



## Clarissa Elizabeth Brown

August 29, 1989 - September 1, 2020

Clarissa Elizabeth Brown was born in Houston, Texas on August 29, 1989 and her young life on earth ended September 1, 2020.

Clarissa is survived by her most precious and dear gift, her son, Bronson Reeves; life partner, Bubba Cochrane, his daughter, Chelsea and son, Conner; her mother, Candace Ballard; father, Stanley Dwayne Brown and wife, Kiki; sisters, Alexandria Archer; Megan Henderson and husband, Travis; brother, Cameron Cruz; grandmother, Gloria Todesco; grandfather, Stanley Brown; great grandmother, Dicey Brown; aunt, Connie Anderson and husband, Derek; and aunt, Julie Ballard; five nieces and nephews and loving great aunts, uncles and cousins. She is preceded in death by her "Papa," her "PopPop," Uncle Lewis and Uncle Teddy.

After graduating from Katy Senior High School Clarissa became a Certified Nurse Assistant at a senior living facility and took pride in tenderly caring for the residents. She had a way with the elderly and spoke of her "little patients" fondly.

She often looked for opportunities to volunteer at church and in the community.

Clarissa was kind hearted, having a great capacity for love, and she lavished

that love on Bronson, the joy of her life. Together, they created many wonderful memories at the beach and in their many travels.

She loved traveling, the great outdoors, and rarely missed an opportunity to go four-wheeling or hunting with her dad.

Clarissa had a fun, vivacious and colorful personality with a contagious smile that would light up a room. She enjoyed the thrill of a car engine revving, dancing to music, and a great cup of coffee. She loved warm sands, big waves and beautiful sunsets. She was as gentle and passionate as she was strong. And when she loved you, you knew it. In turn, she was loved by many and will be greatly missed.

A memorial service in her honor will be held at Second Baptist Church, West Campus, in the Williams House Building on Wednesday, September 9th at 10:00 a.m.

19449 Katy Freeway, Houston, Texas 77094

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

SEP 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

Second Baptist Church, West Campus  
19449 Katy Freeway  
Houston, TX 77094

# Tribute Wall



“ *Clarissa Elizabeth Brown*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *Clarissa Elizabeth Brown*

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *Clarissa Elizabeth Brown*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM

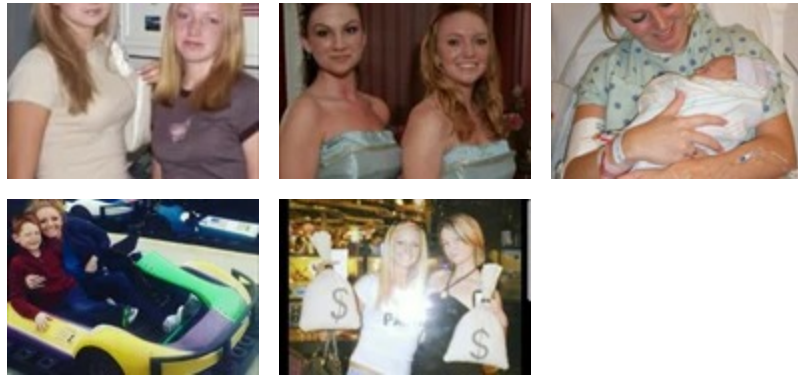


“ *Clarissa Elizabeth Brown*

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ *I love you Sissy* 🌹❤️🍼



**Sissy** - August 05, 2021 at 04:42 PM

SI

“ I miss our Sissy Time 😭



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Sissy - August 05, 2021 at 03:36 PM

SI

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🌹🌹🌹🌹 My sissy My friend My little girl My warrior. I love you. Your light Shinedowns on Bronson and the boys now, protecting them from everything we've experienced in this life. You were a true warrior of light... Hard to find away through this darkness, but you smiled through it all, looking gorgeous as you did so. I know you put your all and gave it all you got. You did more than try. You pushed and pushed until your body couldn't take anymore. To be the best mom sissy and daughter, you did it with grace and a beautiful smile on your face no matter what you were facing.



🌹 Love Always Yo Sissy 🕯️ 🌹

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Sissy - August 05, 2021 at 03:34 PM

MO

“ *Mother lit a candle in memory of Clarissa  
Elizabeth Brown*



Mother - September 30, 2020 at 08:41 PM

MO

*I miss you so much and think alot about you! I am working on the drangonfly quilt. I will give it Bronson, in memory of you!*

Mother - September 30, 2020 at 08:42 PM

MO

“ *Mother lit a candle in memory of Clarissa  
Elizabeth Brown*



Mother - September 23, 2020 at 08:50 PM

CM

“ *Clarissa,  
Bronson and I will miss your sweet smile and love that you shared  
with us every day. Our hearts break, but we know we will see you  
again in your new Angel body that is without pain. You have taught  
us to be loving and kind!  
Bronson asked, " Where is Mom now Nana?" I replied she is up  
there with God and being taught all the many wonderous lessons,  
so that she can be in God's Army. Till we meet again my sweet  
Angel!  
Love Always & Forever,  
Mom*

Candy Ballard/ Mother - September 21, 2020 at 10:41 PM



*I am so sorry to be only just now be finding out about the loss of Clarissa. We lost communication and I've tried to find a way to get in touch with her and found her obituary. I'm in shock and heartbroken. She was such a sweet soul, we became such fast friends when I moved to the island. Bronson and my daughter Rylee were friends So we connected right away. Their kindergarten year we spent so much time together! My heart breaks for Bronson. I know that he has a wonderful grandma and grandpa though! Clarissa talked a lot about you all and loved you so very much!*

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**Melissa Hofstetter Harper** - August 13, 2023 at 02:15 PM

CV

*“ I wanted to express my Condolences and Sympathy to your family in the loss of your beautiful daughter! I'm a friend of Cathy Bentley. I have always heard her talk about you and your daughter so I'm just wanting to express my sorrow. Prayers will continue to be sent! Take care and cherish your memories always!*



*Corinne Vela  
Sugarland, Texas*

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**Corinne Vela** - September 10, 2020 at 08:30 PM

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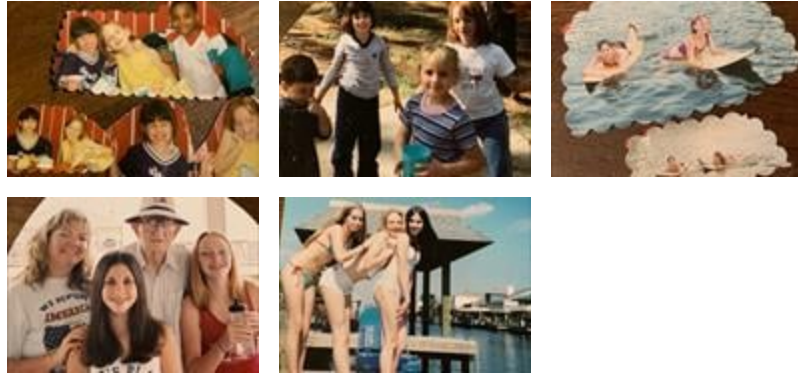
*Thank you so much Corinne! I appreciate your kind thoughts and prayers!*

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**Candy Ballard/ Mother** - September 21, 2020 at 10:32 PM

KH

“ Rest easy over the rainbow my friend. 🙏👍



**Kat Harris** - September 09, 2020 at 02:04 AM

CM

*We love you and your sweet family Kat and I know Clarissa enjoyed all the memories you both shared. Thank you for the beautiful tribute video. Love you!*

**Candy Ballard/ Mother** - September 21, 2020 at 10:34 PM

RB

“ *Candy,  
So sorry to hear about your loss. I remember her from when you would bring her to the singles events at the church. She was a beautiful girl.*

**Rick Bull** - September 08, 2020 at 03:00 PM

CM

*Robin she loved hanging out with us! She and you were so much alike, just comedians! I have a video were you and Rick came to her Birthday party! A must see. Love you Robin!*

**Candy Ballard/ Mother** - September 21, 2020 at 10:36 PM

CA

*Rick we had fun and she really enjoyed you and Robin!*

**Candy/Mother** - September 23, 2020 at 08:47 PM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.*



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September 08, 2020 at 02:53 PM



“ *Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.*



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September 08, 2020 at 02:17 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.*



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September 08, 2020 at 02:14 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.*



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September 08, 2020 at 01:40 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.*



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September 08, 2020 at 11:32 AM



“ *Clarissa,*

*Thank you for being the sweet person you are and always extending that terrific gleaming smile and welcome. You are Loved by many.*



*Until we meet n Heaven*

*Frank J. Hager*

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**Frank Hager** - September 07, 2020 at 01:08 PM



*Thank you Frank for all your love and support! God bless you!*

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**Candy Ballard/ Mother** - September 21, 2020 at 10:43 PM

CA

“ Clarissa,

*I will miss your beautiful, contagious smile.*

*I will miss your blue eyes riding shotgun.*

*I will miss our Starbucks runs.*

*I will miss our shopping days.*

*I will miss the “oh dang!” moments when Molly accidentally slips through the gate.*

*I will miss your warm hugs, your fierce love, and your kind heart.*

*I will miss our pumpkin lattes when the Fall leaves start to change.*

*I will miss seeing you always double-bundled when the Winter weather sets in.*

*I will miss seeing your freckled knees when Spring begins to blossom.*

*I will miss your sun-kissed face when the Summer sun returns.*

*Every season of every year... and every minute of every day, I love you forever until the end of time, my sweet, precious niece.*

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**Connie Anderson** - September 07, 2020 at 11:38 AM

C/

*Connie she loved you very much!*

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**Candy /Mother** - September 22, 2020 at 06:14 PM

CA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Connie Anderson** - September 07, 2020 at 12:23 AM

C/

*I remember this cute Halloween outfit! She loved it, she was a little squaw. Gloria made this. She was my little doll.*

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**Candy /Mother** - September 22, 2020 at 06:17 PM

CA

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



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**Connie Anderson** - September 07, 2020 at 12:21 AM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Connie Anderson** - September 07, 2020 at 12:03 AM

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“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



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**Connie Anderson** - September 06, 2020 at 11:59 PM

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“ 15 files added to the tribute wall



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**Connie Anderson** - September 06, 2020 at 11:55 PM

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“ 6 files added to the tribute wall



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**Connie Anderson** - September 06, 2020 at 11:20 PM

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“ 8 files added to the tribute wall



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**Connie Anderson** - September 06, 2020 at 11:07 PM

CA

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Connie Anderson** - September 06, 2020 at 10:58 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.*



September 06, 2020 at 02:45 PM



“ *Sweet Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.*



September 05, 2020 at 08:44 PM



“ *MY SINCERE CONDOLENCES TO CLARISSA'S FAMILY. CLARISSA WAS A SWEET SOUL AND I WAS HAPPY TO KNOW HER. MAY SHE REST IN PEACE AND MAY GOD BLESS HER.-----  
-- WANDA ARMSTRONG*

**Wanda S Armstrong** - September 05, 2020 at 08:04 PM



*Thank you, she is missed dearly! She was not just my daughter, but my best friend! God Bless you!*

**Candy /Mother** - September 22, 2020 at 06:19 PM



“ Beautiful Whisper was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.



September 05, 2020 at 11:57 AM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Clarissa Elizabeth Brown.



September 05, 2020 at 11:42 AM



“ Clarissa —I cherish the memory of the evening last spring, in 2019, when you and your dear mom, my cousin Candy, came to see me in *The Trip to Bountiful* in San Antonio. After the show we took pictures on the stage with Carrie’s childhood home as a backdrop. Then a group of us went to La Fogata for margaritas and conversation. I loved spending that time with you and saw your vibrant, joyous, playful spirit. What a lovely young woman you were, and I only wish you had had more time to share that radiance with everyone who loves you. I will miss you, sweet girl.

**Magda** - September 04, 2020 at 11:35 PM



We enjoyed our trip to SA! We always do my dear talented cousin! She enjoyed the play! We will have to get together again and share more good times! She will be there in spirit. Love you Magda!

**Candy /Mother** - September 22, 2020 at 06:21 PM

JB

“ Sweet Clarissa,

*Our childhood together was such an adventure and I am thankful that we got to pickup where we left off. Our young tomboy days were relived that day at the beach house and were kids again the minute we got together searching for shells and breaking them open searching for pearls. I will miss your texts to check up on me and having someone to relate to like you were able to. Your generosity, compassion, beauty, kindness, love and humor will forever live on in the lives that you touched. The memories we shared will forever be in my heart, where it is safe until we meet again.*



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**Jamie Bentley** - September 04, 2020 at 07:48 PM

C/

*Jamie you are such a sweet and smart young lady. Clarissa enjoyed time with you! She is in heaven looking over us now and learning with Jesus. She is happy with her new body and finally were she is at peace. You have really helped me more than you know!*

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**Candy /Mother** - September 22, 2020 at 06:26 PM

FM

“ *In times like these, people aren't sure what to say but I am praying for the families of Clarissa. I know she was a ray of sunshine with a smile that could brighten any room. I pray for ultimate peace for you, baby girl. God bless you all.*  
*Love, Frances M*



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**Frances Mitchell** - September 04, 2020 at 06:10 PM