



## Thaila Renee Kifer Pickett

December 11, 1958 - October 7, 2017

Thaila Renée Kifer Pickett, born December 11, 1958, daughter of Robert and Betty Kifer, passed from this earthly world at 9:45 a.m. on October 7, 2017 and went to be with her Savior in heaven where no multiple sclerosis exists and peace and joy reign. She spent the last several years at "Because We Care" nursing home with loving and concerned caregivers Sonny, Cindy, Dianne and Maria.

Thaila leaves behind, for a while; her parents Robert and Betty Kifer of Bolivar Missouri, her faithful sister Thora and husband Brian, children Zoe and Luke Anderson of Phoenix, Arizona; her protective brother Thane H. Kifer and wife Suzanne, nephew Drew Kifer and wife Jessica, baby Cora Jean, nephew Troy Kifer; Aunt Billy and Uncle Gene Hutcheson, all of Missouri; her husband Douglas Pickett, and a host of other relatives, friends and classmates who were so dear to her.

Thaila taught school for three years before being attacked with MS and had to quit. She was instrumental in starting Our Father's House Fellowship pastored by her brother-in-law Brian and sister Thora. It has grown into Vineyard Church of North Phoenix now with over 4500 members. She is dearly missed!

Thaila is survived by her parents, Robert and Betty Kifer of Bolivar, MO, her sister Thora Anderson and husband Brian of Peoria, AZ, and her brother,

Thane Kifer and wife Suzanne of Bolivar, MO.

A small graveside service will be held for immediate family and close friends.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made in Thail's honor to Care to Learn and delivered to the Farmers State Bank.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thaila Renee Kifer Pickett*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Thaila Renee Kifer Pickett*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *I cant believe Thaila is gone. She was such a beautiful woman, full of the glory of GOD. Thaila brought her sweet spirit of GOD everywhere she went. I met Thaila and husband Doug in a kinship group, when I started going to Vineyard of North Phoenix. Doug Gave me away at my wedding. I will forever ❤️💕 be blessed for having met such a wonderful, godly lady and her husband. Please know that my heart is happy, that Thaila is in heaven singing with my Kathleen.*

**Diana Laabs** - May 29, 2021 at 09:07 PM



“ *Deepest sympathies to all of you.*

*Larry and Kay (McColm) Davis*

**Larry and Kay McColm Davis** - October 15, 2017 at 04:19 PM

MW

“ I am so sorry to hear of the loss of Thaila. She was truly beautiful inside and out, and it can truly be said of her that our loss is heaven's gain. She was always so very sweet and kind to everyone, and I know she will be missed so much!! Thankful that we will see her again where there will be no pain or weakness or goodbyes!!

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**Myrna Hite Walker** - October 14, 2017 at 07:30 PM

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“ Remember Thaila when she was a very young girl. Knew she would grow into a lady that would make the world a little bit better. Our thoughts and prayers are with all the family at this time.

*Kent & Deeva Brummell*

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**Kent & Deeva Brummell** - October 12, 2017 at 05:46 PM

EJ

“ Mr. And Mrs. Kifer and family,  
Please accept my deepest condolences for the loss of sweet Thaila. I am blessed and thankful to have known her since fourth grade at Leonard elementary. She was the epitome of grace and kindness, who always knew just what to say and always did the right thing. She was friends with everyone and everyone loved her. I'm glad that we will see her again someday! You all are in my prayers for God's peace and comfort.

*Emily Brown Jansen (BHS Class of '77)*

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**Emily Jansen** - October 12, 2017 at 03:00 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Thaila Renee Kifer Pickett.



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October 11, 2017 at 07:22 PM



“ Sorry for your loss. Robert and Betty thinking of Thaila brings back memories of your children and ours in high school having fun times Harlie and Nancy Gallatin



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**Harlie and Nancy Gallatin** - October 10, 2017 at 08:26 PM



“ I am so sorry for your loss! Thaila was such a pretty lady.

*Anne Howe*

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**Anne Howe** - October 08, 2017 at 01:57 PM