



Leona K. Bailey

July 25, 1940 - July 18, 2010

Leona K. Bailey went to be with the Lord on July 18, 2010 at the age of 69 years. Leona was born on July 25, 1940 to Oscar and Mary Kraatz. Leona was retired from the Southside Reporter where she had worked for 17 years. She was preceded in death by her parents, and brother, James Kraatz. She is survived by her husband, J.V. Bailey, her daughters, Diana Bailey-Kent and husband Ronald and Jennifer Lee Strateman and husband Malcolm, Jr., son, James V. Bailey, sister, Helen Wefel, brothers, Donald Kraatz, Edward "Pete" Kraatz, and Oscar Kraatz, grandsons, Bradley and Thomas Kent, step-grandsons, Ryan and Paul Strateman, as well as numerous nieces and nephews and other family members and friends.

Tribute Wall

TF

“ Even though Leona has passed away. We will always have Her in Our hearts, Our very thoughts. She will always be with Us. Leona was very special. I'm glad I always thanked Her for everything she did for Our Family. This is a great loss, because even we fee

The Perez Family - August 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ I worked at Foster Elementary for many years and enjoyed working in the PTA with Leona as well as seeing her many times at the Reporter Office. Please accept my condolences at this sad time in your lives. She was a good woman and left us much too soon.

Patricia Haby - August 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ We are deeply sadden and grieve your loss. You are in our prayers and hearts forever. Leona was a wonderful lady and will be deeply missed. God Bless,
Lisa Fiedler and Family

Lisa Fiedler and Family - July 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Leona was a very kind and loving person. There was not a mean bone in her body. Always smiling, laughing and willing to help others. She will be missed by all that knew her. May she rest in peace. God Bless her family and watch over them during this time

Kevin Sitterle - July 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ We are so sorry for your loss. You are in our prayers

Rick, Debbie, Ashley Wadle - July 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ Sorry we couldn't make the services
our prayers are with the family,

Corene Beckman Scruggs - July 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Sister Leona was a great lady and will
be greatly missed in the Hermann Sons Family. You are in our
prayers for God to watch over you and your family during this time.
Our deepest sympathy.

Phil & Janet Abell - July 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

NC

“ We are praying for the peace and comfort that passes all
understanding as you grieve and deal with the loss of Leona. God will
be with you.
Christ's love,
Nick & Karen

Nick & Karen Clevenger - July 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM

ES

“ I am so sorry for your loss. She will be missed. You are in our
prayers.

Elizabeth Harter Schoen - July 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ I was saddened at the sudden passing of Leona. May God give you strength and guidance at this very difficult time.

My sincere sympathy to J.V. and family, Melrose Bendele

Melrose Bendele - July 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ we have always admired leona for all of her thoughtfulness to everyone, we will truly miss her beautiful smile, god bless all of you.

connie harter - July 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ I remember how close mom and Leona were during their time at the Reporter. Leona was very dear to my mom and dad. I am so sorry for your loss. The Kingdom and our Lord has opened His arms and welcomed a child home. May you find strength and love durin

Susan Dose Blevins - July 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

HC

“ May God be with your family at this time, to ease your grief. We loved Leona very much, and she will be missed by all who knew her. Peace be with you. Remember time will take away your pain and replace it with wonderful memories of Leona. Love to all.

Harvey & Cheryl Cain - July 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ It has been a great pleasure knowing Leona. Bill and I will always treasure the times that we were able to spend with her. I loved talking to her about her kids and the things that they did in their youth and of course about her little dogs. Our thoughts

Barbara Ramzinski - July 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM