



Stephen Ross Blalock

JUN 18, 1959 - SEP 6, 2016



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Services for Stephen “Steve” Ross Blalock, 57, of Longview will be held on Friday, September 9, 2016 at 2pm in the Chapel of Rader Funeral Home. A visitation will be held at the funeral home on Thursday, September 8, from 6-8pm. Steve joined his daughter, Kinsey, in Heaven on Wednesday, September 6, 2016.

Steve was born on June 18, 1959 in Commerce, Texas to parents Giles and Juanita Blalock. He graduated from Harleton High School where he was an accomplished athlete, participating in baseball and basketball. Following high school, Steve attended Kilgore Junior College and Texas A&M. After a lengthy employment at Texas Eastman, as well as owning his own flooring business, Steve returned to school and received his RN. He was currently employed by Select Specialty Hospital. Steve enjoyed riding his motorcycle and spending time reading books.

Steve was preceded in death by his daughter, Mackinsey “Kinsey” Blalock. Those left to cherish their memories of Steve include his wife, Maranee Blalock; his parents, Giles and Juanita Blalock; His daughter, Nikki Moon (Cody); step-son Devon Gaddis; grandchildren, Avery and Kamden Moon; brother, Tim Blalock (Laura); nephew Austen Blalock; niece Alisa Sky Eagle-Smith (James). Steve will also be remembered by his numerous special friends and extended family.



Events


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Visitation

 **Thursday**, September 8, 2016

 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM CT


 **Rader Funeral Home of Longview**
1617 Judson Road, Longview TX 75601



Chapel Service - Longview

 **Friday**, September 9, 2016

 2:00 PM CT

 **Rader Funeral Home of Longview Chapel**
1617 Judson Rd, Longview TX 75601





Tribute Wall

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Karen Ross lit a candle in honor of Stephen.



September 15 at 5:08 AM



Angie Mctee posted:

I stopped outside Select last week and again today; trying to give Steve a card. he was a wonderful nurse to my husband and needed to know. the news I received just crushed my heart. my prayers to his family and may you find some peace in the future. 🙏❤️🙏 Angie McTee

September 11 at 1:13 PM



Barbara Sadler lit a candle in honor of Stephen.



September 9 at 4:55 AM



Mark & Debra Alford September 13 at 3:07 AM

Our prayers are with your family! May God's peace embrace you in your time of great loss!



Barbara Sadler September 9 at 4:56 AM

Maranee, you & your family are in our prayers. Sending our love!



Anonymous sent a Country Basket Blooms to the Blalock family.



September 9 at 4:07 AM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Blalock family.



September 9 at 3:49 AM



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JJ

Joe B Jones posted:

Prayers to all the family, especially Giles, Juanita, and Tim! Good memories of Steve from high school and Texas A&M! Joe and Frances Jones

September 9 at 2:44 AM

MB

Milton & Imogene Bass posted:

Prayers For All The Family. Milton & Imogene Bass

September 8 at 4:20 PM

MM

Mike & Leisa Moon sent a Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet to the Blalock family.



September 8 at 3:39 PM

DR

Dennis Ridgeway posted:

I am at a total loss! I've known The entire Blalock family my whole life and think of all of you often! I have spoken of Steve often being able to hit a basket every shot from the outside corners of the basketball court. He will always be in my thoughts and memories along with Tim, Giles and Juanita. I feel blessed to have known Steve and his entire family! My life has been better for it!

September 8 at 2:39 PM

IW

Iantha Woods posted:

So sorry for your loss. Steve has touched the lives of many whom he has worked with and took care of. He will definitely be missed. " Weeping may endure for the night but joy cometh in the morning" May you rest in peace!

September 8 at 1:47 PM



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Pamela Wright posted:

My heart goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Blalock. Steve was my husband's best friend and I was introduced to him in high school. He was always so funny and witty. I loved his sense of humor. Our daughters grew up together, and I know that Kinsey's death shattered him. We love you, Steve. I hope you have found peace. Pam Wright

September 8 at 11:47 AM



Janice Pirkey lit a candle in honor of Stephen.



September 8 at 11:00 AM

TM Tammy Martin September 9 at 4:52 AM

It is Friday morning and I just found out about Steve. I am at a loss for words for the family. I have know Steve and this precious family even before Steve and I started first grade in miss Joyce's first grade class. Class of 1977 has lost another loved one but heaven and Kinsey await Steve. RIP dear Steve. Love from Tammy and Walter Martin Brittany Martin



Po Box 827, Harleton, Tx. 75651 sent a Serene Retreat to the Blalock family.



September 8 at 10:20 AM



Kim Russell lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

I am so sorry and shock to hear about Steve, he was always such a sweet man! Prayers to all of you. Debbie, girl, I am so sorry for you, more than your share of loss. Love you! Kim (Sanford) Russell



September 8 at 6:56 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Blalock family.



September 8 at 6:40 AM



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Anonymous sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Blalock family.



September 8 at 6:24 AM



Jim posted:

Steve and I met in grade school at Harleton in the fall of 1969. He was always involved in sports and was pedal-to-the-floor into everything. He was tough as nails and often played with injuries. My best memories are of summer baseball. It seemed more relaxed. The last time I saw him was in the fall of 1980. Nanette E called me Sunday evening with the news. It was a time to reflect and so last evening I flew an airplane watching the sunset here in eastern Virginia thinking about Steve and the many others of the class of 1977 who have passed from this life. May our Lord Jesus Christ greet you on the other side of the river. Peace to you. Jim Byrd.

September 8 at 3:55 AM



Brad And Amy posted:

Prayers to all family, loved ones and friends. Words can not express the sorrow we feel. Steve you were very loved by so many. We will miss you so much!Brad and Amy Martin

September 8 at 3:50 AM



Brad & Amy Martin lit a candle in honor of Stephen.



September 8 at 3:46 AM



Brad And Amy September 8 at 3:48 AM

Words can not express the sorrow we feel. Prayers for the family and all loved ones and friends



Mabelle Henderson posted:

God bless and keep you in His care. Love and prayers for you and your loved ones. Mabelle

September 8 at 3:16 AM



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Mary Collier posted:

Our love and prayers are with Juanita and Giles and the family. Love, Mary and Pat Collier

September 8 at 2:26 AM



Anonymous sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Blalock family.



September 7 at 11:43 PM



Leslie Drake posted:

No words can express the pain in our hearts. Such an awesome nurse and genuine person. Truly enjoyed him as a co-worker and good friend. Although he will be missed terribly, he's finally at peace. We love you Stevie-B! Prayers for the family.

September 7 at 8:59 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Blalock family.



September 7 at 6:30 PM



Elizabeth Jones lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

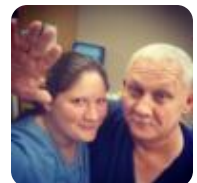


September 7 at 6:27 PM



Julia Alexander shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Such a blessing to work with Steve, his humor and spirit will be missed; prayers to his family....



September 7 at 6:00 PM



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JR

Janet Russom posted:

All of you are in our prayers ❤️🙏😊 Janet and Allen Russom

September 7 at 4:21 PM

CR

Carol Roe lit a candle in honor of Stephen.



September 7 at 4:21 PM

AS

Alex And Denise Staley posted:

Always a pleasure to work with. He will be truly missed. Our hearts hurt. Prayers to the family. Alex and Denise Staley

September 7 at 4:09 PM

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Alex And Denise Staley posted:

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September 7 at 4:07 PM

LM

Lisa Martinez lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

He was very caring! Patients and families enjoyed him as a nurse. He will be truly missed



September 7 at 3:56 PM

JE

Jennifer Epps lit a candle in honor of Stephen.



September 7 at 3:50 PM



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Becky Pennington posted:

Steve was the best! I have so many memories of him at work. I will truly miss him. My thoughts and prayers to the family.

September 7 at 3:04 PM



Tiffany Flanagan lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

Im just at a loss of words. Steve was a gteat nurse, and i enjoyed our nights working together at Select. He will truly be missed

September 7 at 2:44 PM



Nicole Privett Holley lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

September 7 at 1:55 PM



Marquita Jones lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

September 7 at 1:46 PM



MJ **Marquita Jones** September 7 at 1:47 PM
Miss u buddy! Rest In Peace!!!



Martha Croft lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

September 7 at 1:28 PM



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September 7 at 1:26 PM





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MM

Mike & Leisa Moon lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

September 7 at 1:24 PM



WE

Webb posted:
prayers to those left behind, you will be missed RIP webb

September 7 at 1:24 PM

KG

Kerrye Gossett lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

September 7 at 1:12 PM



Anonymous sent a Basket of Joy to the Blalock family.

September 7 at 12:35 PM



RG

Rosalyn Glaspie lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

I worked with Steve here at Select Medical. He was a joy to work with. Will miss his Barbecue ribs. I am so sorry for your Loss. RIP STEVE

September 7 at 12:08 PM



LD

Leslie Drake lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

September 7 at 12:07 PM





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Misty Pratt lit a candle in honor of Stephen.

September 7 at 12:05 PM



Anonymous sent a Sentimental Dreams to the Blalock family.

September 7 at 12:03 PM





Media

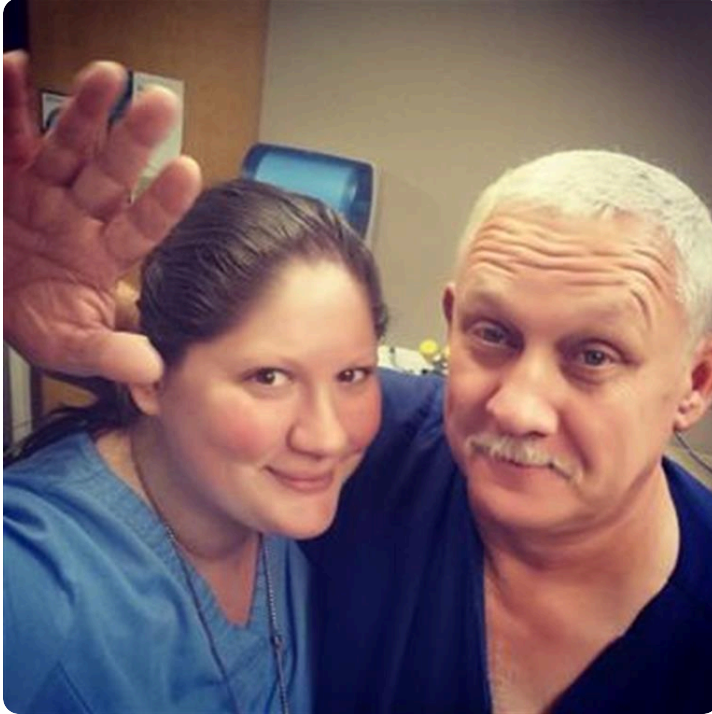
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Julia Alexander shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

September 7 at 6:00 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Stephen by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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