

Michelle Freeze Yoder was taken to the emergency room after falling and was admitted shortly thereafter being diagnosed with covid 19. It is thought she contracted the virus attending a family member's funeral the week prior. After being admitted she was immediately sedated, put on a ventilator, and given Remdesvir. Her husband was ill and not able to be at the hospital with her. Her son was told that course of treatment was the only option. Within 2 days her organs were starting to shut down and prognosis was very poor. Despite many attempts to follow a different course of treatment prior to the ventilator and Remdesivir, the medical staff refused to entertain any other options. Family were allowed to visit in single or pairs within a nearly hermetically sealed space. On Sept 9 the physician felt the massive amount of fluid collecting on her body could potentially be removed the next day. Unfortunately she passed away due to these complications on Sept 10. With her immediate family including her husband at her bedside, and many of us watching this horror play out over cell phone video, she was not provided acceptable or even mediocre medical care. Instead the doctor, nurses and hospital system elected to administer what was known at the time to be a fatal course of treatment, but followed nonetheless, and they financially profited beyond what anyone can imagine. Her loss has been devastating to the family and came at great expense. We pray for justice and for God's guidance.guidance.