



Belinda Ann Adkins FitzSimons

August 20, 1960 - February 5, 2020

Belinda Ann Adkins FitzSimons passed away on Wednesday, February 5, 2020, at the age of 59 after a courageous 13-year battle with metastatic breast cancer. Belinda was the only daughter of David M. Adkins Sr. and the late Sina Fay Bourn Adkins. She was the sister of David M. Adkins Jr. (Karen) and Jess R. Adkins (Crystal). She was the beloved wife of 40 years to David R. FitzSimons and the loving and devoted mother of Xavier Christopher D. FitzSimons and Sherman R. FitzSimons, plus surrogate mom to family friend J.T. Harris and dog mom to her beloved Buddy. Belinda is also survived by a plethora of nieces, nephews, cousins, and others.

Belinda is perhaps best recognized as a welcoming presence at St. Tammany Parish Hospital for over 30 years. She treated everyone she met with genuine kindness and loved the patients she served every day. Those who called the Radiology Department surely heard her signature greeting, "X-Ray, Belinda." In addition, while working full-time and unhindered by her cancer diagnosis, Belinda focused on her education, entering college part-time at age 35 and earning her Bachelor of Business Administration from Southeastern Louisiana University in 2010.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at E.J. Fielding Funeral Home, 2260 W. 21st Avenue, Covington, LA 70433 on Monday, February 10th. Visitation will be held from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m., immediately followed by services. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in memory of Belinda and in support of all those battling cancer to be made to Mary Bird Perkins Cancer Center in Covington.

Cemetery

Pinecrest Memorial Gardens & Crematory

2280 W 21st Ave
Covington, LA, 70433

Events

FEB **Visitation** 11:00AM - 02:00PM

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FEB **Funeral Services** 02:00PM

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Comments



“ A tribute video has been added.



E.J. Fielding Funeral Home & Cremation Services - February 07, 2020 at 03:01 PM



“ Beautiful

Delores Thompson-Stalling - February 07, 2020 at 04:52 PM



“ Linder, I'll miss talking and laughing with you my friend. Now that your battle is done, I pray that you soar above the clouds like an eagle. My prayer is this - may your soul be at peace and may the Lord comfort your family and be with them through their grief. May their memories of your laughter lift them up in times of sadness. God bless and keep you sweet lady.

KL - February 10, 2020 at 08:42 AM



“ Dave, what a loving tribute to a beautiful lady. You are in my prayers- Pat Hemenway

Pat Hemenway - March 13, 2020 at 10:18 AM



“ Dave,
We were very sorry to hear about Belinda. We will be praying for you and your family.
Barbara and Barbara Ann Anglada

Barbara Anglada - February 20, 2020 at 04:05 PM



“ Dave and Sons,
We were very sorry to hear about Belinda's passing. She was a beautiful person and an inspiration to all. Our condolences to all of you. We pray her memories will ease your pain during this difficult time. Know that Belinda and your family will always be in our thoughts and prayers.
Cindy & Brett Smith

Cindy Smith - February 20, 2020 at 03:30 PM



“ I knew Belinda first through her son, Christopher, an improv colleague in Chicago. I came to know her personally, by virtue of Facebook. I am very sorry to see her depart so soon. My deepest condolences to the family, including the very spoiled, Buddy.

Sarah Savage - February 12, 2020 at 08:06 PM



“ I have known belinda for years she worked with my dad and eventually got the pleasure to work with me Belinda you will be greatly missed fly high

Mandy - February 10, 2020 at 12:33 PM



“ Myrna Polk lit a candle in memory of Belinda Ann Adkins FitzSimons



Myrna Polk - February 10, 2020 at 10:05 AM



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Brenda - February 09, 2020 at 12:33 PM



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Brenda - February 09, 2020 at 12:22 PM



“ Nancy Thorne lit a candle in memory of Belinda Ann Adkins FitzSimons



Nancy Thorne - February 08, 2020 at 12:51 AM



“ Analisa Sharp lit a candle in memory of Belinda Ann Adkins FitzSimons



Analisa Sharp - February 07, 2020 at 11:13 PM



“ Debbie Revere Varnado lit a candle in memory of Belinda Ann Adkins FitzSimons



Debbie Revere Varnado - February 07, 2020 at 05:13 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Belinda Ann Adkins FitzSimons.



February 07, 2020 at 08:52 AM



“ Sherman..we all here at STPH are thinking and praying for your family and your Mom. She was a wonderful lady and she is already greatly missed. Peace to you and your family...Mike Binnngs

mike binnings - February 07, 2020 at 05:58 AM



“ Such a sweet, kind, loving sister that I had the pleasure of calling my sister for the last 41 years. She has gone way too soon from our lives. I am richer for having known her and being able to share a small part of her life. Always in my thoughts she will never be forgotten. See you later my friend!

Karen Adkins - February 06, 2020 at 11:18 PM



“ Belinda always met everyone with a smile. She will be missed. Prayers for all of her loved ones.

Ann - February 06, 2020 at 10:09 PM



“ Sandra Ayo Galloway lit a candle in memory of Belinda Ann Adkins FitzSimons



Sandra Ayo Galloway - February 06, 2020 at 10:03 PM



“ I knew Belinda from St. Tammany. She always had a smile and was so kind. May she rest in peace.

Jewell Bayhi - February 07, 2020 at 12:00 AM



“ Belinda and I worked side by side for years. We shared a lot of laughter, chaos and even some tears. I remember how her eyes would light up when she talked about the people she loved, especially her sons, the way she would smile when we were telling funny stories and how she could put you at ease with her presence. She was genuine, kind, and a true friend. She never forgot about our friendship even with everything she was going through and I will be forever grateful to have had the time I did with her. Sending my love to you as you lay her to rest.

Catherine - February 06, 2020 at 08:24 PM



“ My sweet cousin . I will miss our talks. I'm sorry I didn't get more time with you



Crystal Adkins - February 06, 2020 at 08:01 PM



“ Prayers for comfort and peace for the family.



Debbie Anthony - February 06, 2020 at 06:22 PM



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Lucy Cleland - February 06, 2020 at 06:13 PM