



Shelia Travis

February 24, 1971 - March 10, 2009

After a 3 year battle with metastatic breast cancer, Shelia Lynn Branson-Travis was called home early Tuesday morning March 10, 2009 at the age of 38. Shelia was born February 24, 1971 in Dallas TX to Bob and Sylvia Branson. Shelia was a graduate of Dawson High School. At the age of 18 she met her husband, Les Travis and married February 15, 1992. The two resided in Blooming Grove with their children whom she loved and cherished. She pursued a 16 year career as a pharmacy technician at P&S Pharmacy in Corsicana. She always kept a smile on her face and never complained through all her struggles. She is preceded in death by her paternal grandparents Edgar and Mary Jane Branson; maternal grandparents Dave and Gertrue Tyer; brother Bobbie Branson; sister Faye Lane and sister Phyllis Coleman. She is survived by her husband Les Travis, two sons Loren and Clay Travis, daughter Katie Travis all of Blooming Grove; parents Bob and Sylvia Branson of Dawson; grandparents M.H. and Ida Blue of Corsicana; mother in law and father in law Leo and Pam Travis of Corsicana; brothers Brad Branson of Dawson and Robert Branson II of Belle, West Virginia; sisters Connie Faith of Dallas and Shirley Fugura of Cedar Creek; brother in law and sister in law J.C. and Tamara Rogers of Hillsboro; sister in law Ashley Travis of College Station; and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, cousins and friends. Visitation will be 6-8pm Wednesday March 11, 2009 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home. Services will be 10am Thursday March 12, 2009 at Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home with Bro. Grady Cashion officiating. Burial will follow

at Rose Hill Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Rob Brady, Jeffrey Dyess, Trae Southard, Scott McGraw, Mike McCarter and Trevor Boyde. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Breast Cancer Foundation.

Tribute Wall



“ *Shelia Travis*

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“ *My heart and prayers go out to you and your family Bodie.*

Ted Runnels - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Bodie ,
I know I have only been here a short time . I am so sorry for your
loss . Any time you need to talk I'am here . My home is always open
to you and the kids .*

Bill Scyoc - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are sorry for your loss you and your kids are in our prayers.*

J.B Hunt Transport - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

George Whorton - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Kim

Kim Beadle - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *Bodie/Kids,
I'm really sorry to hear about your wife/mom. If there's anything you need, always know we are here for you. Always remember the good time and keep her close to your heart. May you find comfort in knowing she's in a better place. May God bless all of you and help you through your time of need.*

Connie Leagon - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ *Les, I'm sorry to hear of your loss. I didn't know Sheila very well but I remember when ya'll started going out. She meant everything to you. She was very pretty. May God Bless you and your children. My prayers are with all of you, Dawn and family*

Dawn Sennett - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ *Words can never express the pain or hurt you feel when you hear that someone you love is sick. I know this to well, but nothing could ever prepare you for the loss you all have endured. We want you to know how much you all are in our thoughts and hearts. I can remember about 11 years ago spending New Years with you guys and I remember all the wonderful talks that Shelia and I had about you, Bodie and my fiance at the time. We laughed about kids and marriage. I only hope now that I carry myself with such grace and touch the life of my son as Shelia did with her kids. We are here for you always.....*

Kevin and Nicole Jewell - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ I am sorry to hear about Shelia. I know, from taking care of my dad and losing him after a long illness, how you all must feel. She was a great wife and mother, no doubt. As much as she will be missed you can take comfort in knowing that she will no longer have to suffer the way she has these last three years. My prayers go out to you and all of your extended families. I can still see her laughing after watching her climb up that 3-story truck after picking up the kids from our house.

Donnie Harris - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

HG

“ Bodie...Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We know this is such a hard time. If there is anything we can do please let us know.

Henry Pianalto & Becky Gibbons - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ Bodie, We are sorry for your loss, we will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers, may God be with you and help you through this tough time.

Derek & Kari Robinson - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ Our condolences go out to the Travis family for their lose and that may Our Lord now have Mrs. Travis by His side.

Victor M. Gonzalez & Family - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ So sorry to hear of your loss, my heart goes out to you and the kids.

Love, Tiffany

Tiffany Montgomery - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ *Sheila was a wonderful mother. She was also a good friend to me in the short amount of time I had to get to know her. She will be missed.*

Stacey Robbins - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ *My thought and prayers go out to her friends and family.*

Although the time we knew each other in school was brief she always held a place in my heart. She was one of a kind.

Darrell - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ *Bodie and Family, I am very sorry to hear of your loss. Your family are in my thoughts and prayers. May God bless all of you in your time of sorrow.*

Robert Warren - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. May God bless you and keep you strong.*

Carrie Wooldridge - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ME

“ I am so sorry for the loss you have all suffered, you are in our prayers.

Melissia Eastman - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ You and your family are in my prayers - I am very sorry for your loss.

Tami Wright - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

T(

“ Unfortunately, I had not seen Shelia from the time I left school and moved away right before our Junior year. I have, though, thought of her often and have some great memories of our times together at school and hanging out. She was always such a good friend! I know she will be missed dearly!! I will keep her and her family in my prayers always!

Tammy Hansen (Fleeman) - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ Bodie,
I am so sorry about Shelia! I know that there are no words to make the pain go away! I lost my sister 3 years ago and it still seems like it was yesterday!! I have you guys in my thoughts and prayers!!

Lori Strachan - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ My regrets for everything sheila had to go through. I enjoyed taken care of her for her last days. I will really miss seeing her and the family. I wish I could have known her before she got sick. Now that her suffering is over I'm glad I was there for her needs in her last days.

*Diane Humann
Family First Hospice*

Diane Humann FFH - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ Sheila was a very sweet person and ortho mom. I always enjoyed visiting with her when she would bring the kids in for their appointment. I will miss her sweet smile. I will keep your family in my thoughts and prayers.

Teresa Guerry - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ I am saddened. I feel sorry for the loss of Sheila. SHe was a good friend in school. She will be remembered for the good times and especiiially those wacky days during driving class.
I am sorry that i didn't stay in touch.

Keith Sanderlin - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *Shelia Travis*

Clifford Sandsmark - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ We're very sorry to hear about your family's loss. Our prayers and best wishes go out to to you all.

Ron Meintsma - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family Bodie.

Cindy Maxwell - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ Bodie, I'm so very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. May God Bless you all.

Sharon Cole - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ Brodie, My deepest sympathy goes out to you and your children. May God be by your side in your time of sorrow.

Priscilla Harvey - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JV

“ All our thoughts & prayers extended to your family, friends & loved ones.

Sincerely,

Joshua VanSickler & Family

JB Hunt Maintenance

Joshua VanSickler - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ *Bodie you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. I'm very sorry that your wife passed away but remember that she is in a better place.*

Bill

Bill Thomas - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ *Bodie, our thoughts & prayers are with you & your family. You are welcome in my home anytime.*

Steve Terry

Steve Terry - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ *My thoughts and prays are with you and the kids,Les.*

Deanna Francek - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ *Sorry for your loss,best of wishes*

Lawrence Poor - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Shelia was a wonderful person. She will be greatly missed.*

Alice Cantu Gray - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this hard time.*

God Bless you all

Marlene Long - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ *To the Travis family,
I am sorry to hear about the loss of Shelia. She was a fighter and always had a smile on her face, even when she was having a bad day. She was the strongest person I knew. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. God Bless You.*

Angela McCollum - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family . Shelia was a precious part of P & S Pharmacy , I truly enjoyed working with her the last 10 yrs. She was such a hard worker and always smiling and laughing. She will be greatly missed. God Bless you all*

Love ya'll

Julie

Julie Slaughter - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ *Well Bodie every good man seems to have an even better good woman by his side, sorry to hear of the passing of your wife. Condolences.*

Rick Dykes - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ I remember going with my sister Angela, who works at P&S Pharmacy, to Sheila's house when she was dignosed with breast cancer and we gave her a "pink" party. It was so much fun! My thoughts and prayers are with the Travis family.

Monica McCollum - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ I am truly sorry for your loss.

Mark Armstrong - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ Les and family, so sorry for the loss of Sheila, each time that I was around ya'll, she was always happy and a joy to be around, just know that you are all in our heart and prayers.

Love, Robbie and Ken

Robbie and Ken Swart - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ Bodie & Family, I can't express how sorry I am to hear about your loss. I know you will read a lot of the same type of messages as you go through these messages but I wanted to at least say I am thinking about you and your family today. Bodie I know you will have a different role to play in your families life now but being strong for your kids and letting time take its course will be the only thing that will lessen the pain your feeling. I only say this because I just recently lost my Mom to cancer and can understand how bad it can hurt to loose a loved one. I hope you and your family well and if there is anything I can do for you let me know.

Charlie Radcliffe

Charlie Radcliffe - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ *Bodie,
You and your family are in my heart, thoughts and prayers.*

Stacy Mize - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TM

“ *My wife and I are deeply saddened by the loss of your wife, mother of your children. I know the times are tough for you at this time and we grieve as well as you do. We will most definitely keep you and your family in our prayers. I pray that the Lord wil deeply bless you and your children and that he will ease your pain and sorrow. If ther is any light to this situation, at least now she is at rest and aat peace with the Lord. It is with joy to know her suffering is over, even though yours has just begun. Once again may the Lord Look down upon you and youor family and we will surely continue to pray for you in the sorrowful times.*

T.A. and Sharon Miles

T.A. Miles - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KM

“ *Bodie and kids, we were truly sorry to hear about your wife/mom this morning. If there is anything that we can do for your during this time, please let us know. Remember all of the good times in your heart and know that she is no longer in pain. May God bless you and be with you during this time.*

Ken Meyer - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ I am so sorry for your loss. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers. Shelia will always be in our hearts she was such a loving person. We all have great memories of her.

Kenny & Meryl Gibbs - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Sheila was the bravest person I have ever known. Her quiet dignity will live on in my memory forever.
I am honored to have worked with her.
Liz Watkins

Liz Watkins - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

God Bless

Amee Hooper - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Bodie, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. May God be with you and your family during this time.

Tina Spangler - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ Bodie please know our thoughts and prayers are with you in this trying time. May god bless you and your entire family..

LINDEL MCCOLLOUGH - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RB

“ my thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family in their time of loss

robert booty - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Bodie and family,
I am very sorry to hear of your loss! Shelia was a beautiful and sweet woman. I know your family has been through a lot. You are in my thoughts and prayers during this time.. God Bless you, your children and family through this tough time.

Rhonda Freeland - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ MY PRAYERS ARE WITH THE FAMILY.

KIM RALEY - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ Bodie, We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the kids. May God wrap his loving arms around you all and carry you through the days ahead. Please let us know if there is anything we can do. God Bless Each of You.

Debbie Meador - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ We are so sorry for your loss, with God and time you will make it through this tough time. We are praying for you all..

Pair Family - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ *Bodie, my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time. God Bless you all*

Margaret Knox - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *I WILL NOT LEAVE YOU COMFORTLESS.I WILL COME TO YOU (JOHN : 14,18)*

james jones - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RT

“ *Bodie, words can't express sorrow we feel for you and your kids. God works in mysterious ways but something like this is never easy. I hope you can find comfort through God's grace, and I pray he will look over you and your kids. We have been thinking of you and your family and hope you know we are with you in spirit as you go through this loss, God be with you. From Richard Thomas and family.*

richard thomas - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ *Bodie we are very sorry for your loss. You and your children are in our thoughts and prayers. God bless you and your family.*

Joe & Denise Page - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ *I am so sorry to hear that she passed away Bob and Sylvia. My thought and prayers are with your family.*

beth (stone) lewis

beth (stone) lewis - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ I knew Sheila through my mother, Carrie Gibson, who worked with her at P&S Pharmacy. Anytime I would go in there to see my mom, Sheila was always very friendly and always spoke with a kind smile on her face. When I had my son, Sheila gave me gifts which matched my Noah's Ark theme, and I always really appreciated her thoughtfulness. My thoughts and prayers will be with her family.

Danielle Gibson - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

EP

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts & prayers are with you.

Efrain & Vicki Perez - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ Leslie,
You know we have always considered you as one of our own. We love you and and we are hurting for you. Know that your loved and we are here for you. Our prayers are with you and your children. You will not walk this path alone.

*" Depend on the Lord; Trust Him,
and He Will Take Care of You"*

Psalm 37:5

Kenneth and Sharlotte Coker - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Bodie, Although I do not you or your wife Shelia personally. My wife and me were saddened to hear about the death of your wife and the mother to your children. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you during this time of grief and may GOD comfort you all in your sorrow. There are no words to say that will comfort you now, but know that time will ease your pain. As I have experianced that during the death of my father and brother six years ago. John16:20 Jesus says I tell you the truth, you will weep and mourn while the world rejoices. You will grieve, but your grief will turn to joy.*

Jeff and Cara hickman - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ *Dear Boddie and family words can not say enough. We are very sorry for your loss. Rest in peace Shelia.*
The Kuhn's

Ron and Sabrina Kuhn - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TT

“ *Bodie and Family: We are sorry to hear of your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers at this difficult time.*

Todd & Carrie Teetz - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Who really knows what to say in these things? I will say this; I enjoyed Shelia being my sister in law. She and I married into a family that we were able to both share a laugh about every now and then. I will remember sitting somewhere and someone saying something odd and she and I looking at each other and laughing or rolling our eyes. She was a good person and my daughters loved her as an Aunt and as friend. Haley asked me last night if God will let Shelia take her stuffed lady bug to Heaven. I told her that I don't think God would have it any other way.

J.C. Rogers - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ I am deeply saddened to hear of your family's loss.. I remember Sheila as a very quiet and friendly person. My prayers go out to the family , Les and the children. My thoughts are with you..

LeAnn Crocker - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RO

“ BODIE, I'm so sorry for your loss and wish to say that i will pray for u and your family

Rodney Obenshain - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

L(

“ I knew Shelia from years ago...she was always smiling and very sweet....I am so sorry for your loss. I will keep your family in my prayers and thoughts during this time of grief.

Laura Brooks (Miller) - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Your family will be in my prayers. Sheila was such a fun person to be around. With all she went through, she never complained and always kept that special smile on her pretty face. She was such a brave lady.

Marsha Murphey - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BP

“ Sheila was an exceptional person. She was truly a warrior. She loved her family very much and desperately fought to stay here with them. She gave her P&S coworkers a beaded night light for Christmas. The light that shines from it will forever remind me of Sheila's radiant spirit. She will be sorely missed but never forgotten.

Betty Prather - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Bodie and Family: I can not provide the words that will bring you comfort or peace during this time of your lives so I will pass onto you a few words from the Lord who can provide what you and your family need. " But God will redeem my soul from the grave: he shall receive me". Psalms 49:15 I did not know your wife but if she put her faith in Jesus Christ I know that according to the Bible she is in his presence. I know this in fact due to the fact that the grave my Savior lay in sits empty this day and forever. In the book of Matthew 28:18 the resurrected Savior told his disciples that " All Power is given unto me in heaven and in earth". He is ALIVE and so is Shelia Travis, more so than she has ever been! God be with you and your family.

Tim Hudspeth Family - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM

VE

“ I was very sad to hear about Shelia's death, although I have not kept in touch over the past 20 years, I have very fond memories of our friendship. I remember what a nice person Shelia always was and how smart she was in school. I especially remember her beautiful penmanship and how she was able to draw the smallest of details on the wooden crafts that her family would make and we would sell for our class fundraisers. My thoughts and prayers are with her family.

Veronica(Renteria)Peloquin - March 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM