

Mindy Bradley

On Tuesday, January 8, 2008, Mindy Bradley stepped into the arms of her Savior, Jesus Christ. She fought a hard four-year battle with breast cancer, and though her body finally wore down, her faith held strong. As a result of her trust in Jesus, she now is enjoying the presence of His glory.

Mindy was born in Ft. Worth on April 28, 1962, to Orval and Wanda Pinson. Even as a little girl, it was obvious to all who heard her that she had been gifted with a beautiful singing voice. Through High School, she was a soloist at the First Baptist Church in Dallas, Texas. It was that beautiful voice that first caught the attention of the one who would become her lifelong sweetheart. On December 17, 1983, she married David Bradley, and they had two daughters, Rebecca and Rachel.

Mindy was active serving her Lord at the First Baptist Church in Grapeland. As the pastor's wife, she served



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behind the scenes continually as his encourager, confidant, counselor, and best friend. She led the women's ministry, directed Vacation Bible School, sang in the choir, and whatever else she was able to do, as long as she could. After her first round of chemotherapy, when she thought the cancer was gone, she started a service dog organization, with the vision of helping those who are disabled gain their independence with a specially trained service dog. Through Canine

Crossroads, she was able to touch many lives.

Her greatest love, other than her Savior, was her husband and girls. She left a void that will never be filled until Jesus comes.

Along with her husband and parents, she is survived by her daughters: Rebecca Clark and her husband, Heath, and Rachel Bradley all of College Station, Texas. She is also survived by her sister, Deborah Snyder and her husband Christopher of Magnolia, Texas, as well as nieces and nephews.

The funeral services were held at 1 p.m. on Friday, January 10, 2008, at the First Baptist Church Grapeland with Dr. Bill Jones officiating. Burial followed in Grapeland City Cemetery.

Pallbearers were the deacons of First Baptist Church Grapeland.

Condolence calls were received Thursday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Church.

Arrangements are under the direction of Bailey and Foster Funeral Home.