



Melissa Jane Brannon

June 15, 1956 - January 16, 2020

Melissa Jane Brannon, 63, passed away at her home in Richmond on Thursday, January 16, 2020. She was born on June 15th, 1956, at USAF Hospital Burderop Park in Chiseldon, England to Technical Sergeant Clarence Hilbert Godfrey and Helen Jane Campos (nee Hayden.)

She was preceded in death by her parents and two younger sisters, Laurie Ann Godfrey of Beeville, and Rebecca Lynn Sexton (nee Godfrey) of Macon, GA. Her survivors include her husband of 37 years, Gregory James Brannon of Richmond, Tx., daughter Sarah Gene Brannon of Houston, sister Cindy Joynt (nee Godfrey) of Pittsburgh, PA; three nieces, four nephews, three great-nieces, and one great-nephew.

Melissa lived a storied life, including being the first female automotive department manager of Arkansas City, Kansas Montgomery Ward; attending college during this time for carpentry; before finally building her career as a teaching paraprofessional in Beeville, Tx. Where She met her husband and started a new journey. Then at Lamar ISD in Rosenberg, Tx.. She was known to be passionate for her special needs fifth graders at Bowie Elementary, with a focus in earth science, for over fifteen years before taking early retirement for health reasons.

At the same time, she was a proud Mother. Some of her hobbies over the years included recreational fishing and gardening both vegetables and exotic flowers. She was an avid reader of authors such as Dean Koontz, Mark Twain and Stephen King, and enjoyed games such as Scrabble and trivia. Melissa

Loved to Listen to Music of All Sorts. She was a proud, devout Baptist to the end. She was reunited with her Lord and her loved ones

Memorial service will be held Tuesday, January 28th, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. in the Chapel at Davis Greenlawn Funeral Home. The family will receive friends from 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday until service time.

Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries created a Tribute Video in memory of Melissa Jane Brannon*



Davis Greenlawn Funeral Chapel and Cemeteries - January 24, 2020 at 03:38 PM

TT

Beautiful tribute, beautiful lady, and a shining light to all she loved. She will be missed by all who knew her.

Terry Turner - January 25, 2020 at 12:15 AM

AA

“ *I am so very sorry to hear of her passing. 😞 I have many good childhood memories of growing up next to such wonderful people as Greg and Missy. I only find comfort in the fact that she is flying high with Jesus now and can look down upon us and watch over her family. You will be missed dearly.*



Amy Anhaizer - February 23, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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“ Terry Turner lit a candle in memory of Melissa Jane Brannon



Terry Turner - February 17, 2020 at 10:26 AM

JW

“ Missy Brannon Your Wings Were Ready But My Heart Was Not💔💔
You have meant so much to me and always will, The fact that you are no longer here will always sadden me But you are forever in my Heart until we meet again🙏
“There Are No Goodbyes. Where Ever You’ll be, You’ll be in Our Hearts”💋

Julia Wolverton - January 29, 2020 at 07:16 PM

AJ

“ Our family is praying for you Greg and Sarah and all the Brannon family and friends of Missy Brannon. We loved Missy very much. She was such a joy to everyone she knew. Missy is in Heaven with Jesus and all her family members that went to Heaven before her. We will keep all the Brannon family and friends in our thoughts and prayers. Love to you all. Darryl, Amelia and Ryan Johnson. Amelia Johnson is Edna Godfrey's daughter and Karen Spurlin's Sister.



Amelia Johnson - January 28, 2020 at 11:41 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Melissa Jane Brannon.



January 26, 2020 at 11:20 PM



“ Missy was one of my clients at Parkland Kennel way back when. She then fell in love with my poodles and has a toy poodle I bred. Cesar, I think? She was always so sweet and friendly and friended me not too long ago on Facebook. I had no idea she had passed away.

Dawn Zack - January 24, 2020 at 02:30 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Melissa Jane Brannon.



January 23, 2020 at 11:44 PM



“ Our hearts go out to Greg, Sarah and the rest of the family. I was fourtunate to get to know Missy through texts and Facebook messages over the last few years. She was always one of my biggest supporters and I will miss her sweet messages. Her faith was strong and I am positive she is now in Heaven. God bless!

Tina Sansone - January 21, 2020 at 01:05 PM