



Melanie Gaye Klaiber

September 6, 1946 - March 12, 2020

After a very long and arduous journey with Alzheimers, Melanie Gaye Klaiber is wrapped in the arms of her Heavenly Father... joining her parents, Joe & Lavone Blackwell, her siblings: her beloved twin sister, Alena Kaye and brothers, Freddie and Shelby Dean; celebrating the joys of heaven with her mentor and grandmother in Christ, Nannie Lavone Minton; along with her paternal grandparents, Lee & Mary Blackwell.

Those remaining here on earth to celebrate Melanie's life are:

her husband, Raymond, who walked the painful journey with Melanie but much more, shared fifty-five years of love and devotion to Christ, her fun personality and her remarkable kindness for all, her precious daughter, Melissa, with whom whose souls shared a special connection. After Melanie's love for God and husband, her other true love was her grandson, Jason, whom, with his husband, Bryce, was a source of joy of inordinate magnitude. Request prayers for Raymond, Melissa, and Jason for strength and peace. Others who will celebrate Melanie are her sister, Judy, brother, Joey, and the extended family and the immeasurable number of people whose lives Melanie touched with her joy of serving Christ.

There is no memorial service planned due to travel restrictions.

Tribute Wall



“ *Melanie Gaye Klaiber*

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ *Such a beautiful memorial for Melanie. Much luv to you all.*

Kathy Mayo - March 22, 2020 at 04:49 PM



“ *We were so very sorry to hear of the passing of Melanie. What a wonderful woman she was. We know you have many great memories to hold on to until you meet again. Our prayers are with you now and in all your days to come.*

Tim and Miranda Stutler - March 18, 2020 at 08:38 AM



Melanie was my good friend since we were 14 years old. We had so many good times. She was always happy and had the best personality and everyone that knew her loved her. Melanie loved The Lord and wasn't ashamed to talk about him to anyone. Our hearts go out to Raymond who stood by her the whole time and her family members. Fly high my sweet friend, we know you are in a much better place. Your friend forever Betty Runion.

Betty Runion - March 22, 2020 at 06:40 PM



I am so sorry to hear this news. My condolences and prayers to you and your family, Raymond. Every time I saw Melanie she always had a big smile and a hug to share. My thoughts are with you. David Church

David Church - March 27, 2020 at 11:32 AM