



Ms. Jessica Maria Ballard

June 27, 1977 - May 27, 2007

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Visitation

Sunday, Jun. 3. 10:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Jessica Maria Ballad*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Dearest Juanda.*

Paul is out of state, in Alabama, working at the Shakespeare Festival. When I called him and told him about Jessie his first memories were of all your children running around the Attic. Somehow he couldn't square the idea of those joyful, early years with the loss of a young adult. We both knew Jess from the Gem, and of course I met her at the Fox when the two of you came on board to help with renewals.

Last time I saw Jess was at the Gem a couple of months ago. Jaime was teasing her about her upcoming nuptials, and Jessie was absolutely beaming. I was so happy for her! And her hands! She showed me her "new" hands and was so happy about that too. It just seemed like she'd grabbed the world by the tail and was really enjoying the ride. And the new baby... everyone I have spoken with has described her as absolutely beautiful.

While the loss of Jessie at such a positive time in her life seems totally senseless, perhaps there is a little comfort to be found in the fact that she had come into her own and was loving her life - she knew that total joy and love that only a baby can bring, and had the anticipation of a wonderful new family.

So, as wasteful as it seems, at least she left us singing a joyful song in her heart.

Our thoughts, hearts, and prayers are with you.

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Hopper##imported-end##*

June 03, 2007 at 01:39 PM



“ Dear Lynn--I was so shocked to hear about Jessica. I know your loss is tremendous, but please lean on the Lord for your strength and understanding. My thoughts and prayers are with you and Brandie during this time.

Your niece Traci and Family.##imported-begin##Traci Ballard-Dowell##imported-end##

June 02, 2007 at 10:48 PM



“ Bill,

We are so sad to hear about Jessica. We all know how much you love her. You are in our hearts and prayers.

The Midnight Stars....##imported-begin##The Midnight Stars##imported-end##

May 31, 2007 at 06:20 PM