



## Belinda Long Bailey

November 14, 1952 - April 10, 2024

Belinda Long Bailey, age 71, of Leland NC, passed on 4/10/24 due to cancer. She has received the reward of eternal life with Jesus. She was born on November 14, 1952 in Sumter, SC. Her late parents were Carl B Long and Bertha B Brown. She is survived by her husband, James C Bailey, Jr of Leland, NC, to whom she was happily married for 43+ years. Also, surviving are her sister, Johanna Monogan(Bill), of Summerville, SC and two children Ronnie Bailey(Sandy) of Aston, PA and Jaime Bailey( Tyler Gates) of Indian Trail,NC, two grandchildren Kaleigh Spoon( Hunter) of Hampstead NC and Jacob Odell of Wilmington NC. and one great-grand daughter Maisie Jae Spoon. Belinda's father was in the military so, as a young girl, she lived in France and Germany, where he was assigned , but at a young age moved to Robbinsville NC.

She attended Cedar Cliff Baptist Church, although her parents didn't take her, but loving neighbors took her each time. This is where she accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior.

Where ever she lived she served the Lord with the gifts she had been given: kind heart, caring attitude, genuine love for others, etc. She will be remembered by her church families where ever she and Jim lived. Her 2018 breast cancer became stage 4 in March, 2023 and spread to her spine and stomach. The family would like to thank the staff at Novant Health New Hanover Regional Medical Center and Lower Cape Fear LifeCare for their care during the past 13 months.

A memorial service is planned for Saturday May 4, 2024 at Eastwood Community Church, 702 Eastwood Rd., Wilmington NC 28403.

Visitation 10:00 am

Service. 11:00 am

Buffet lunch in the Fellowship Hall 12:00 pm

Please respond to Jim's email if staying for lunch, [email protected]

# Tribute Wall

TN

“ Prayers and sympathy to you Jim and family. Belinda was a wonderful person and beautiful. She was an inspiration to me and so many more at Ashley River Baptist Church. Belinda had a smile that could light up a room.

Tina newton - April 18, 2024 at 02:11 PM

VV

“ Barbara and I going to miss you so much. God blessed you. you are a wonderful friend in Christ and you to jim vickie

Vickie Vickers - April 16, 2024 at 04:46 PM

RB

“ My Mother. My best friend. My heart

Ronnie Bailey - April 15, 2024 at 10:00 PM

MR

“ Belinda was a very dear and kind person. I enjoyed working alongside her at the Billy Graham Ministry at our church, Ashley River. She was an inspiration to all who called in and all who served with her. I know her family will dearly miss her, and our hearts and prayers go out to them. We need more Belinda's in our world today.

Marcia C. Rhea - April 15, 2024 at 02:29 PM

CC

“ My prayers are with you during this time of sorrow. Our Lord will-has welcomed her into His Glorious kingdom. Peace be with you.

Cheryl Ann - cousin - April 14, 2024 at 10:27 AM

BS

“ Jim, please accept my sincere condolences. May your faith and happy memories be a comfort in the days and weeks ahead.

*Bobbie Shelingoski (and Mardi)*

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**Bobbie Shelingoski** - April 13, 2024 at 02:07 PM

TB

“ Jim you were a wonderful caregiver for Belinda during her suffering. You helped point her to Christ every day and she now has her heavenly reward forever.

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**Tim and Kathy Bailey** - April 13, 2024 at 12:41 PM

DO

“ Great memories of growing up with Belinda and Johanna on West Buffalo Creek. So sorry to hear of her passing, she's been on our prayer list at Cedar Cliff for all these past months -- I hope she knew that we love and remember her here. Continued prayers for her family.

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**Donna Orr** - April 12, 2024 at 05:33 PM

TG

“ Dear family, Belinda is a cousin, whom I always loved, as well as all the family. You are all very precious and I am praying that GOD will carry you and comfort you thru this difficult time. You are all in my prayers.

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**Teresa Garland** - April 12, 2024 at 12:52 PM

PB

“ *Belinda was such an inspiration to all that she met and talked with and prayed for on the Billy Graham prayer line at Ashley River Church.*

*Love and prayers for you Jim dear friend and brother of our Lord Jesus Christ.*

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**Peggy Batts** - April 12, 2024 at 12:10 PM

JC

“ *Jim we are sorry for yours and your families loss. How wonderful to know she is with our Father in Heaven and you will see her again one day.*

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**Jeff & Barbie Clancy** - April 12, 2024 at 11:17 AM