

Pall Bearers

Jordan Blacketer
Payton Camp
Clayton Patterson

Blaine Brewer
Edward “Johnny” Martinez
Jonathan Poage



1 Corinthians 13 (Lori’s Favorite Chapter)

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.... It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.... Now we see but a poor reflection as in a mirror; then we shall see face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall know fully, even as I am fully known. And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love.

(1 Corinthians 13:4, 5, 7, 12-13)



God saw you getting tired,
When a cure was not to be,
So He closed His arms around you
And whispered, “Come to me.”
You didn’t deserve what you went through
And so He gave you rest.
God’s garden must be beautiful,
He only takes the best.
And when I saw you sleeping,
So peaceful and free from pain,
I could not wish you back
To suffer that again.
—Copied



Lori’s family wishes to express their deep appreciation for the many expressions of love and support during Lori’s illness and at this time of loss.



Memorials May Be Made To

The Lori Blakeley Medical Fund, P.O. Box 9280, Dallas, TX 75209.

In Celebration for the Life of



Lori Ann Blakeley June 20, 1985—May 4, 2005

He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak. Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall; but those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint. (Isaiah 40:29-31 NIV)

Thursday, May 12, 2005, 2:00 p.m.
First Baptist Church Sanctuary
Dallas, Texas

Lori Ann Blakeley

Lori was born in Abilene, Texas, on June 20, 1985, and was the beloved daughter of Larry and Jackie Blakeley and sister of Evan Blakeley and Leslie Blakeley Adkins.

With a dream to become a math teacher, Lori enrolled as a freshman at South Plains College in Lubbock, Texas, after completing her high school education at First Baptist Academy, where she was a cheerleader from the eighth grade through her Junior year.

Lori was full of vim and vigor! While in High School she worked part-time as a Hostess at Macaroni Grill and still found lots of time to enjoy her passion for movies and eating out with her friends.

Last November, during her first semester in college, Lori became ill with a rare form of cancer called Adrenocortical Carcinoma, and passed away on May 4, 2005.

In addition to her immediate family, Lori is survived by her maternal grandmother, Billie Becknal, Lubbock; paternal grandmother, Johnnye Blakeley, Irving; aunts, Karen Blakeley-Gallini, Dallas; Sharon Blakeley, Gainesville; Pati Stutzman, Grapevine; uncle, Mike Becknal, and wife Jamie, Lubbock; cousins, Blakeley Camp, Payton Camp, Blaine Brewer, Erin Becknal, and Katie Becknal Dannheim. Lori was preceded in death by her grandfathers, Duke Becknal, and Major Roy Blakeley (<http://www.royblakeley.name>).



A Graveside Service will follow at
Little Bethel Memorial Park, Duncanville, Texas

A Worship Service To the Glory of God and in loving Memory of

Lori Ann Blakeley

Organ Prelude	Jerry Aultman
Welcome and Invocation	George B. Davis
Congregational Hymn No. 182 "What A Friend We Have In Jesus"	Dick Kendrick
Scripture and Prayer	Valarie Owen Lori's Great Aunt
A Celebration of Lori's Life	Video/Audio Presentation
Solo "If You Could See Me Now"	Dick Kendrick
Message	Mac Brunson
Benediction	Mac Brunson
Organ Postlude	Jerry Aultman

