



## Brittany Ann Malia Ruiz

November 21, 1983 - August 24, 2012

Brittany Ann Malia Ruiz age 28 passed away Friday August 24th 2012. She was born in Torrance CA on November 21st 1983.

She was a resident of Eastlake, and previously of California and Hawaii.

Funeral Service: Wednesday, August 29, 2012, 10:00 AM, St. Mary Magdalene in Willowick.

Memberships/Organizations:

Surfriders Foundation

She taught PSR for many years at St. Mary Magdalene and was a graduate of North High School 2001.

She is survived by her father: John Ruiz III, her mother: Barbara Briggs-Ruiz, her brother: John Ruiz IV, her sister: Chelsea Dan Musa, her two nephews, her grandmothers: Arlene Balash and Doris Ruiz, her grandfather: Jack Briggs, her great-grandmother: Irene Balash, and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Visitation: 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM , Tuesday

Place: Monreal Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake

# Tribute Wall

TS

“ *Brittany was such a sweet soul. She was an inspiration who will be missed dearly. Keeping you and your family close in thought and prayer.*

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**Tiffany Stehlik** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ *My Sweet Baby Cousin,  
I have so many amazing memories locked deep in my heart and soul. I was so privileged to watch you grow from a babygirl, into a beautiful young lady. Watching you play with my Sons Bryan and Joshua and all the time I spent with your Mom and Dad, as you kids were so small. Nothing can take away the image of your gorgeous smile I have in my memories of you. I love you so much little cousin and you will forever be remembered. I will miss you so much. I know you are our little angel and just remember as we will also, you were and are always truly loved and adored. Uncle Johnny and Auntie Barbara I am so sorry for your pain, just always know how much she loves you and always has.*

Shareyse

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**Shareyse Thorpe** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Dear Barbara, we are so sorry to hear of the loss of your baby. Our prayer is that God give all of you comfort and peace at this time, remembering God's assurance from 2 Corinthians 5:8, that to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. Though this doesn't lessen the grief and pain of losing someone we love, it can at least give us comfort to know that those we love do live on even after their journey on this earth has ended.*

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**Deanna and Richard Coleman** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Barb,  
Words can't express how we all feel about this tragedy. Know that we Love you! Remember the Good times-those are what count. Brittany has met Aunt Bonnie & Uncle Ollie in heaven, she's in Good company. We pray that Christ and the Holy Spirit will comfort you & the rest of the Family. Love conquers all, & Time helps but God heals.  
With Love  
Jennifer & Family

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**Jennifer Scott & Family** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ Barbara and Family,  
  
We love you and you all are in our prayers.

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**Chris and Jacque Tanner** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ Barb,  
It's hard to grasp what your going through. Our prayers & thoughts are with you. May God surround you with his Love & Peace.  
with Love  
Jeanne & Family

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**Jeanne Phillips** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

WU

“ Barb, My deep condolences to you and your family. I trust your beautiful memories of your life with your daughter help you through this difficult time.

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**Walt Ugrinic** - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

FV

“ Dear Barbara: You are in our thoughts and prayer. Our deepest sympathy to you and your family. God Bless all of you. John and Francine Vitale

Francine Vitale - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ I will miss you my Beautiful Niece.

Tina Beach - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ Britt,  
I will always remember your smile and all the laughs we had together at jarrett and all the good times we had playing outside till it was dark and than our parents calling us in for dinner. To bad we weren't here to help you in this time of need but now your in a better place pain free. We will miss you very much. Until we meet again rest in paradise.

Chey - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ I miss you sooo much, I love you always!!!

Alyson Greskowiak - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ Brittany,  
I love you and will miss you and our girl talks, me you and mom had. I am sorry we never made it to our lunch date. But some day I know I will see you again! Until then Goodbye you sweet angel!  
Sally

Sally kaseda - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DM

“Britt, im so sad to see you go. I wish that things were different and we could have helped you through this. I cant imagine where you were in that moment. I will always remember you for how free your heart was. You could laugh through anything and you loved with all your heart. You talked me through some rough nights and you helped us make the perfect pumpkins at halloween. I hope you find your way to wherever your your next journey starts.

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David McGee - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DR

“You were more like a sister than a cousin to me. I have WAY too many memories of you to list, plus... I don't feel like sharing them because they are mineours, and now it is all I have left. I'll miss doesn't even begin to explain how I feel. You have separated my life into a "before and after" scenario.

I love you,  
Dani

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Danielle A. Ruiz - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

KT

“So many memories, so many laughs, now so many tears... We met in Dr. Bogarts 9th grade geography class "the world speaks alphabet soup" We immediately became inseparable best friends. We caused trouble together, we studied together, we worked together, we even "crushed" together. You were there for me when I lost my father and now I have lost you. I remember when Dan broke up with me and you put on a shadow puppet show to cheer me up. On the back of your senior picture you wrote "we'll still be crazy friends even when were 80" and we will for I will never forget you, never stop missing you, and never stop loving you!

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Kristy McGee Tiderman - October 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM