



Cynthia Allen Benedict

February 15, 1962 - March 9, 2024

Cynthia L Benedict

Cindy was born in Big Spring, Texas on February 15th, 1962, to parents Joan Colford and Air Force veteran Sanford Briggs. They moved to Paxton, Illinois where she attended grade school through high school. It was there that her love of animals (especially horses) began. After moving to Florida with her family at 18 years old, she earned her nursing certificate, and worked in a nursing home (The Carpenters) for 13 years. From there she was the nurse at Kathleen High School in Lakeland before spending the last ten years of her career as the school nurse at Griffin Elementary School.

Cindy's never-wavering Christian faith has been contagious and ever-deepening, and she has passed that on to her daughter Ally and grandson Casey, along with many of the loved ones around her. Eleven years ago, she met the love of her life, David Benedict. They shared so many interests from their passion for travel, to camping and riding their motorcycles.

Cindy is survived by her loving husband, David Benedict, daughter Ally Allen and grandsons Casey Allen and Caleb, her brothers Charlie and Steven Briggs, and sister Lori and husband John, and nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her father Sanford Briggs, mother Joan and brother Ralph Briggs.

Tribute Wall

UJ

“ Uncle Dave, Aunt Liz, Kim, Penny, & John purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Cynthia Allen Benedict.



Uncle Dave, Aunt Liz, Kim, Penny, & John - March 12, 2024 at 08:05 PM

LG

“ Love You Always, The Harness Girls planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Allen Benedict.

Love You Always, The Harness Girls - March 12, 2024 at 03:49 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Cynthia Allen Benedict.



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MD

“ Michael Dailey planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Cynthia Allen Benedict.

Michael Dailey - March 12, 2024 at 02:54 PM

MD

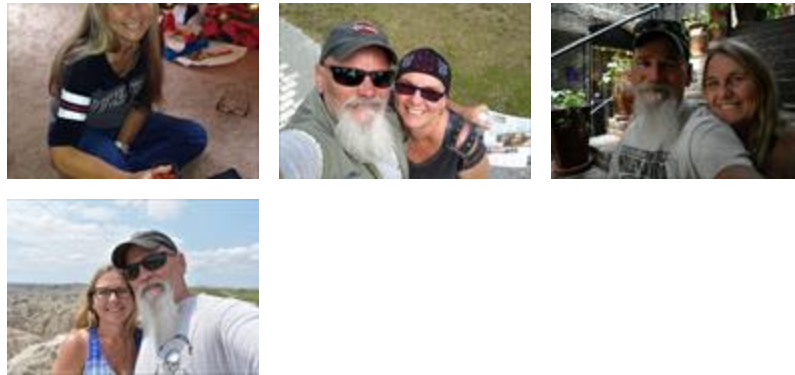
“ *Michael Dailey purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Cynthia Allen Benedict.*



Michael Dailey - March 12, 2024 at 02:54 PM

DA

“ *4 files added to the album Cindy*



Dave - March 12, 2024 at 10:08 AM

FF

“ *Fletcher/ Arminio Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Cynthia Allen Benedict.*



Fletcher/ Arminio Family - March 11, 2024 at 07:35 PM

KP

“ Krystal, Acadia, Brent and Peyton, purchased the *Beautiful in Blue* for the family of Cynthia Allen Benedict.



Krystal, Acadia, Brent and Peyton, - March 11, 2024 at 07:22 PM

TI

“ Cindy lou my heart hurts so bad for you but I know God has bigger plans for you, I love you soo much and will always cherish our great times, from camping, riding horses, river trips, dinners, road trips or just chilling at home, you will be missed by so many, RIP my beautiful friend

Tina - March 11, 2024 at 06:41 PM

AL

“ I love you so much mama. I know you're with Jesus and in no more pain. I love you to the moon and back my sweet girl. 💜 - Ally

ally - March 11, 2024 at 05:51 PM