SE

“ My condolences to the family. Especially to Taylor and Evan Hailey. SHE IS GOING TO BE MISSED. RIP. PRAYERS TO THE FAMILY. SHERRY ELLIS Evans Hailey aunt.

Sherry Ellis - January 06 at 11:54 AM

RJ

“ Tali was very kind and caring. She will be missed.

Rodney John - January 06 at 11:26 AM