



## Marilyn Elizabeth Baker

May 11, 1988 - July 23, 2016

Marilyn Elizabeth Baker of Fort Myers Florida died on Saturday July 23rd, 2016. She was 28 years old. Marilyn was born in Syracuse New York on May 11, 1988. She followed her two brothers Deegan and Dustin Baker as their beloved little sister in her birth and then as their best friend throughout their lives. She moved with her family to Fort Myers in 1990. Marilyn graduated from Ida Baker High School in 2006. Marilyn called many her friend, and loved with all her heart. She was bright, beautiful, generous and kind. She is survived by her parents David Baker and Maureen Leahy and brothers Deegan and Dustin, who are joined today in their sorrow, and together in their love for her. Her maternal grandmother Marilyn Leahy, many aunts, uncles, cousins, nephews and nieces, and so many friends near and far are also joined in love and mourning for this precious one who left us too soon.

A celebration and remembrance of Marilyn's life will be held on Friday evening at 6pm at Community of Christ Church, a church family who cared for and ministered to her in faith and love. 368 Herron Road, North Fort Myers, Florida 33903

Arrangements and a memorial page are in place at [www.gendronfuneralhome.com](http://www.gendronfuneralhome.com)

Donations or gifts in lieu of flowers will be for a memorial in Marilyn's name to:  
The Hertzberg Palliative Care Institute at Mount Sinai Hospital in Manhattan

c/o Katie Madden

Brookdale Department of Geriatrics and Palliative Medicine

Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **29**. 6:00 PM (ET)

Community of Christ Church  
368 Herron Road  
North Fort Meyers, FL 33903  
(239) 997-2303

# Tribute Wall



“ *Marilyn Elizabeth Baker*

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



“ *Marilyn Elizabeth Baker*

January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



“ *Carly Blaker lit a candle in memory of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker*



**carly blaker** - April 23, 2017 at 09:38 PM



“ *Our lives were graced with being able to have been part of your life, We were one big crazy family for many years. The countless laughs and drama you girls created! Wouldn't change it for anything. You will always be in our hearts and forever loved.*

*Our hearts ache for you Maureen, Dave, Deegan, Dustin and the rest of the family keeping you in prayer.*

*Tim and Stephanie Rowe*



**Stephanie Rowe** - July 29, 2016 at 08:12 PM



“ I remember my first time meeting you, you said that's it, you have become my Irish twin and we are now best friends. I am so happy I got to know you. You were such an amazing person I am thankful for the memories I have of you everytime I saw you you were smiling I wish I could see your beautiful smile once more rest in peace my angel I will miss u so much 🥹🥹🥹 Rachel (your Irish twin)💔



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Rachel Macsweeney - July 29, 2016 at 05:01 PM

SR

“ I was sadden to hear of the loss of Marilyn. My heart goes out to the family. Maureen, Deegan & Dustin. Praying for peace for you all at this time. Marilyn was a good friend to Lindsay my daughter. I will always remember Marilyn and her pretty smile and beautiful blue eyes. May you feel God's love for you at this time.  
Susie Ransome



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Susie Ransome - July 29, 2016 at 04:35 PM

TS

“ We remember meeting Marilyn (Mel) when she was in Elementary School, as a bright, full of personality and very mature little girl who was always following and looking up to her big brothers. A tragic loss, where NO parent should ever have to lay their child to rest. We are making a donation to the charity listed on the page on behalf of and in the name of Marilyn. Much strength to the family.

*Toby & Victoria Sheaf*



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**Toby Sheaf** - July 29, 2016 at 04:05 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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July 29, 2016 at 12:29 AM

GG

“ *I met Marilyn when I was in the first grade. We have many childhood memories that make my heart happy and sore at the same time. She was not only a great sister to me in the time we had but an amazing friend. She was without a doubt, one of a kind and someone I will never forget.  
Love you always Marilyn Elizabeth.*

*Johnni*

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**giovanna giacchino** - July 28, 2016 at 08:50 PM

AY

“ *and we are here for you. purchased the Bountiful Rose Basket for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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**and we are here for you.** - July 28, 2016 at 05:42 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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July 28, 2016 at 02:49 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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July 28, 2016 at 12:19 PM

SG

“ *Shane Gobeil purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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**Shane Gobeil** - July 27, 2016 at 07:04 PM

TF

“ *The Maningo & Peters Families purchased the Serenity Wreath for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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**The Maningo & Peters Families** - July 27, 2016 at 05:28 PM

DK

“ *Although our families have lost touch it's been great to reconnect on Facebook. I was so sad to here of your loss. I have been thinking of all the Leahys this week and just know that I send prayers and condolences. So very sorry. Miss you and love you all,*



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**donna kleiman** - July 27, 2016 at 05:09 PM

DW

“ *She loved NYC* ❤️



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**Deanna Williams** - July 27, 2016 at 12:01 PM

DW

“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



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**Deanna Williams** - July 27, 2016 at 11:30 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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July 27, 2016 at 11:18 AM



“ *To My Beauty Marilyn , you are now resting in a better place . We shared memories laughs & love . Not only my co worker but my friend . It's hard to know I won't ever see you again or hear from you again but you will forever be in my heart . We gained a wonderful bond and a beautiful friendship . I will always keep you in my prayers just please watch over me your friends & family . I Love You So Much My Beautiful Angel*



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**Deanna Williams** - July 27, 2016 at 11:17 AM



“ *Sending my prayers, Maggie Dewine (bluemercury) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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**Sending my prayers, Maggie Dewine (bluemercury)** - July 27, 2016 at 10:44 AM

DW

“ It's hard dealing with loosing someone you were so close to work together everyday shared stories laughs & memories . We've known one another since October 2015 but feels like forever . We gained a bond that was unbreakable . My little baby love Marilyn was my best friend at work I am going to miss you so much loved you as a sister . Your now in a better place now watch over your friends and family . God Bless You BabyGirl



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**Deanna Williams** - July 27, 2016 at 10:25 AM

AF

“ Marilyn is now forever a shining star, bright beautiful and beaming bringing love and happiness to all who knew and loved her my she rest peacefully in Gods grace  
Rest in peace "lil bit" I will always love you your coworker and work mom  
April

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**april fielder** - July 27, 2016 at 10:02 AM

Tes  
Perez

“ Tes Perez lit a candle in memory of Marilyn  
Elizabeth Baker



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**Tes Perez** - July 27, 2016 at 09:11 AM

Tes  
Perez

*On this day, I light a pink candle for you, Marilyn. A symbol of universal love--the purest form of it. You'll always be the laughing girl in the hoodie to me. Please look after your best friend, Carly, she needs your guidance during these hard times. My condolences to the Baker family and friends.*

*Catch ya' on the flip side.*

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**Tes Perez** - July 27, 2016 at 09:16 AM

JM

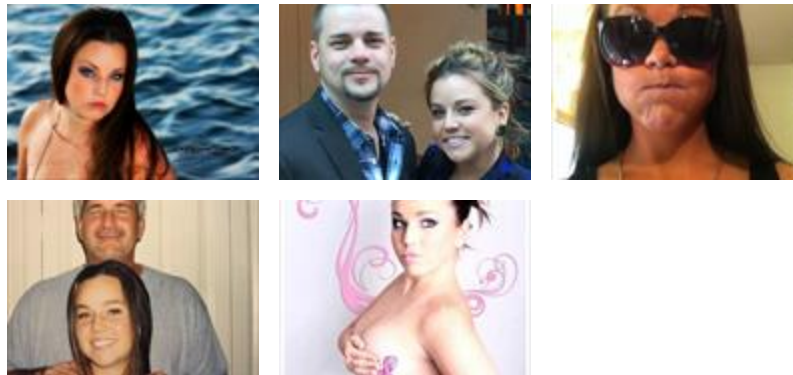
*Marilyn was a beautiful girl both inside and out. She will always be remembered by me as intelligent, questioning, humorous, kind, and loving. She was a dear friend of my daughter Carly. I had the privilege of being her teacher at Ida S.Baker HS where I grew to love her. Recently, I found a card that she wrote to me after graduation. She expressed gratitude and love in the card....so like this petite blessing. May God bless her family. She is with our sweet Lord.  
Jandy McCoy*

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**Jandy McCoy** - July 27, 2016 at 11:20 AM

MA

“ 8 files added to the album Marilyn Baker



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**maureen** - July 27, 2016 at 08:24 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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July 27, 2016 at 12:02 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your beloved daughter. Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family David.*

*With deepest sympathy,*

*Clare Rothschild*

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**Clare Rothschild** - July 26, 2016 at 10:28 PM



“ *My condolences go out to the family of Lynn .she was beautiful in n out n shell be missed forever. Y r we all going so young?*

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**shauna grove** - July 26, 2016 at 08:57 PM



“ *Marilyn was one of the coolest people I have ever met. She was always happy and had compassion for others. God gained a sweet, sweet, Angel.... And to the Baker's you are all in my prayers.....*

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**JoDee Tharp** - July 26, 2016 at 08:50 PM

MD

“ *Megan Baker and Dawn Davis purchased the Gift of Grace Bouquet for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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**Megan Baker and Dawn Davis** - July 26, 2016 at 07:36 PM

Alice Schaefer

“ *Maureen: We've not been close since you left Hope, but I was glad to see you once in a while on Facebook, doing so well. I'm so sorry about your daughter. Hugs and love to you and your family. Alice Schaefer.*

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**Alice Schaefer** - July 26, 2016 at 06:22 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marilyn Elizabeth Baker.*



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July 26, 2016 at 06:15 PM



“ *My condolences goes out the the baker family. Marilyn was a great friend and a great person. She will truley be missed and never forgotten.*



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**Daniel McClellan** - July 26, 2016 at 06:11 PM

WV

“ Sweet girl, you were a bright light. The last time I saw you across a parking lot you called my name and held your arms out, always a joy to see you, fly high with your Saviour

Wendy Vernon - July 26, 2016 at 02:32 PM



“ I'll never forget her laugh- and how down-to-earth she was, as though she had no clue what a lovely young woman she'd become. See you soon little Rosebud.

Paulette LeBlanc - July 26, 2016 at 02:17 PM

JW

“ Unfortunately I did not know you, only stories and photos your mom would share of how very proud she was of you and how much she loved her beautiful daughter, gone to soon and missed unimaginably!  
My heart goes out to Green and your entire family sending prayers for peace to you and your family and that Marilyn rest peacefully until you meet again.

Jane welsh - July 26, 2016 at 01:28 PM

MN

On angel wings fly. My deepest condolences to all the family and of course to our beloved Maureen. Who knows of the ways of heaven and earth . My heart my hands my soul hold you all - mara neimanis

mara neimanis - July 26, 2016 at 03:02 PM

 Jessica Nunn

“ I'm so devastated. Marilyn loved Every one and her smile was contagious. I can't believe this. She will be so missed and forever loved.

Jessica Nunn - July 26, 2016 at 11:38 AM

NJ

“ *Marilyn, I'm so lucky we met and became friends. Your light always shined bright and your personality was one of a kind. You will be dearly missed my friend. To the family, I'm so sorry for your loss.*



Noël Jacoboni - July 26, 2016 at 11:22 AM

Kim  
Fisackerly

“ *I'll forever remember the Chrysalis weekend we shared together. What a sweet, caring, and FUN young woman! My heart is broken for all who knew and loved her, but may her kindness continue on in all of us! I pray God will richly pour out His love, healing, and peace upon her family and loved ones.*

Kim Fisackerly - July 26, 2016 at 10:54 AM

BP

“ *Dear Maureen, and all of Marilyn's family, Our hearts are broken with you, utterly broken. We are beyond words, only wishing we could sit beside you and offer love in person. In our thoughts, we are there. Hoping the love is reaching you and holding you up.*

*Barbara and David*

barbara price - July 26, 2016 at 10:32 AM



“ *3 files added to the album Marilyn Baker*



Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc. - July 26, 2016 at 09:00 AM