



Kalena Kay Crews

December 19, 1969 - July 17, 2018

Services for Kalena Kay Crews, age 48 of Lindale, are scheduled for 2:30 PM Saturday, July 21, 2018 at the First Baptist Church in Lindale with Pastor Tom Buck and Pastor Bryan Grant officiating. Interment will follow in the Harris Chapel Cemetery with services under the direction of Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home in Lindale. Kalena passed away Tuesday, July 17, 2018 in Lindale. She was born December 19, 1969 in Tyler. Kalena graduated from Lindale High School in 1988, Tyler Junior College in 1993 and U.T. Tyler. She was a member of Green Acres Baptist Church where she attended Sunday School, was a member of the Singles Class, and was involved in missions. Kalena worked for East Texas Medical Center in Tyler for over 21 years and was working case management for Hospice of East Texas.

She is survived by her children, Hannah Kay Crews of Lindale; Benham Leon Crews of Lindale; parents, Jerry and Merran Crews of Lindale; sister, Ladana Crews of Lindale; brother, Jeff Crews and wife, Whitney of Lindale; grandmother, Doris Holder of Seymour; 2 nieces, Kelsey and Makenna Crews of Lindale; great nephew, Eli Crews of Lindale; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM Friday, July 20, 2018 at the Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home in Lindale.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **20**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home
206 West South Street
Lindale, TX 75771
(903) 882-3141
jeff@crdfh.com

Service

JUL **21**. 2:30 PM (CT)

Lindale First Baptist Church
105 Hubbard Street
Lindale, TX 75771

Tribute Wall



“ *Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - July 19, 2018 at 10:38 PM

DG

Always loved her beautiful smile. Rest in peace my friend.

Debra Books Gill - July 20, 2018 at 09:48 AM



“ *Kalena Kay Crews*

October 05, 2023 at 02:48 AM



“ *Kalena Kay Crews*

October 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM



“ *Prayers for the family.*



Beverly Garrett Melvin - July 23, 2018 at 01:48 PM

AM

“ Amy lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Amy - July 21, 2018 at 12:12 AM

GB

“ The world has lost a bright light! Kalena's amazing love for others will live on forever. My heart goes out to her family and loved ones. Prayers are ongoing for them. Just look at all the love here for her! She will be tremendously missed. I enjoyed my years working with her at GABC in the singles ministry and was blessed to have her as my Sunday school teacher. Gaye Boynton

Gaye Boynton - July 20, 2018 at 03:56 PM

JC

“ Justin, Jennifer, Hannah, and Brandon Carlisle purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.



Justin, Jennifer, Hannah, and Brandon Carlisle - July 20, 2018 at 03:47 PM

SK

“ My heart and mind are overwhelmed with the pain Kalena was carrying . We have lost a sweet friend, and will so miss her. I loved it when staff would say Kalena was my niece then Viann, Kalena and I would smile and explain it was Vi. I always claimed her as mine. One of my forever memories is Kalena walking up the hallway with that red hair, big smile, dimples and sharing a hug. My heart and prayers with Kalena’s sweet family Merren, Jerry, Jeff, Ladanna, children and family. Love ya’ll

Sybil Kleam - July 20, 2018 at 02:27 PM

MW

“ Remembering my precious friend & that infectious smile💕💕



Melissa Williams - July 20, 2018 at 12:08 PM

SK

“ I loved when many of the hospital staff thought I was Kalena’s Aunt. I always claimed her and loved it but with Viann and Kalena beside me smiling, we would explain. My heart and mind hurts for Kalena’s pain but I know Kalena is in our Lord’s Arms with peace. My thoughts and prayers are constantly with all of Kalena’s sweet family, Merren , Jerry, Jeff, LaDana , children and family . My memory is our little red head walking up with that smile , sharing a hug.

Sybil Kleam - July 20, 2018 at 11:52 AM

SG

“ *Syble Glasscock lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Syble Glasscock - July 20, 2018 at 07:33 AM

SG

A very special person, sweet smile and caring personality. I remember her days working with the GA Girls and how they respected her. Prayers for the family.

Syble Glasscock - July 20, 2018 at 07:36 AM

BS

“ *Brenda Sikes lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Brenda Sikes - July 20, 2018 at 07:18 AM

BA

“ *Beniece Aguilar lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Beniece Aguilar - July 20, 2018 at 07:16 AM

RE

“ Ruby Echols lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Ruby Echols - July 20, 2018 at 12:28 AM



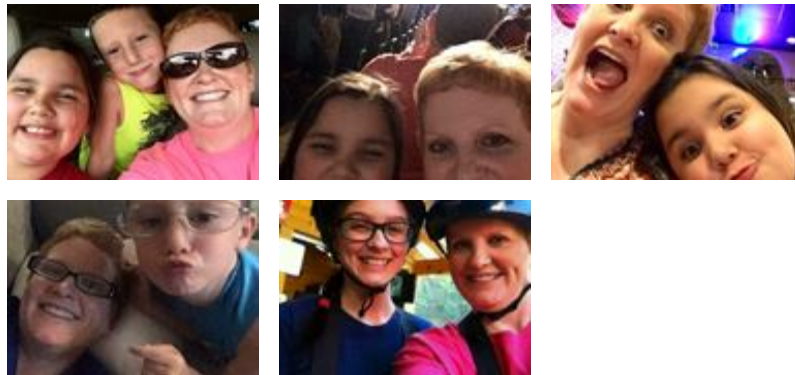
“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.



July 19, 2018 at 11:34 PM



“ 46 files added to the album Life Tributes



Caudle-Rutledge-Daugherty Funeral Home - July 19, 2018 at 09:28 PM

AV

“ *Amy Vaughan lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Amy Vaughan - July 19, 2018 at 08:04 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.*



July 19, 2018 at 07:56 PM

RW

“ *Reagan Walls lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Reagan Walls - July 19, 2018 at 07:21 PM

DB

“ *Debbie And Jerry Barnett lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Debbie and Jerry Barnett - July 19, 2018 at 06:56 PM

MM

“ *Kalena was a warm, wonderful girl with so much strength. So very sorry for your loss of such a loving lady.* ”



Mary McLean - July 19, 2018 at 06:15 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.* ”



July 19, 2018 at 05:01 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.* ”



July 19, 2018 at 04:54 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.* ”



July 19, 2018 at 12:54 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.* ”



July 19, 2018 at 12:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.* ”



July 19, 2018 at 12:03 PM



“ *DEALVA WATERS lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews* ”



DEALVA WATERS - July 19, 2018 at 11:34 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.* ”



July 19, 2018 at 11:05 AM

TH

“ Tyler ContinueCARE Hospital purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.



Tyler ContinueCARE Hospital - July 19, 2018 at 10:23 AM

 Kim Lindsay

“ I will always remember your beautiful smile and contagious laugh. Much love and prayers to the entire Crews family.



Kim Lindsay - July 19, 2018 at 10:15 AM

BB

“ Becky Bristol lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Becky Bristol - July 19, 2018 at 10:11 AM

BB

So sorry for your lost. Praying for you all !

Becky Bristol - July 19, 2018 at 10:12 AM

RM

“ Rhonda Mladan lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Rhonda Mladan - July 19, 2018 at 10:05 AM

DG

“ Debra Books Gill sent a virtual gift in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Debra Books Gill - July 19, 2018 at 07:38 AM

AH

“ AMBER SIMMS HUFF lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



AMBER SIMMS HUFF - July 19, 2018 at 06:41 AM

DM

“ Darthia Murray lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Darthia murray - July 18, 2018 at 10:02 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.*



July 18, 2018 at 09:40 PM



“ *Karen Adams lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Karen Adams - July 18, 2018 at 09:16 PM



“ *I appreciated Kalena's sweet smile, and quick wit. I worked with her in the admissions department at Hospice of East Texas. Blessings of peace and comfort to her family. Nancy Haygood RN*

Nancy Haygood - July 18, 2018 at 09:07 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.*



July 18, 2018 at 08:35 PM

GS

“ *Gloria Smith lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Gloria Smith - July 18, 2018 at 08:07 PM



“ *Lajuanda Morrow lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Lajuanda Morrow - July 18, 2018 at 07:29 PM

RP

“ *Rockie Hughes Preuss lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Rockie Hughes Preuss - July 18, 2018 at 07:12 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.*



July 18, 2018 at 06:28 PM

AN

“ *Praying for the family. She is an amazing woman and will be greatly missed. I am blessed to have known her. May God comfort you during this time.* ”



angie - July 18, 2018 at 06:14 PM

MG

“ *My heart is broken for you guys! I love you all very much and I am praying God's love and comfort will completely carry you through this sad time.* ”

Marla Gilbreath - July 18, 2018 at 05:53 PM



“ *Aaron Bunch lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews* ”



Aaron Bunch - July 18, 2018 at 05:50 PM



“ *Jean Crews lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews* ”



Jean Crews - July 18, 2018 at 05:26 PM

CC

“ Clayton N. Crews lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



clayton n. crews - July 18, 2018 at 03:56 PM

KS

“ Kim Smith lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



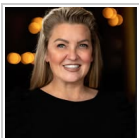
Kim Smith - July 18, 2018 at 03:41 PM

LM

“ Lynn McKinney lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Lynn McKinney - July 18, 2018 at 03:22 PM



“ Kristina Hastings lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Kristina Hastings - July 18, 2018 at 03:02 PM

RS

“ Rodney Smiley lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Rodney Smiley - July 18, 2018 at 01:59 PM



“ Vicki Fox lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Vicki Fox - July 18, 2018 at 01:23 PM

KP

“ Prayers for the entire crews family.



kerry poole - July 18, 2018 at 01:13 PM

CB

“ Carole Burroughs lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Carole Burroughs - July 18, 2018 at 12:54 PM

SH

“ *Susan Lenderman Helmer lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



susan lenderman helmer - July 18, 2018 at 12:22 PM

TF

“ *The Speerly Family lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



The Speerly Family - July 18, 2018 at 12:22 PM

WA

“ *Wade & Karen Allen lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Wade & Karen Allen - July 18, 2018 at 11:45 AM

LB

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*



Leslie Bowdoin - July 18, 2018 at 11:44 AM

BB

“ *Brenda Baquet lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Brenda Baquet - July 18, 2018 at 11:42 AM

LR

“ *Liz Reeves lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Liz Reeves - July 18, 2018 at 11:38 AM

JP

“ *Jan Partney lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Jan Partney - July 18, 2018 at 11:16 AM

KD

“ *Karen Damon lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Karen Damon - July 18, 2018 at 10:53 AM

RP

“ Rickey & Stephanie Parker purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Kalena Kay Crews.



Rickey & Stephanie Parker - July 18, 2018 at 10:29 AM

TM

“ Tracy McDaniel lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Tracy McDaniel - July 18, 2018 at 09:45 AM

DP

“ Don & Milinda Pinson lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Don & Milinda Pinson - July 18, 2018 at 09:44 AM

DC

“ Danielle & David Carlisle lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews



Danielle & David Carlisle - July 18, 2018 at 09:34 AM

CM

“ *Cody Moore lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Cody Moore - July 18, 2018 at 09:28 AM

DB

“ *Dennis Bodiford lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*

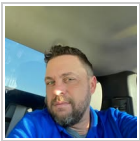


dennis bodiford - July 18, 2018 at 09:25 AM

DB

Words cannot express our sorrow at this time.

dennis bodiford - July 18, 2018 at 09:26 AM



“ *Clayton Crews lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Clayton Crews - July 18, 2018 at 08:11 AM

BB

“ *Brenda Hopson Baquet lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Brenda Hopson Baquet - July 18, 2018 at 07:50 AM

BB

“ *Brenda Hopson Baquet lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



Brenda Hopson Baquet - July 18, 2018 at 07:47 AM

JA

“ *JoCarroll Allen lit a candle in memory of Kalena Kay Crews*



JoCarroll Allen - July 18, 2018 at 07:45 AM

JA

Our families have been friends for a life time, our daughter Kim and Kalena started school together and were best of friends. Although we moved away for years it was as if we remained friends always when we moved back. Kalena and her family are very special people and loved the Lord with all their heart. She will be greatly missed. Fly high my friend.

JoCarroll Allen - July 18, 2018 at 07:52 AM

JA

Eddie and Jo Carroll Allen and family

JoCarroll Allen - July 18, 2018 at 07:54 AM

DM

Kalena was the CPS "foster mom" for my grandson during a very difficult time in my daughter's life. Micah was 2 or 3 years old (I think) and I was distraught about a "stranger" having him until I met Kalena. She was an angel from God to our family and I am saddened greatly at the news of her death. Sending my condolences and prayers to her family...

David McKain - July 18, 2018 at 07:13 PM

LE

“ *My heart is broken. Kalena walked with me through the toughest time of my life. She was so special.* ”

Leigh Evans - July 17, 2018 at 09:38 PM