



Melanie Gascon Burris

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Melanie Gascon Burris of Mandeville, LA passed away on Thursday, October 18, 2018. She was born on May 7, 1963 in Baton Rouge, LA to Raymond A. Gascon and Mary Bowden Gascon.

Melanie is survived by her loving husband, Nathan “Kevin” Burris, her daughter Rachel Seippel (Craig), and her grandson Casen Seippel. She is also survived by her mother Mary Gascon; her sister Sheri Engels (James “Butch”); her brother Andy Gascon (Diane); her nephews Trey and Martin Holifield; and her niece Janice Holifield.

Melanie is preceded in death by her father Raymond A. Gascon, her paternal grandparents Oscar and Katherine Gascon, and her maternal grandparents James and Hattie Bowden.

Melanie loved to sing and looked forward to family gatherings and singing in her church choir. She was an active member at Jefferson Baptist Church in Baton Rouge and more recently First Baptist Mandeville.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at E.J. Fielding Funeral Home, 2260 W. 21st Avenue, Covington, LA 70433 on Tuesday, October 23, 2018 at 2:00 PM with visitation on Tuesday beginning at 12:00 PM. Interment to follow the service in Pinecrest Memorial Gardens, Covington, LA. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in memory of Melanie to be made to New Life Community Church, 20116 LA-1081 Covington, LA 70435.



Events

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Visitation

 **Tuesday**, October 23, 2018

 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM CT

 **E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services**

2260 W 21st Ave, Covington LA 70433



Funeral Services

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 2:00 PM CT

 **E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services**

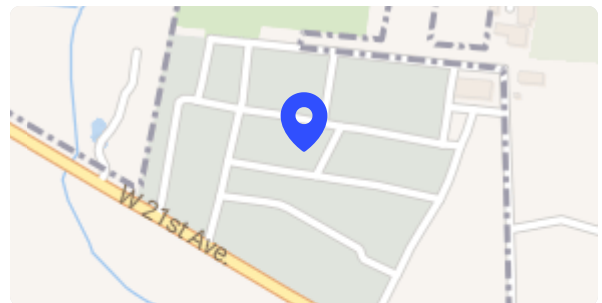
2260 W 21st Ave, Covington LA 70433



Cemetery Details

 **Pinecrest Memorial Gardens & Crematory**
2280 W 21st Ave, Covington LA 70433

 **(985) 892-5007**





Tribute Wall

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E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services shared a **Tribute Video**.



October 22 at 5:29 AM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Burris family.



October 22 at 1:19 PM



Debbie Hebert posted:

Aah Melanie I remember you and I practicing "Looks Like We Made It " by Barry Mannilow in Speech Therapy. You were going to sing to Kevin. It was a Great Day. We both remembered the lyrics. Love you Nee Nee your Cousin Debbie 🥹👥👥👥👥

October 21 at 12:25 PM



Carolyn Lopinto. posted:

Kevin and family, Always will remember Melanie's faithfulness to FBC-Mandeville and your wonderful care of her. Please know our thoughts and prayers will be with y'all Tuesday and the days ahead. Our Senior Adults will be out of town but will be remembering you during this difficult time. Carolyn and John Lopinto

October 20 at 7:47 AM



Lee Faulkner posted:

I remember one of the first Women's ministry events I attended with MFBC: an ornament exchange. I got the ornament Melanie had brought. Every year when I decorate the tree I think of her. When we would talk on Wednesday evenings, she usually talked about her daughter, Rachel. You could tell from her voice and eyes that she really loved Rachel.

October 19 at 2:59 PM



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Anonymous sent a Your Light Shines to the Burris family.



October 19 at 1:10 PM



Leslie Denham posted:

Kevin thank you for trusting us with the care of such a jewel. "Delta Dawn" will ever be engraved in our minds. Our prayers are with you and your family during your grieving process. On Behave of Dwight and Leslie Denham and Staff of Slidell Adult Day Health Care

October 19 at 11:56 AM



Media

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



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