



Elizabeth Sellers (Libby) Prendergast

April 5, 1951 - August 8, 2008

PRENDERGAST – Elizabeth Laura Sellers (Libby) Prendergast, passed away August 9, 2008 at the age of 57 years. Born in Athens, Georgia, Libby graduated from Georgia State University with a degree in Business Education. She continued to further her education obtaining her Masters Degree in Education and her EDS Degree in Curriculum and Instruction. She was a dedicated teacher of 27 years, in the Cherokee County School System with the last several years at Arnold Mill Road, Mountain Road and Little River Elementary Schools. Libby attended Roswell United Methodist Church where she was a member of the Bereans Sunday School Class. She loved to travel, and she and her husband Joel enjoyed many trips with Hawaii being her favorite destination. Preceded in death by her father, B. F. Sellers, Libby will be forever remembered by her loving husband, Joel Prendergast; her precious daughter Laura and her husband Bryan Merrick of Beaufort, SC; mother, Ruth and her husband, Bill Bowers of Hartwell, GA; sisters, Pam Aydelott of Powell, TN and Joanna Norris of Buford, GA; nieces, nephews, extended family and dear friends. Funeral services will be on Tuesday, August 12, 2008 at 11:00 AM in the chapel of Roswell United Methodist Church. Libby will lie in state beginning at 10:30 AM. Dr. Mike Long and Dr. Malone Dodson officiating. Interment, Arlington Memorial Park. The family will receive friends on Monday evening from 6 until 8 PM at Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory, Roswell/Alpharetta, 770/645-1414.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 11. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Northside Chapel Funeral Directors and Crematory
12050 Crabapple Road
Roswell, GA

Visitation

AUG 12. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

Roswell United Methodist Church Parlor
Roswell, Ge

Service

AUG 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

Roswell United Methodist Church
814 Mimosa Blvd
Roswell, GA

Tribute Wall



“ Elizabeth Sellers (Libby) Prendergast

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ Libby was a true "Southern Belle". Her gentle spirit, quite voice, and sweet smile brightened many a day. We're all blessed for having known and worked with her. May sweet memories bring comfort to you.##imported-begin##Beverly Ball##imported-end##

August 12, 2008 at 05:18 PM



“ Dear Laura,

My thoughts are with you and your family on this very difficult day. As I have told you, I went through a similar, difficult time with my mother, so I can truly empathize with your sorrow, loss, relief, and perhaps some doubts. You must feel some gratitude that the hard, painful time for your mother did not drag on.

You were a wonderful and generous daughter to give all the time and attention you did to your Mom over these last months. It was a gift to her, and I think to yourself as well.

I'm very disappointed that I won't be working with you this year. There is very little money for my position this year, so I will probably be working only half time. I don't know how I'll be effective as there is a very large roster of carry-overs and incoming sixth graders. Maybe I'll see you as a meeting or if you drop by LIMS.

Here's to an easier year for you and your husband and Dad.

With sympathy,

Betty Slesinger##imported-begin##BettyAnn Slesinger##imported-end##

August 12, 2008 at 12:59 PM



“ Dear Joel, Laura and Family,

Our thoughts and love are with you. Words can't say enough to express our sympathy, but you as a family were the perfect match and you are all so lucky to have had and know this. Our door is always open to wonderful friends, where ever we may be. All Our Love, Rex, Suzanne & Ryan Miller##imported-begin##Rex, Suzanne & Ryan Miller##imported-end##

August 12, 2008 at 08:07 AM



“ Joel and Laura - our thoughts and prayers are with you. No words can take away the pain, but God will provide the strength and peace that passes all understanding. Knowing Libby is with the Lord says it all. She won!
Love, Joy and Jack Johnson###imported-begin##Joy and Jack Johnson###imported-end##

August 11, 2008 at 04:35 PM



“ Laura, You and your family are in my prayers. If there is anything at all that you need, please let me know. (843) 322-6121.

Stephanie Richardson
Assistant Principal
Coosa Elementary###imported-begin##Stephanie Richardson###imported-end##

August 11, 2008 at 01:48 PM



“ To Laura and all the Prendergast family:
I want you to know that my deepest sympathy goes out to all of you. I know that only the passage of time will ease your current heartache. Please know that I will keep you in my thoughts. Please also know that I am willing to help if there is anything I can do for you, Laura. Dan Murphy###imported-begin##Dan Murphy###imported-end##

August 11, 2008 at 01:29 PM



“ To Ruth and family,
I am Ruth Bowers pastor. We at First Baptist in Hartwell want to extend our prayers and deepest thoughts to Ruth and her family. We have had Libby on our prayer list for quite some time, so we have mentioned you all numerously. Carter, Steve and the entire staff, and the entire church send our deepest thoughts.##imported-begin##Dr. Steve Williams##imported-end##

August 11, 2008 at 11:21 AM



“ Joel/Laura,
Just know that the Lord is with you as well as Libby during this difficult time. It's is His strength that will geet you through.

John & Johnna##imported-begin##John & Johnna
Stephens##imported-end##

August 11, 2008 at 10:18 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family during this difficult time. We feel very fortunate to have met Libby throught our friendship with Bryan and Laura. She was very proud of Laura and her son-in-law Bryan. May God comfort you during this time.##imported-begin##The Millers (Morris, Pat & Michael)##imported-end##

August 11, 2008 at 12:49 AM



“ Mrs. Prendergast was very dear to my heart. She taught my daughter, Sarah and my son Sean at Arnold Mill Elementary. My son, Sean was in her second grade class when she had to take a leave of absence. What my children learned from her was priceless. Sarah was so prepared for third grade. Sean really loved her too. My heart and tears go out to her family. I know she will be greatly missed. God now has bigger plans for her. I am sure she is in heaven teaching, which is what she loved to do.##imported-begin##Susan Johnston Coloe##imported-end##

August 10, 2008 at 09:33 PM