



## Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark

November 21, 1965 - July 1, 2017

Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark, 51, of Katy, Texas passed away Saturday, July 1, 2017. Cynthia was born November 21, 1965 in East Orange, New Jersey to William and Theresa Seidl. She is survived by her parents; her husband of 28 years, Brent Hallmark; her sister Victoria Seidl Dewey; her nieces and nephews Christopher Dewey, Devon Norvell-Auvil, Alexis Dewey, David Norvell, Zorn Whip, and Lauren Kirkland as well as numerous extended family and dear friends.

Cynthia grew up in the Livingston, New Jersey area and, as a young girl, travelled briefly with her family in Europe. Cynthia and her family settled in Houston where she graduated from Cypress Creek High School and attended Stephen F. Austin University before beginning her administrative career in the Oil and Gas industry. She worked for such prestigious firms as BP, BHP Billiton, and Halliburton.

Cynthia was a 17 year volunteer of the Houston Live Stock Show and Rodeo's Ladies Go Texan Committee where she enjoyed working with children coming out to the rodeo. She and her husband Brent were long-time parishioners' of St. John Vianney Catholic Church where she sang in the choir.

Cynthia was a positive, energetic person who always saw the good in all of us. She was appreciative of the beauty that God gave us. Her husband acclaimed that Cynthia's most outstanding quality was that she could see the

good and beauty in everyone she ever met, even when they couldn't see it in themselves. She loved all animals especially horses, to which she was an excellent competitive equestrian rider, & her beloved pet dachshunds. She loved attending all sporting events & being with her friends in the St. John Vianney Catholic community as well as those at St. Faustina Catholic Church. Most of all she was an absolutely devoted wife to Brent, and a loving daughter, sister, aunt and friend to many of us. She was deeply loved by those who knew her and will be greatly missed.

The Hallmark family will be present to receive friends Sunday, July 9, 2017 from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM with a Vigil Service beginning at 7:00 PM at Dettling Funeral Home, 14094 Memorial Drive, Houston, TX 77079. The Mass of Christian Burial will commence Monday, July 10, 2017 at 10:30 AM at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 625 Nottingham Oaks Trail, Houston, TX 77079. A reception will follow Holy Mass on the church campus. Cynthia will be laid to rest at Katy Magnolia Cemetery.

In addition to the customary remembrances please consider donations in Cynthia's memory to the Neuroendocrine Tumor Research Foundation at [www.netrf.org](http://www.netrf.org).

# Cemetery Details

## Katy Magnolia Cemetery

6801 Franz Road  
Katy, TX 77493

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 9. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Dettling Funeral Home  
14094 Memorial Drive  
Houston, TX 77079  
(281) 497-2121  
david@dettlingfuneral.com

## Vigil Service

JUL 9. 7:00 PM (CT)

Dettling Funeral Home  
14094 Memorial Drive  
Houston, TX 77079  
(281) 497-2121  
david@dettlingfuneral.com

## **Mass Of Christian Burial**

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JUL 10. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. John Vianney Catholic Church  
625 Nottingham Oaks Trail  
Houston, TX 77079

## **Reception**

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JUL 10. 11:30 AM (CT)

St. John Vianney Catholic Church  
625 Nottingham Oaks Trail  
Houston, TX 77079

## **Graveside Service**

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JUL 10. 1:00 PM (CT)

Katy Magnolia Cemetery  
6801 Franz Road  
Katy, TX 77493

# Tribute Wall



“ *Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark*

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ *Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark*

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM

“ Many of Cynthia’s wonderful qualities could be said of others. Beautiful wise, funny, loveable and loving....but there were three things about her that I have never seen quite that way in anyone else....things unique to her. They were:

- That intent, Cynthia-serious attention she gave to whoever was with her...and to what was being said, and
- Not that she was loving and loved (she was both)....but that she KNEW she was loved. What a credit to her family and Brent.
- That smile...always genuine, seemed to radiate from within....and she managed them even in her hardest days.

*I have thought a great deal about her in recent weeks, and it came to me that God’s plan in such times is about more than the person in the center of it...it involves everyone in her orbit. Whatever His plan was for Cynthia we can assume it was fulfilled...and I’m sure that for Brent and Vicki and Mom and Dad, and others, it will continue to unfold. What I see from my very small place in her orbit is that she fully cooperated with His plan ....*

*....Through Cynthia, to show us what it looks like to be brave, to persevere, and to show us what grace in the face of adversity looks like.*

*....Through Brent, to show us what it looks like to rise up and find the best in yourself to love and care unwaveringly and unconditionally for someone else no matter the personal sacrifice.*

*....And through Cynthia’s family, to show us what it looks like to hope, to encourage, to support, to accept, to have grace in the face of loss, and to keep the enduring faith they bequeathed to her.*

*Inside Cynthia’s journey were many gifts from God to those of us who shared it in however small a way. And I know that His perpetual light was shining on her long before he took her home.*

*With love,*

*Sunni*

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**Sunni Hosemann** - July 12, 2017 at 09:15 AM

CW

“ *Cousins Kevin, Beth, Brandon and Brianna Williams purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark.*



**Cousins Kevin, Beth, Brandon and Brianna Williams** - July 08, 2017 at 11:50 PM

EC

“ *Elaine Chrisman lit a candle in memory of Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark*



**Elaine Chrisman** - July 07, 2017 at 11:54 PM

DB

“ *Douglas and Laura Balla purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark.*



**Douglas and Laura Balla** - July 07, 2017 at 04:16 PM



“ 180 files added to the album LifeTributes



**Detting Funeral Home** - July 07, 2017 at 02:53 PM

JS

“ Jack Whitmore and Staff purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark.



**Jack Whitmore and Staff** - July 07, 2017 at 01:02 PM

JS

“ Jack Whitmore and Staff purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." for the family of Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark.



**Jack Whitmore and Staff** - July 07, 2017 at 12:53 PM

RC

“ *Richard and Marcia Linton- St Faustina's Church purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark.*



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**Richard and Marcia Linton- St Faustina's Church** - July 07, 2017 at 11:25 AM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Cynthia Ann Seidl Hallmark.*



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July 05, 2017 at 10:17 AM

TJ

“ *I like bed working with Cynthia at Amoco. She was our team's administrative assistant and was always so positive and one step ahead of us when it came to organizing things for the team. I liked that she kept in touch even. After she left the team to try for more difficult roles in our company and outside. I was very sad to hear that she passed and wish all of her family condolences as you have lost a really special one.*

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**Tami Joslin** - July 03, 2017 at 07:12 PM