



Hailey Jayne Morgan Barr

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Hailey Jayne Barr, 28, went to be with her Lord Tuesday night, July 23, 2013, around 11:30p.m. The love of her life and husband of two years, Matthew David Barr, joined her shortly after. The two shared a love so deep that even death could not part them. Matthew was a man of integrity. He was selfless, loving, devoted, driven and completely cherished Hailey. Matthew and Hailey worked and lived in the Philippines where they encouraged young people to pursue their passions while also creating a positive social change. Hailey was a beautiful person. She meant so much to so many people. She never met a stranger she didn't love. Hailey was creative, funny, a chocolate connoisseur, mall enthusiast, adventurous, sym-pathetic, feisty, compassionate, forgiving, and always, ALWAYS loving. Life was never dull in her presence. Her open arms were warm and inviting. Her smile, sincere. Her love, genuine and lifelong. Her jokes, hilarious. Her tickles, relentless. We have no words to explain our present grief over her passing but are completely confident that we will see her again. Hailey lived her whole life in an effort to draw other's closer to Jesus. She was a bright light in a dark world. Let the light of her life illuminate a path for you to have a closer walk with the Lord. She would want you to make everyday count for His glory. Hailey, thank you for the life you lived and the example you have been to so many. You lived this life well and you lived it full. May we find the strength to pick up the torch and continue the race until we meet you again. You will never, never be forgotten. Hailey is survived by her mother, Caron Willey of Baton Rouge; her father and stepmother, Doug and Camille Morgan of New Roads; her sister and brother-in-law, Kaycie and Jacob LaGrone; and her niece and two nephews, Hannah, Abram, and Luke LaGrone. Visitation will be at Woodlawn Baptist Church, 5808 Jones Creek Rd., Baton Rouge, LA 70817, Tuesday, July 30, from 5 p.m. and will resume Wednesday at 9 a.m. until the service at 11 a.m.



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SH

Susan Dees Hymel posted:

To my dearest family, some things I'd like to say...but first of all, to let you know, that I arrived okay.I'm writing this from heaven. Here I dwell with God above.Here, there's no more tears of sadness; here is just eternal love.Please do not be unhappy just because I'm out of sight.Remember that I'm with you every morning, noon and night.That day I had to leave you when my life on earth was through,God picked me up and hugged me and He said, "I welcome you."It's good to have you back again; you were missed while you were gone.As for your dearest family, they'll be here later on.I need you here badly; you're part of my plan.There's so much that we have to do, to help our mortal man.God gave me a list of things, that he wished for me to do.And foremost on the list, was to watch and care for you.And when you lie in bed at night, the day's chores put to flight.God and I are closest to you....in the middle of the night.When you think of my life on earth, and all those loving yearsbecause you are only human, they are bound to bring you tears.But do not be afraid to cry; it does relieve the pain.Remember there would be no flowers, unless there was some rain.I wish that I could tell you all that God has planned.But if I were to tell you, you wouldn't understand.But one thing is for certain, though my life on earth is over.I'm closer to you now, than I ever was before.T here are many rocky roads ahead of you and many hills to climb;but together we can do it by taking one day at a time.It was always my philosophy and I'd like it for you too...that as you give unto the world, the world will give to you.If you can help somebody who's in sorrow and pain,then you can say to God at night....."My day was not in vain."And now I am contented....that my life has been worthwhile, knowing as I passed along the way, I made somebody smile.So if you meet somebody who is sad and feeling low,just lend a hand to pick him up, as on your way you go.When you're walking down the street, and you've got me on your mind;I'm walking in your footsteps only half a step behind.And when it's time for you to go.... from that body to be free,remember you're not going.....you're coming here to me. Ruth Ann Mahaffey (author)©Copyright 1998

August 7 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

You were amazing. You were great. Rest easy.

August 5 at 7:00 PM

JG

Jeff And Audra Gautreau posted:

Doug, I can't even begin to imagine what you must be going through. I am so very sorry. My condolences to you and your family.

July 30 at 7:00 PM



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Anonymous posted:

To Doug, Caron & Family Family of Matthew,What pride you two families must feel. Two young people coming together, in such a short time, doing all the works of the Lord. They were angels on earth. You must cherish all those wonderful memories you share with Hailey and Matthew.May God bless and comfort you in your time of sorrow.Nolan & Amelia Babin

July 30 at 7:00 PM



David And Diana Garcia posted:

From Gina Morreale's mom and dad; we can only imagine the sadness in your heart at this time. But how the Lord gives strength in rejoicing with the memory of such a lovely daughter, a lovely believer and soldier of the cross. May the Lord grant you peace that surpasses all understanding.

July 29 at 7:00 PM



Gerald posted:

Doug, my condolences to you and your Family.

July 29 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Doug, Caron and family: Just reading through this guest book, I see just how special your daughter and son-in-law were, and how many people loved them so dearly. I only wish I knew the right words to say, and take away the pain. I wish I would have had the pleasure of meeting them both. I can see just how many lives they have touched with their devoted faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. Please know that I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers. With love, David and Maria (Bonano) Catha

July 29 at 7:00 PM



Flo Falencki posted:

May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.

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Anonymous posted:

Mr. And Mrs. Pete LeeCovington, La.

July 29 at 7:00 PM



John Wren posted:

You will be missed, to sudden, to unexpected. We had some good times.

July 29 at 7:00 PM



Laura Hopes posted:

What a beautiful person - inside and out. Sending many prayers to your close family and friends. God Bless you, Hailey Jayne, and may you rest in peace.

July 29 at 7:00 PM



Kimberly Kroll posted:

I never knew a person so inviting, sweet and selfless as Hailey. This loss breaks my heart and my thoughts and prayers are with her and Matthew, and the family and friends they left behind. I am a better person for having known you, Hailey.

July 28 at 7:00 PM



William Quinn posted:

See you on the other side Hailey.

July 28 at 7:00 PM



Barbara posted:

We are so sorry for your loss. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. God Bless

July 28 at 7:00 PM



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Trae Thompson posted:

Without a doubt one of the nicest, kindest and best people I've ever known. It was an honor to be her friend, and I'm grateful to have known her. I'm still in shock, and still very sad and pray the Holy Spirit will comfort Hailey's family.

July 28 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

To The Family Of Hailey Jayne Barr, Please know our prayers are with you & your loved ones as you walk this journey. We will continue to lift you up & trust the Lord to walk with you hand in hand & rain His perfect peace on you. Friends of David & Carol Barr: The Weaver Family.

July 28 at 7:00 PM



Jake Loper posted:

Our Thoughts and Prayers are with you, may the Lord Guide you and hold you in this time of sadness. God Bless Your Family.

July 28 at 7:00 PM



Sue Williams posted:

Caron I am so saddened by this news. The years you and Hailey spent with us are times I will cherish forever. My thoughts and prayers are with you and Doug and your family.

July 28 at 7:00 PM



Ellen Newlin posted:

Tears, tears, tears. I loved her and how she loved others. Two favorite memories...being with her when we found Hannah's wedding dress...and the beautiful flowers she arranged for Hannah's wedding. She was a jewel, as was her husband.

July 28 at 7:00 PM



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NA

Natalie Aouda posted:

Sweet and beautiful Hailey, you were a bright and feisty light in a dark world. I will miss you here on earth and eagerly wait to hug your neck in Heaven. I am better because I knew you. Prayers are continually being lifted up for both Hailey and Matthew's families. May God bless you and lift your head with comfort and peace during this time.

July 28 at 7:00 PM

MB

Melissa Brown posted:

Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of Hailey and Matthew's family and friends.

July 28 at 7:00 PM

PG

Pastor Sherry Gregory posted:

May the comforter, the Holy Spirit grace you with His presence. My husband Bob and I want to express our deepest sympathy and we pray for your strength as you go through the process of mourning their leaving this earth. Thanking God that they are both with Him, safe and sound enjoying the greatest time ever. We pray for your joy to be restored to you as you lean on the Lord for strength.

July 28 at 7:00 PM

GM

Genevieve Moss posted:

Ms. Caron and family, I have not seen Hailey in several years, but her smile, voice and sweet spirit are still so vivid in my mind. She just had that way about her. She was special. Someone you always remember and consider a friend. I have enjoyed keeping up with her adventures in the Phillipines, and reading her posts about how much she adored her husband. Through her words and pictures it was apparent that they were such beautiful people...inside and out. I am praying for all of you, and will always hold Hailey close to my heart. May God hold you very, very close during the difficult days ahead. Love, Genevieve

July 28 at 7:00 PM

DL

Debbie Leblanc posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with Hailey's and Matthew's families. May God keep you wrapped in His arms.

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DM

Dana Morrison posted:

Caron and Kaycie, I think about y'all all the time and pray for our sweet Lord to lift you up! I love you both so much and am so thankful for the lives of Hailey and Matthew! God is always faithful and he will use this tragedy for good!!!

July 28 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

What a wonderful, thoughtful, precious daughter, wife, daughter/sister-in-law and servant of the Lord was Hailey. May the Holy Spirit comfort the families of Matthew and Hailey today. Our thoughts and prayers are with both families. Pastors Billy & Marianne Allen Christ For The Nations Church

July 28 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. May God be with you in this time of sorrow.

July 28 at 7:00 PM

LG

Lillian Gerald posted:

To the family of Hailey & Matthew, we were blessed to be in the Critical Care Waiting with all of you. Our hearts and prayers were with you daily as we waited for our Mom to get better and move to a room after double heart valve surgery. Just know we will continue to keep you in our prayers.

July 28 at 7:00 PM

MW

Mike White posted:

Doug and Caron, Our thoughts and Prayers are with you. I know by reading about Hailey, that she has left good seeds in the people she has touched. What a good example she has set for all the rest of us. God has blessed you with her time spent with you here!

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KM

Kim Markley posted:

I love you my dear mentor Hailey. I miss our dates and your advice. Everything that everyone said about u is true. I will cherish the advice and your impact in my life. Until we meet again my dear Hailey.

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KI

Kim posted:

Ms. Caron, Kaycie and family, I still want to wake up and hear it's not true. Hailey was such a blessing to know. Her love for Jesus was no secret and she was such a light in this world and had a joy like none other. I will cherish our summer we spent together- first going on a mission trip to Canada and then having even more fun together at jr. camp. She was so much fun to be around, always so loving, warm and caring. I've loved keeping up with her through Facebook as the years have gone by and reading about all the lives she was impacting as she served Jesus so faithfully and joyfully with her best friend, her husband. Their obvious love for each other and for Jesus was inspirational! They will be greatly missed. So precious that they are praising their Jesus together! Love and prayers to you all as you mourn and grieve. May our precious Jesus give you peace. Love Always,

July 28 at 7:00 PM

AW

Alicia Williams posted:

You are a true angel, on and beyond this world. You have brought countless smiles and inspiration to soo many. I am truly blessed to call you my friend.

July 28 at 7:00 PM

LT

Lauren Thibodeaux posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with the family during this difficult time. It's been years since I've seen Hailey. We enjoyed many laughs in high school together. God bless her and her family.

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KR

Karen Rey posted:

Hailey, you have truly been such an inspiration and an encouragement to me in more ways than you could every imagine. The love you showed me meant so much more because of how you IDENTIFIED with my journey in life and the current situation. How I wish that you were here to see the outcome of that "journey" that we constantly talked about. But I know that you will still see it! Thank you for cheering me on...I'm just so blessed that this was a relationship that wasn't one-sided but totally filled willed with warmth and genuine love. I love you and will always miss you. Praying for your family and friends...that even through the difficulty of this situation, it may only lead us all to a beautiful heart encounter with Jesus...just as you have constantly lived out your heart encounter with your BELOVED Jesus in every way.

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CA

Carlos posted:

Caron, Doug and Kaycie. With our deepest sympathy and prayers for you and the Barr family. Carlos & Nelly Rossi Orange Park, Florida

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TM

Tracy Moore posted:

So very sorry. Holding you all close to my heart and praying for peace .

July 28 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Douglas and entire family, We are so very sorry for your loss. she will certainly be missed. We do know that GOD has much greater works in mind for her. Rejoice and be glad, she is in HIS Kingdom, now. Love and prayers to you in this time. Your cousins, Joann and Gary

July 27 at 7:00 PM

AB

Ami Johnson Barden posted:

My deepest sympathy to the family. It's been inspirational to read all of the wonderful things I have seen about Hailey and Matt the last few days. I know people who were impacted by Hailey and they loved her dearly. I wish I had really known her, though I haven't seen her since she was very young. Thinking of you, Doug and Caron, and praying for the entire family.

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Mike posted:

Caron and family, our prayers are with you. We are so very sorry to hear this news. We pray that you will be strengthened in knowing that you will be with your precious ones again one day.

July 27 at 7:00 PM



Sherri Berkeley posted:

Prayers to you and the family at this time . It was a honor and a blessing to have known Hailey. She was a beautiful lady. She was a blessing to every person she came in contact with.

July 27 at 7:00 PM



Anonymous posted:

Caron, what a wonderful woman you created. Our deepest love and prayers for you. Always, Mary Jo Jeans & JordanYour Fleetwood friends.

July 27 at 7:00 PM



The Staff Of E posted:

Offering our deepest condolences during this difficult time.

July 27 at 7:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Hailey by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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