

## Catalina Richard

August 23, 1991 - May 24, 2013

Catalina "Cat" Richard, age 21, of Bolivar, Missouri passed away on Friday evening, May 24, 2013.

She was born on August 23, 1991 in El Dorado Springs, Missouri the daughter of Roger Richard and Armetia Richard-Smith.

Cat was a student at Missouri State University and majored in Political Science. She was fun, intelligent, vivacious, and loving. Cat loved spending time with friends and family, and she took every opportunity to live life to the fullest. Cat wanted everyone to be comfortable around her.

She is preceded in death by her father; Roger Richard.

She is survived by her mother; Armetia Richard-Smith and her husband Sonny of Collins, three sisters; Kelly Richard of Bend, Oregon, Michelle Murray and her husband Mathew and their son Alex of Bolivar, and Ashley Richard of Bolivar, along with numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins and her dog Squish who will forever miss her.

A celebration of life will be held at 1:00pm on Friday May 31, 2013 at Butler Funeral Home in Bolivar, Missouri.

Visitation will be held from 5:00-7:00pm on Thursday, May 30, 2013 at Butler Funeral Home.

Burial will follow at St. Wenceslaus Cemetery.

Memorial Contributions may be made to the Benefit of Catalina Richard, Farmers State Bank, Bolivar, Missouri.


Friends and family may sign the guestbook or leave private condolences at w

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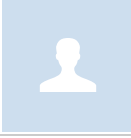
# Tribute Wall

AM “ *Amberlee lit a candle in memory of Catalina Richard*



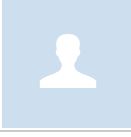
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**Amberlee** - December 15, 2024 at 04:02 PM

 “ *Catalina Richard*

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October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM

 “ *Catalina Richard*

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January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM

KD “ *There is not a day that goes by that something reminds me of Catalina. Rest in peace beautiful lady. You have made such an impact on this world. To the family, may god ease your pain and be a comfort to you.*

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**Kdf** - January 21, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Dear family of Catalina,  
I am so sorry for your tragic loss of Catalina,  
You may wonder why? or if there is anything to look forward to?  
I wish to share comfort from the Bible.  
Jesus well knew the Bible statement: "time and unforeseen  
occurrence befall them all"[Ecclesiastes 9:11]. He knew that  
sometimes terrible things just happen.  
The wonderful future resurrection hope, is the promise found at  
John 5:28,29.  
Revelation 21:2,4 states that death will be no more and pain will be  
no more, the former things will have passed away".  
Our Creator, Jehovah God, by means of his son Jesus, is going to  
undo the tragedies that touch our lives today.  
I hope you will find comfort as you read the above texts in your Bible  
and know that there is hope for our loved ones who are asleep in  
death.  
There is much Bible-based comfort to be found on the website [www.jw.org](http://www.jw.org)  
sincerely dianne mullins

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**dianne mullins rn** - June 10, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ Catalina was a part of my graduating class for the 2009 Coca-Cola  
Scholars. She was a beautiful women. My heart is with you and  
your family at this time.

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**Kaitlyn** - June 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *My beautiful Cat:*

*I miss you so much. You always brought sunshine no matter where you were. You have now gone to brighten "God's" world and to be an Angel to all you left behind. Until we meet again.....*

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**Candy Hartman** - June 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *I am so sadden to hear this news. I meet Catalina briefly at our 2009 Coke Scholars Weekend in Atlanta and she had such a warm spirit. Your family is in my prayers. God Bless!*

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**Darion Wallace** - June 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *It was great meeting you in Atlanta and getting a chance to talk before we all went off to college. It is sad to see someone from our Coca-Cola family leave us so soon. You will be missed, Catalina.*

*My prayers and condolences to the family and friends.*

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**Jonathan J.** - June 03, 2013 at 12:00 AM

J(

“ Army and family,

*My deepest sympathy to all of you. I read all that has been written here and the words are so touching. My parents lived just south of Army (my brother still does) and they loved Army and the girls, telling stories of how the girls would stop by and visit or bring something up that Army had made. When they passed away, Army was quick to bring food and check on my family! All of them are special people, and I just want them to know that I am sure Catalina was welcomed into heaven with lots of hugs and smiles. May God give you comfort and get you thru this most difficult time.*

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**Judy Calhoun (Mitchell)** - June 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

S(

“ I didn't sign the guestbook at the service so wanted to make sure I signed here.

*I have always and will always consider Catalina my best friend. She loved life and more than that she loved people. For me, Cat was a comfort and a smile and a great big bear hug. She made me feel at ease and okay to be myself. That has never happened for me with any other friend. She was just that type of person. I'm praying for and thinking of her family through this devastating time and am comforted in knowing that we will all see her again soon.*

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**Sarah McKay (Simmons)** - May 31, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ We are so saddened by your loss, and your family is in our prayers.

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**Brian and Hope Gardner** - May 31, 2013 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Cat's zest for life was second to none. She clearly had a positive effect on everyone who knew her.*

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**Lindsay "Pete" Peterman** - May 31, 2013 at 12:00 AM

T(

“ *You will be missed.*

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**Tammy McClellan (Loesing)** - May 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

WD

“ *You will be missed. We had great memories when we was younger.*

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**Wanda, Charles and Nikki Drake** - May 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ *you were a great leader. your the one who made me want to be a cheerleader and so i did. you taught me everything about it. you were my favorite. you were fun to be around and always knew how to make me smile. you were to young to go but god has his plans and reasons. you will be missed*

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**Brittany loesing** - May 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

YW

“ *Kelly and Family,  
Words can not express the loss that your family has suffered.  
Thinking of you all.  
Yvonne*

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**Yvonne Watkins** - May 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ I did not know Catalina personally but I worked with and shared an office with Kelly when she was at the hospital in Madras. If Cat was anything like her amazing sister then I know she touched more lives than anyone will ever know. It saddens my heart that your family is suffering so. I do pray that God fills the void in your hearts with peace and happy memories. There is no making sense of tragedy's such as this one. Crazy accidents. I pray extra for Cat's mother. As a mom we should never have to bury our babies. I'm thankful I had the time with Kelly to know some about her family. My heart aches for all of you. May God bless each of you and fill you with happy memories.

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**Anne Raines** - May 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ My Deepest and Sincere Sympathy to Cat's Family in this time of loss. May Her Wings Fly Over You Forever!

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**Marvin Moore, FAA** - May 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ I had the privlidge of working with Cat for about a year at Cheddar's. There was one day she came in telling us all that she had bought THE winning Powerball ticket. She asked everyone there what they wanted her to buy them when she won the lottery, but "don't be greedy!" she joked. She didn't win, but every single one of us did...we just didn't know it yet. We all had won the privlidge of knowing such an amazing, bright, caring, beatiful girl. She always stood up for what she believed in, and didn't care what anyone else thought about it. Cat, we all miss you so much. My thoughts and prayers are with all of your family & friends.

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**Kirstin Harris** - May 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Army, Sonny, Kelly, Michelle & Ashley,  
It is difficult to express how much I was saddened by the news of Catalina's passing. She was a beautiful, lively young woman and I know she will be greatly missed. It is my hope that you can take comfort in the good memories, and the knowledge that she is with God and watching us from Heaven. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Jeri Hubbert** - May 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ Armetia, Sonny and Family

*I am so sorry to hear about your daughter Catalina. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Family.*

*She is a beautiful young lady that I know that you were extremely proud of.*

*If we can be of assistance in any way please let us know.*

*Sincerely*

*Dennis Hanks and employees*

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**Dennis Hanks** - May 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ As a substitute teacher in Weaubleau, it was my pleasure to have had Catalina in my classes. I know I speak for all her teachers when I say that it's students like her that make this whole teaching gig worthwhile. Descanse en paz, Cat.

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**Patrick FitzPatrick** - May 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ We in Oregon hold all your hearts in gentle comfort. We pray for peace, for healing, for the awareness of God's grace.

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**Beth Ann Beamer** - May 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ Dear Richard Family, please accept my deepest condolences for your great loss of your beautiful daughter and sister Catalina. May your family draw comfort and strength during this most difficult time from the wonderful promises given to us by our very loving Creator Jehovah God. John 5:28,29 & Revelation 21:4,5 he promises to bring your loved one back to life in the resurrection right here on earth and do away with all sickness,suffering and death forever.

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**Susan George** - May 29, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ It was such a heartache to hear of the passing of Catalina. She was such a beautiful, joyous person. Catalina always knew how to bring a smile to anyone's face. If anyone was going to go far in life and do big things, it was Catalina. I believe that even though she was only with us for a short time, she accomplished so many great things. Catalina has touched so many lives with her beautiful soul and her joyous personality. Catalina, you will forever be loved and missed. May you rest in peace. We send our greatest condolences to the Richard family. With love, Katy Loveall & Justin Mallett

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**Katy Loveall & Justin Mallett** - May 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ Army,  
*Sorry for the loss of your daughter. Stay strong & stand GRAND,  
praying for you and your family through this hard time. Lots of love!  
Blessings. We love you all..*

*Your Filipino's Family,  
Mark, Felnena and the boys Jenkins*

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**Mark, Felnena and the boys Jenkins** - May 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *Cat was the little Sister of a very special friend, Kelly Richard. I had  
the pleasure of meeting Cat once at Ozarks Food Harvest when she  
came in to meet up with her Sister, Kelly. Cat was just as special  
and loving as her Sister Kelly. Prayers for the entire Richard Family  
from the Boggs Family.*

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**Scott & Cindy Boggs** - May 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

S(

“ *I grew up with Cat, we went to school together for years. She was a  
wonderful friend,she helped me out when I needed her. We also  
worked together at Peggys Restaurant.. She was fun to be  
around,she was always happy and cheerful. Cat and I hadn't seen  
each other much after we graduated but I know that she had a  
wonderful life,she will be greatly missed.. I can remember spending  
the night with her and sleeping on the front porch and scaring the  
other girls about the scary neighbors lol..She was a chara ter for  
sure.. Love u Catty and u will always be remembered.*

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**Stacey Phillips (Braden)** - May 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ You are now as you always were, a shining star! Catalina, you will be missed!

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**Susan Smith** - May 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

K(

“ Catalina was a beautiful, talented and intelligent person who was taken from this world too young and too soon. There was never a dull moment when around Cat. Always smiling and never afraid to just be herself. I graduated with Cat and always knew that girl would do great things and accomplish so much, and she did. Heaven gained a beautiful angel that day. R.I.P Catalina Richard.

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**Kelsi Bailey (Peppel)** - May 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

B(

“ Cat was a beautiful young lady. She went to school with my little sister Stacey, and I went to school with Kelly. Cat was always a pleasant person to be around. I cannot remember anytime I ever seen her without a smile on her face. I always told Cat that she would grow up to become an actress!!! She was always such a great character! It breaks my heart that she was taken away so soon. She will always be in our hearts.

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**Brandy Williams (Braden)** - May 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM