



## Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells

September 3, 1982 - August 11, 2025

Melinda Blair Sorrells, wife of Richard Brian Sorrells, passed away on Monday, August 11, 2025.

A native of Westminster SC, Melinda was the daughter of Travis Michael “Mike” Blair (Lesia) and Elizabeth A. Buckner. She was a member of Souls Harbor Baptist Church.

In addition to her husband Melinda is survived by her son: Rylee Sorrells; daughter: Madison Brown (Jaelind); brothers: Michael Blair (Kayla), Jeremiah Blair and Daniel Buckner; step-sister: Valerie Rankin (Jamie); sisters: Emily Buckner, Jasmine Arney and Jade Buckner; other survivors include her mother and father-in-law: Rhonda and Ronnie Sorrells; sisters-in-law: Beverly Ivester (Chuck) and Stacey Murray special friend: Annette Ivester and family; and a number of nieces and nephews;

Melinda was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents: Tommy and Joan Blair; and maternal grandparents: George Byrd, Jr. and Linda.

The family will receive friends and family from 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM, prior to the service, on Friday, August 15, 2025, at Souls Harbor Baptist Church, 9468 Long Creek Highway, Westminster, SC 29693 followed by a funeral service at noon in the church and burial to follow at Heritage Memorial Gardens in

Westminster, SC.

Flowers are accepted.

# Cemetery Details

## Heritage Memorial Gardens

4500 South Highway 11  
Westminster, SC 29693

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 15. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Souls Harbor Baptist Church  
9468 Long Creek Hwy  
Westminster, SC 29693

## Funeral Service

AUG 15. 12:00 PM (ET)

Souls Harbor Baptist Church  
9468 Long Creek Hwy  
Westminster, SC 29693

# Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.

August 16, 2025 at 06:06 PM



“ Kathy Bramlett lit a candle in memory of Melinda Sorrells



Kathy Bramlett - August 15, 2025 at 08:56 AM



“ Melinda was a wonderful lady and loved her family and friends. She will be missed by so many and that void will be felt for a long time.



Lois Leeson - August 14, 2025 at 06:51 PM



“ Prayers going out to you guys. This absolutely breaks my heart! She was such a joy to be around. She truly didn't realize just how dang amazing she was or how awesome it was to be in her presence. I'm immensely grateful to have had a special friendship with her for many many years. She will be sorely missed by so many. Rest easy, Sweetness. I'll be looking forward to the day when we meet again. Sending love, solace, and comforting vibes to the fam.



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**Christie Roach** - August 14, 2025 at 03:58 PM

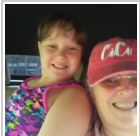


“ Love from your Sandvik Coromant Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



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**Love from your Sandvik Coromant Family** - August 14, 2025 at 01:04 PM



“ May you find comfort in the memories you have to cherish always. Special thoughts and prayers for family and friends.



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**Cindy King** - August 14, 2025 at 11:26 AM

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“ -Sandvik SRT Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.

-Sandvik SRT Team - August 14, 2025 at 08:11 AM

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“ -Sandvik SRT Team purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



-Sandvik SRT Team - August 14, 2025 at 08:11 AM

WM

“ Wes & Rebecca McAlister lit a candle in memory of Melinda Sorrells



Wes & Rebecca McAlister - August 14, 2025 at 05:08 AM

BB

“ Brenda Barnes lit a candle in memory of Melinda Sorrells



Brenda Barnes - August 14, 2025 at 04:49 AM

WB

“ Wayne F. Barton lit a candle in memory of Melinda Sorrells



Wayne F. Barton - August 13, 2025 at 10:43 PM



“ Lynn Bates sent a virtual gift in memory of Melinda Sorrells



Lynn Bates - August 13, 2025 at 07:46 PM

AG

“ Allen, Misty, and Hayden Gilliam purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



Allen, Misty, and Hayden Gilliam - August 13, 2025 at 04:23 PM

WT

“ With sympathy, The IBI Plastics Team purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



With sympathy, The IBI Plastics Team - August 13, 2025 at 03:54 PM

WB

“ Wayne F. Barton lit a candle in memory of Melinda Sorrells



Wayne F. Barton - August 13, 2025 at 01:12 PM

WB

Our prayers and deepest sympathy for entire family! Wayne & Wanda Barton 🙏

Wayne F. Barton - August 14, 2025 at 08:00 PM

LM

“ Melinda will truly be missed. She was such a sweet person with a kind spirit. We are really going to miss her. Praying for all of her family.



Laura Moore - August 13, 2025 at 01:02 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



August 13, 2025 at 11:50 AM

BC

“ Brian & Ryan Cotten purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



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**Brian & Ryan Cotten** - August 13, 2025 at 10:05 AM

BC

“ Brian & Ryan Cotten planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.

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**Brian & Ryan Cotten** - August 13, 2025 at 10:05 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



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August 13, 2025 at 09:55 AM

BA

“ Bryan and Rhonda Andrews planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.

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**Bryan and Rhonda Andrews** - August 13, 2025 at 09:22 AM

BA

“ Bryan and Rhonda Andrews purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



Bryan and Rhonda Andrews - August 13, 2025 at 09:22 AM

YF

“ Your BASF Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.



Your BASF Family - August 13, 2025 at 08:31 AM

OS

“ Sorry for your loss. Our prayers go out to you and your family. Sending our love to you. Gene and Mae Stegall

Ollie Stegall - August 12, 2025 at 09:16 PM

JW

“ I grew up going to school with Melinda. She was always a great friend. Will keep the family in my prayers.

Jeremy Whitfield - August 12, 2025 at 08:32 PM



Broke my heart. She was the sweetest and I'm so thankful and grateful for all the years of the most awesome friendship. She truly didn't realize just how wonderful she REALLY was!!

Christie Roach - August 14, 2025 at 03:52 PM

JP

“ *Annette I am so sorry to hear about Melinda. I will keep you in my heart.* ”

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**Jill Patterson** - August 12, 2025 at 08:02 PM

CJ

“ *Carolyn Johnston purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.* ”



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**Carolyn Johnston** - August 12, 2025 at 07:36 PM

TC

“ *Tanisha Campbell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells* ”



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**Tanisha Campbell** - August 12, 2025 at 06:31 PM

TC

“ *Melinda will truly be missed. She was more than a co-worker, but also someone I considered to be a true friend. She was definitely one of a kind. A memory that I have and will always remember her by is her genuine smile and laughter. I've never met anyone that could never keep up with their keys or cellphone more than Melinda. Although we have only known each other for about 7 years or so I feel like I've known her, Brian and Riley for a lifetime. Prayers for Brian, Riley and the rest of the family. Rest on my sweet friend.*

*Love Tanisha Campbell and family.*



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**Tanisha Campbell** - August 12, 2025 at 06:30 PM

SF

“ *Stacy Banks-Thames and Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Melinda Blair Sorrells.*



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**Stacy Banks-Thames and Family** - August 12, 2025 at 05:37 PM