



Betty Jo Frank

October 14, 1943 - December 27, 2009

A service to celebrate the lives of Betty Jo Frank, 66, and Keitha Frank Turner, 39, both of Rosenberg are scheduled for 11:00 a.m., Thursday, December 31, 2009 at Church of Living Waters, 4808 Airport Avenue in Rosenberg with burial for Betty Jo at the Rosenberg City Cemetery formerly W.O.W. Cemetery in Rosenberg followed by burial for Keitha at Greenlawn Memorial Park in Rosenberg..

The family will receive friends beginning at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 30, 2009 at Church of Living Waters in Rosenberg.

Betty Jo was born October 14, 1943 in San Antonio to Sidney Weaver Ashley and Agnes Bernice Eastland Ashley. She passed away on December 27, 2009 in Rosenberg.

In addition to Keitha, Betty Jo is preceded in death by her parents, Sidney and Agnes Ashley; her son, Gene E. Frank; and her brother, Sid Ashley.

Betty Jo is survived by her husband, Dr. Gene W. Frank; son, Darren Frank and wife, Gamila; sister, Peggy Hand and husband, Kenneth; brother, Robert Ashley; sister-in-law, LaNelle Ashley; grandchildren, Jacob, Rachel and Hannah Frank, Karissa, Jairus, Hayden and Kennedy Turner, Christina and Makayla Frank; along with other relatives and a host of friends.

Keitha was born July 2, 1970 in Richmond to Gene Wilbur Frank and Betty Jo Ashley Frank. She passed away on December 27, 2009 in Richmond.

In addition to her mother, Keitha is preceded in death by her brother, Gene E. Frank.

Keitha is survived by her father, Dr. Gene W. Frank; brother, Darren Frank and wife, Gamila; children, Karissa, Jairus, Hayden and Kennedy Turner; along with numerous aunts and uncles, cousins and many friends.

Pallbearers for Betty Jo will include Dave Efron, Ricky Diaz, Bobby Moreno, Sam Rodriguez, Andre Right and Phillip Mata.

Pallbearers for Keitha will include Cowboy Bill, David Ashley, Brandon Sour, Zachary Teykl, Mark Frank, Stephen Ashley and Bret Wallace and Jordan Hand.

Tributes and words of condolence may be left for the families of Betty Jo Frank and Keitha Frank Turner at www.davisgreenlawnfh.com.

Tribute Wall

AA

“ I really don't remeber because I was just a kid but when I went to living waters it was a private schhol and I think I remeber her but I just want to say im am really sorry about wat happed and heard they just couaght the guy that killed her and her daughter so im really sorry

ashton allen - March 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ I want to let friends and family know me and family turned albert james turner in to the police this morning03/05/2010 in concord nc. God bless you and your family. Now you can get justice.

john - March 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ Betty Jo....Kind hearted, strong, loving, giving, powerful woman of God! She was truly a woman of God that was sent to empower us with the Word. I remember listening to her with awe. I would hang on every word she said because I truly believed in her sermons. She was real as real could get and the world will truly miss her. But her work is done here and we must remember the words she spoke and keep the faith. May God Bless us all. And May God continue to Bless the Frank Family. Trust that he will. With all my love.

Annette Clay - January 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ We are both so shocked and saddened at the sudden passing of Betty Jo and Keitha and are praying for your family at this very difficult time. May God bless your family.

Scott and Patricia McKenzie - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ Betty Jo was one of the finest Christian that I ever met. She really loved and cared about each individual person that came across her path. I ask God why it hurt so bad? He told me because you loved her and you know she loved you back---it was not just words. I love you Betty Jo and you will be greatly missed.

Brenda Thomas - January 08, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Mrs. Frank was my principle at Living Waters from K-2nd grade, 1987-1990. She was an amazing lady, who loved the Lord.

Christina - January 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MO

“ Betty Jo Frank preached in Kingsville several years ago. She was an unforgettable woman of God. Our prayers are with you and your family.

Ms. Katie and Olivia - January 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ Gene, We have thought about you and your family many times over the years. You touched our lives greatly when we lived in Texas and attended your church. We pray God's peace in your life during this trying season. Feel free to call or email if you need to talk. If you need to get away, you are welcome in our home. Gene, we are devastated by your loss.

Glenn & PeggyAnn Milton - January 03, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Pastor Gene and family, It was with great sadness I heard the news of the tragedy that has touched your family. Betty Jo imparted great messages of faith and testimony to us in the Southeast Area of Aglow International years ago and we have never forgotten her words. We will never forget her. Much love, Kathy Sanders

Kathy Sanders - January 02, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ My prayers go out for all of the family members. May the Holy Spirit bring strength, comfort and healing at this very difficult time.

Carol Guntle - January 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ To Gene, all the grandchildren, Darren and his wife, and the Ashley families,

We were shocked by the news of this tragedy. Though it has been over 20 yrs. since we attended CLW, Betty Jo has been thought of often. Her laughter, straight-on words, boldness, were all inspirational to me. My husband gave his life to Christ at a home bible study Pastor Gene held....and now we have raised 6 children who love the Lord! The impact Gene and Betty Jo have had is from generation to generation. Thank you Gene for giving us your wife in ministry---she was a firecracker! Betty Jo will be remembered in fondness.

Our prayers are with all of you as you try to make sense of all that is going on around you. May the Holy Spirit bring comfort that surpasses all understanding.

Alan and Janet King

Janet King - January 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ Our prayers and condolences go out to the Frank, Turner babies, and the Ashley families during this time of terrible loss. May the LORD bless you with strength, courage and healing in the days to come. We will miss hearing her speak the word of the LORD so boldly. We will cherish all the years of memories we have of both Betty Jo and Keitha. They will be truly missed.

Linares, Ramirez, and Banda Families - January 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ May God wrap your family in his arms of love in your time of sorrow.

Susan Wills - January 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ I could say a lot about Betty Jo, but the one thing that stands out in my mind was her message on heaven and to "Be There." She ended many letters that way. Two words written as an invitation -- a plead -- to come to Christ and to make sure we were ready so that heaven would be our home one day. Betty Jo, you, along with other saints that have gone on before you, have crossed over to the other side. Because of your life and the seeds that you planted, many will follow and will one day "be there" as well. We will NEVER forget you.

Mark and Mary Ann McNulty - January 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ THE MEMORIES WE HAVE OF BETTY JO ARE SO COMFORTING. SHE WAS A VERY SPECIAL PERSON. WHEN YOU SPOKE WITH HER SHE MADE YOU FEEL LIKE YOU WERE IN GODS HANDS. GOD BLESS THE FAMILY

THE CARTER FAMILY - January 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Shock, Disbelief, Sadness for your family, may everyone persevere

Jimmy Havelka - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DI

“ I will never forget walking into LWCS and meeting Betty Jo. I have to admit she was a firecracker, but showed us tough love and gave us the support we needed to shape us into the adults we are today. I will never forget the many blessings Pastor Frank and Betty Jo gave to not only me and my brother but many around the community. I am so honored to have known Betty Jo and forever cherish the memories we have shared. I love you always and my deepest sympathy and love to the family.

Diedre - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ Gene and family,
I am speechless and shocked and saddened to learn of Betty Jo's and Keitha's struggle in the pitch blackness of night. May their light continue to shine in all of us and bring to your hearts a calm, comfort and heartfelt peace.

Sharon Wallingford - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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Sharon Wallingford - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ My Granddaughter Anna Ortiz Vincent invited me to a Mother/Daughter Breakfast at the church. I was so awed by the love and fellowship that surrounded you there. I was very fortunate to have met Betty Jo and her Daughter Keitha that morning. What really stands out in my memory is Betty Jo's laughter and bubbly personality. She just radiated Gods love. Words can never express my sympathy for this family and their friends only God can give the ultimate comfort. I will close with this thought. I feel truly blessed that I was able to meet and share love and laughter with Mother/Daughter for a day.
Mary Louise Benefield
I

Mary Benefield - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ BJ is one of those people who stands out from the rest when I look back at my time in LWCS. Her voice could stop you in your tracks, her authority unwavering, and she was always very frank. I loved this about her, I always knew where I stood. As a teenager I often felt like grown-up's didn't "get" me or see who I really was/who I wanted to be -- Mrs. Frank always did, she saw to the core. With everyone. And she knew what people needed, whether it was direction or inspiration or to be confronted or comforted. I will always remember this about her and it will always inspire me to be the same way, to ask God to help me look INTO people instead of AT them, and to be a lighthouse and cornerstone for everyone He brings into my life.

Strong prayers and constant solidarity to the Frank family as they begin a new path together. You are all in my heart today.

Chris Alwell - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ It is still unbelievable that Betty Jo and her daughter were taken away in such a brutal way. We will always be thankful to Betty Jo for her contribution when our daughter Lydia was hurt in the motorcycle accident two and a half years ago. Betty Jo prayed constantly for her life until Lydia was safe. We are eternally grateful. We will pray for the families, for the children and adults that God will give you his strength and his peace.

Tone Grethe and Knut Ivar Hagen - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ The memory our family has of Betty Jo Frank is that she lived each day to the fullest, honoring God with her words and actions. She is a humble servant leader that daily sought to inspire and encourage others. Whether fellowshiping with LWCS/CLW friends at Christian Fun Day, cheering on her beloved Challenger sports teams, speaking to and praying over the flock at CLW, bragging on and loving on her family, she lived to bring glory and honor to her Lord Jesus Christ and to make real the Trinity. Her legacy and impact reaches far beyond Fort Bend County. We are truly thankful and blessed that she reached out to us and lived a life worthy of being remembered as good and faithful.

To Gene, Darren and the Frank/Ashley families, we extend our prayers and love to you. You shared your help meet and mother with a world that needed her touch. Thank you and may God's comfort and peace strengthen you in the days to come.

Rick and Jeanette Burkholder - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CC

“ Our hearts grieve for the Frank family. You're in our prayers. Blessings, Catherine and Don Clark, Taylor Ray Elementary

Catherine Clark - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AC

“ THE MEMORIES ARE GREAT AND YOUR LOVE WAS NEVERENDING.I WILL ALWAYS LOVE AND REMEMBER BETTY JO FOR HER WAY OF STRAIGHT FORWARDNESS. TILL WE MEET AGAIN MY FRIEND.

Anita Carlson - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ YOUR FAMILY IS IN OUR PRAYERS.BETTY JO ONCE HELPED ME DURING A TRYING TIME. SHE WILL ALWAYS BE IN MY PRAYERS & HEART. GOD BLESS YOUR FAMILY.

ROSEMARY CARTER - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SE

“ Gene and Family may god comfort and heal you in your time of tragedy. I have thought of you many times over the years. I have many fine memories of Church of Living Waters and you and Betty Jo. I attended from 1981 to 1983. After moving back to Houston often thought of going to Rosenberg to see you both. Thanks Gene for all you and Betty Jo did.

Steven Eden - December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ I will always remember and give thanks to God for Betty Jo as His instrument in my life. From our first church service at Taylor Ray High thru all the years following, Betty yielded herself to the ministry of the Holy Spirit and my life like so many others was changed. She leaves a legacy behind of being one who devoted her life to God's purpose in touching the world around her. The world was a better place because of her and her choice to serve her Heavenly Father faithfully. She will be missed by many. I rejoice in that she's now in the presence of her Heavenly Father praising Him forevermore. She's home.

Ronnie Babin - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ May the Lord bless each of you during this time of loss and may you find comfort in the arms of God. Isaiah 57:1

Rev. David & Shirley Shows - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ Pastor Frank, I want to extend our prayers and sympathy to your family. I remember when I was a young girl and my dad and I started going to the church when you were in the school. Your family was always so kind to us. I remember one of the first bibles I've rec'd had been given to me by Betty Jo for Mother's Day b/c she knew how much I missed my mom after she had died. It has been years since we've talked to you all, but you guys were such an influence in my spiritual walk. My dad, Bishop Clay, and our family will continue to pray for you all as you heal.

Elizabeth Clay McGee - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PT

“ *Betty Jo was a wonderful woman of God. She loved the people of God and loved children, especially her grandchildren. You and Keitha will greatly be missed by all who knew you because you were both lovely people. Your bright smiles will be missed but thank God, you are with your maker and at the Master's feet. May the Lord, through His Holy Spirit bring comfort, peace and restoration to the family, Church and school you left behind. Jesus is Lord!*

Pastor Tope - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GP

“ *What an impact Gene and Betty Jo have had in multiple communities due to their selfless giving! Starting churches, taking into their own home those who were hurting or without homes, pouring out their hearts and lives into others. Thank God for Betty Jo's life. Her impact in this world continues.*

Frank and Ashley families... We love you all and have many fond memories of our 11 years at Church of Living Waters with you. We mourn with you at this senseless loss. Please lean on the Body of Christ and draw on their comfort and giftings. We pray that, in time, God will give each of you a peace that passes all understanding.

Geoff and Holly Perry - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AA

“ *Its amazing how such dear people are taken so quickly from our lives, from thier homes, and from thier families. Betty Jo Frank was the sweetest, strong hearted spirit filled, forgiving and loving woman. I will miss her deeply. I give my thanks you her because she gave me a chance to attend LWCS, and I would not be here today if it wasnt for her and her words of encouragement. Keitha was a kind and beautiful woman, I am speechless. My prayers go out to Darren Frank/ and Ashley family I can only say is to be strong, and know that they are in a better place. Take care of those babies, and please give them my love...*

Angela Adams - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. You were an inspiration and a fine example of the human spirit. May God bless and keep you.*

Bob Klepac Family - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EL

“ *I was so very sorry to hear of the passing of Betty Jo and Keitha. My son, Chad Turman, graduated from LWCS about 11 years ago, and the great influence of everyone there continued to set the strong Christian way of living he pursued. I will always be very grateful for that. Sadly, Chad was killed in a car accident on Oct. 18; the Franks' were there at his viewing. I know God has them all now and is so joyous to have them with Him. May God give the family the strength and blessings they need during this very sad time. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Elaine Lindemann - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ I am so thankful for the season I had with Betty Jo, Pastor Gene & the family of Church of Living Waters. Just as she did with so many, she imparted seeds into my life that have & continue to produce eternal fruit. She "stored up treasures in heaven". I'm grateful for fresh revelation she BOLDLY declared & still quote many of her teachings. Betty Jo allowed me to serve in areas I didn't think I was qualified & taught me, "God qualifies the CALL." I have many "funny" memories just from the short 7 years my family served there! I commit to intercede for this amazing family & the body of Church of Living Waters. Thank you Frank family for always going the second mile, TRUE bond servants to our Lord Jesus Christ.

Lois de Armas - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ Pastors Gene, Darren, Gamila and family: We are so sad and sorry to hear about Betty Jo and Keitha. Yet we are are thankful to have known them. We attended the church from 96-98. We appreciate the investment of time and wisdom into our lives that Betty Jo gave. Our prayers are with you all.

Nathan and Destini Clifton - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Mr Frank,
We are so sorry to hear of your loss. You and your family are and will be forever in our prayers. I always thought of you and Mrs. Frank as our other parents. You accepted us as your own. If there is anything you need, you know that I am a phone call away. God bless.

Philip Aguilar & Family - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ it was an honor and a priviledge to work with her during the recent operation give thanks. she blessed me with her visible determination to make a difference for christ. i will never forget that.

anthony ray becerra - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ The Franks had such an impact on our community and we grieve with them. God Bless!

Dana Duke - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ May God bless your family

Debra Dancy - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ Dear Frank Family,
My prayers are with you even at this time. Pastor Betty Jo's dynamic ministry impacted me with its truth and anointed power. Rev. Frank, I grieve with you for the personal loss of your wife and daughter. Darren, I pray that the God of all comfort console you during this loss of your mother and sister. May God strengthen you and your family during this difficult time.

Mella Jean Davis - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you all as you go through this. May God give comfort to the loved ones of Betty Jo and Keitha as you grieve this terrible loss.

Jennifer Rostomily Johnson - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of grief and i extend my deepest sympathy.*

Jim Davis - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *Gene and Darren, There is an unbelief in my heart and mind as I realize that Betty Jo and Keitha are gone. There are no words to express the thankfulness I have in my heart for the doors opened at the school for using my talents. As the years have passed, I have continued to expand upon these doors. May the Lord bless you, hold you, and surround you with love in all the following days.*
Linda Hill

Linda L. Hill - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ *Sis Betty Jo will be greatly missed. She was such an inspiration to many people. Her faithful walk with the Lord was such great example to those who new her. She gave my wife a prophetic word about our marriage and today we are still together 21 yrs later. Our prayers are with the family, and may they walk in the comfort of the Spirit of God*

Melvin and Paula Daniels - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May the love of God carry your broken hearts through this painful time and may the Holy Spirit give you peace and comfort.*

John and Patricia Flores - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ We will miss Betty Jo and Keitha. Truly some of God's best. We are praying for Gene, Daren and the children.
With our love,
Gary and Lora

Gary and Lora Mathews - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ No one is ever prepared for a tragedy like this and we are at a loss for words. We have earnestly prayed for God's peace to completely surround you. Our hearts truly ache for you and your family. May you be drawn to God's side and engulfed with his love and peace. You will continually be in our thoughts and prayers.

Garlan & Judie Shows - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BC

“ Pastor Gene and family,
Remembering Betty Jo and her passionate love for Jesus. So very sorry for this great loss. Am praying for all of you in the days ahead.
Bubba

Bubba Chambers - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ Our hearts and prayers are with you. May Jesus cover you with a divine cloak of comfort and peace. God be with you all.

Christy Lindblade Terrel - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ I am deeply sadden to hear of this terrible loss to the Frank and Ashley family. My thoughts and prayers are with you in this time of sorrow. May the Lord give you strength and courage to get through this difficult time.

Jessica Miller Laughlin - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Betty Jo Frank, my adopted by love Mother for over 36 years & Keitha my sister I am absolutely heart broken over this shocking I received a text message from Betty Jo on Christmas Day & was looking forward to seeing her this week to get a big hug & to rub her shoulders. Betty Jo has always been an inspiration to me & she is the one who lead me to the Jesus on a Tuesday night, January 23, 1974 at First Baptist Church of Rosenberg. Betty Jo taught me honesty, love & how to worship God. To see her dance before the Lord with her special, beautiful smile blessed my heart & you could always feel the joy & God's love shining from Betty Jo. I loved Betty Jo with all my heart. We have a lot of teachings she has left for us & I will be listening to all of them over & over again, to hear her sweet, happy voice & to receive the blessings from her teachings. Betty Jo was one of a kind & she did God's work daily her on earth. I miss her!

Michelle Puckett - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ *It was with a great sense of loss My Moma and I heard of what happened to Betty Jo and Keitha and we were in shock!!*

We/I wanted to let you know that you have our/my greatest sympathy, and our/my heart

Betty Jo was more than just a wonderful person; she was always so kind and considerate to us and so many others that we always welcomed seeing her at every opportunity.

And, we know that her passing will not only leave a void in our lives, but in the hearts of all those who knew her. Betty Jo will always remain within our hearts, and we have included Betty Jo and you in our daily prayers. May God give you strength.

If there is anything that we can do to help you in anyway, please do not hesitate to call us at anytime. You can phone either of us at 713-416-4973 even if it is only to talk.

Our sincere thoughts and prayers are with you.

With our deepest sympathy, Randall and Michelle Puckett

Randall Puckett - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

NG

“ *I am so saddened by this terrible loss, words cannot even describe. I want to thank the Frank family for accepting me into their school and for helping me to know the Lord. My spritual walk began there and continues today, thanks to Betty Jo, Gene and Darren Frank. Although it has been years since I have graduated from LWCS your memories are still with me everyday. My thoughts and prayers are with you and may God give you peace and understanding through this terrible tragedy.*

Nichole Mitchell Gamble - December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TQ

“ *Your family will be in my prayers.*

Tim Quimby - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *The Frank family were instrumental in my life and that of my children for many years. They helped me through a very difficult season in my life. My thoughts and prayers are now to those left behind. I pray that God will fill the void left by this unexpected loss of both of these women.*

Barbara Wallace Hall - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ *I have fond memories of Bro. Gene, Betty Jo and family, during my Jr. High Years at Wallis Baptis Church where my Dad was the Spanish Pastor. It didn't take our hearts long to be tied to theirs, because of the Love of God that was shown to all they encountered. Their smiles were as bright as the sun and their hearts were bigger than life. Truly people of influence and God so entrusted them to continue the work He had begun in them as they moved to Rosenberg, Tx. Our hearts are grieved with yours for the loss of these precious ones!! Frank family and Church of Living Waters, just know you have the body of Christ praying in Georgia and I'm sure all over the world as you walk down this long, hard road, but remember HE IS WITH YOU and HE IS CARRYING YOU NOW!! THE GOOD WORK HE HAS BEGUN IN YOU, HE WILL PERFECT UNTIL THE DAY OF CHRIST!!!*

Delia Reyes-Cooper - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DY

“ Our prayers are with you, Mr. Frank, Darren and the grandchildren. May God give you the peace and strength to get through such a difficult time. Betty Jo will be missed within the community but never forgotten. Debby & Haley Yates

Debby&Haley Yates - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ It's hard to describe how devastating this news is...we pray for the peace of God which transcends all understanding. Our thoughts and prayers are with Pastor Frank, the Frank family, The Church of Living Waters, and the entire Rosenberg community.

James and Flora Cruz - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ Our hearts are heavily burdened with this awful tragedy we will miss you both. We will be praying for your families and friends that are facing this great loss. And that those left behind have the freedom to grieve in their own way

Richard & Katy Linares - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ I am devastated by this tragedy, two young lives taken before their time. I have numerous great memories that will forever be cherished, both from attending LWCS & The Church of Living Waters. I am the person I am today because of the Frank family. They have touched & blessed so many lives, and both women will be greatly missed. Thank you Betty Jo & Keitha for your love, support, understanding, & smiles throughout the years, and thank you even more for spreading the Word of God to us. Sending all of my love & prayers....

Lindsey Andel - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Betty Jo Frank was one of the most extraordinary women I've ever known. Filled with love, mercy, grace and the Holy Spirit. When I think of Betty Jo, I remember the very early days when she and Gene first started their Bible Study in their home, way back in the '70's. I attended regularly, and learned so much from them, but most of all, I experienced the love of God they extended to everyone who came into their home.

I was grief-stricken when I heard of Betty Jo's and Keitha's passings, and they and the family have been in my prayers since Sunday.

May God, by the power of His Holy Spirit uphold you, grant you mercy, peace and strength to endure these days, until you see Him face to face. You all are loved by so many, but most of all, you're loved and cherished by the One who will sustain you in every way. You all will be in my prayers these days, and in the future. In God's most abounding and abiding love to you,

Paula Shaw - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ BETTY WAS SUCH AN INSPIRATIONAL WOMAN OF FAITH. SHE HAS TOUCHED MANY LIVES AND HER SPIRIT WILL CONTINUE TO LIVE ON IN THE CHURCH AND SCHOOL..... YOU AND KEITHA NOW HAVE THE BEST SEAT IN THE HOUSE, TO WATCH OVER THE KIDS.....FOREVER YOU WILL BE MISSED....

BIANCA GONZALEZ - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ I first came to know Betty when I worked at the doctor's office. There I met both her and her husband. Unbeknowing to the doctor, we the Franks and I would hold a mini prayer session in the room before the doctor came in. I didn't have the privelege to know their daughter, but I did know the son who passed away. My condolenses go out to the family as well as my prayers. Rest in God.

Angela Jones - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ I have many fond memories and found inspiration during my time with the Franks at Living Water.

Prayers for peace, healing and comfort to Pastor Gene, the entire Frank/Ashley family, especially the children scarred by this horrible tragedy.

Mike Butler - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Thoughts and prayers are with you.

Jennifer Rorick - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Gene and Darren: I remember so many good times with Betty Jo and Keitha. My heart is with you at this time and I look back at lots of good memories with all of your family. I know that God will grant you peace and hope for the future. Brenda Clark Harrison

Brenda Clark Harrison - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AU

“ *May God give you all the strength needed in such a difficult time. My thoughts and prayers go out to the Frank family. The community is praying for you all. Im so sorry for your loss.*

AudieB. - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Words are truly inadequate to express my grief and great sorrow at such a loss of precious life as Betty Jo and her daughter. May The Comforter come alongside her husband, son and his wife, all of the grandchildren and other relatives and minister His comfort abundantly and lovingly.*

Judith Berl - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ *Darren, I know your heart is broken, but God will give you the strength to bear this burden. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Brenda Dresner - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RJ

“ *Mrs. Frank,
Words cannot express the pain and sadness I feel. I want you to know that you and your family will always be in my heart and prayers.
Thank You so much for your ministry.*

God Bless

Robert Klepac Jr - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ You will be greatly missed! Our prayers go out to the Frank family.

Luis & Isabel Davila Jr. - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RA

“ Pastor Frank, Darren and Family, May our Heavenly Father give you the strength you need as you face this tragedy. Our prayers and thoughts are with you all.

Roger & Rose Mary Alwell - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

FN

“ The sadness that surrounds the passing of Betty Jo is hard to comprehend. My prayers are with all your family and loved ones. I loved to listen to Betty Jo talk of her faith and stories of travel as she and Pastor Frank carried out the work of sharing the Lord. May this same strength and belief that your family has shared with so many help each of you in the passing days. You are in my prayers today and always.

*In Christian love-
Fran Naylor and family*

Fran Naylor - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

IZ

“ I can't believe so many years have gone by since we last saw the Frank family, But we still hold them dear to our hearts. Pastors Betty Jo and Gene loved coming to the house for Mexican food and good fellowship. I loved to see Betty Jo laugh it was contagious, as for Keitha, I thought she was the most beautiful blond blue eyed little girl I'd ever seen. As Pastors, the Franks stood by us during the deaths of our children. We love the Franks. you're in our thoughts and prayers. May the peace of God Strengthen you now, as you have strengthened others.
Irene & Lucas Zepeda.

Irene Zepeda & Lucas Zepeda - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ My heart is grieving the loss of Betty Jo. I remember the impact she and Gene had on my life when as a child I attended the Christian Coffee Houses they hosted from their own home every weekend. They had a passion for Christ and for people. Even then they were involved in helping those that others would not trouble themselves to help. The Franks' meaningful impact extended to my own child while a student at Living Waters Christian School. You touched many lives, Betty Jo.

Julia Arnold Thomas - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

FF

“ Our family is happy and fortunate to have known the Franks. I along with my whole family were saved at one of Rev.Gene's revivals @ the Baptist church in Brookshire, Texas in the early 70's and for that we will be eternally grateful.

We love you and are holding the family and church up in prayer.

Betty Jo and Keitha will be greatly missed.

Isaiah 41:10

Peace and comfort be unto you in Jesus Name.

The Munoz family

Faustino Munoz & Family - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. It is truly inspirational to hear all the amazing things people have to say about this wonderful family.

Becky Reeh - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ Betty Jo Frank always had a smile and generous spirit for all who knew her. My children attended LWCS 8 years ago and Betty Jo was a blessing to my family. I will be praying for her family as they mourn the loss of such a beautiful, caring mother and wife. People all over the world were touched by her generous spirit and faith in GOD.

cathy mingino - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the Franks family on this sad occasion. God bless.

Jay & Diane Shepard - December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ *My prayers are with you during your time of sorrow. My God continue to bless you with the strength that you are need of. Love Rosie Williams and family.*

Rose Pickens - December 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ *I will miss Betty Jo and the community has lost a great woman of God. My prayers are with the family of Betty Jo. Only God can comfort us all through this horrible event. Trust in the Lord with all your heart...He is our comfort during this time of grief. Your family has a big place in my heart. Soon and very soon we are going to have a great reunion. Can't wait....The King is Coming to Town.*

Pam Snyder - December 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM