



Savannah Belle Edgar

March 31, 2007

Savannah Belle Edgar, age 18, died Saturday, March 31, 2007. Born October 19, 1988 in Columbia SC a daughter of Larry Dean and Teri Lynn Standridge Edgar. Savannah was a 2006 graduate of Socastee High School where she was a member of the Varsity Softball team for 5 years and a member of the Carolina Castaway travel team. Savannah was selected as a member of the Toast Of The Coast Players in Softball. She was a freshman at Clemson University, and a very special friend to everyone. Surviving in addition to her father of Lexington, SC and Mother of Myrtle Beach are a sister: Caroline Edgar; Maternal Grandparents: Mack H. and Sharon Standridge of West Columbia; Paternal grandparents: Gloria Baker of Chapin, SC and Larry Edgar of Irmo, SC; Aunts and Uncles: Tony M. and Deborah Standridge of Lexington, SC., Barry T. and Betty Standridge of Statesboro, Ga., Damon Edgar of Prosperity, SC., and Dana and Doyle McBride of Chapin, SC; Great-Grandparents: Belle and Mike Schafer of Lexington, SC and Dorothy Vaughan of West Columbia; Cousins: Scott. Betsy and Liza Standridge, Chas, Justin, and Matthew Standridge and Taylor Chaffins and a favorite four year old, Cole Hutchinson. Funeral services will be held 11:00 AM Wednesday at Myrtle Beach Community Church, directed by Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Savannah and Shanna Scholarship Fund For Softball Players, C/O: Beach First National Bank, 3064 Dick Pond Road, Surfside Beach, SC 29575.

Tribute Wall



“ I would like to express my sympathy to the family. I hope you are finding comfort in the time you spent with your dear loved one. Please find comfort in the hope expressed in the Bible at Revelation 21:3,4 where it tells us that mourning, pain, and death will be things of the past. I hope you find comfort in this hope. Feel free to email me to comment or if you have questions. Again, please accept my condolences.##imported-begin##Margaret##imported-end##

April 07, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dearest Dean, Caroline, Gloria, Dana and Damon, I was saddened and shocked to hear the news of sweet Savannah's untimely passing. May God bless each of you and give you comfort and strength to endure this horrible tragedy. I cannot even begin to imagine the heartache each of you must feel over her loss from such a senseless, unnecessary twist of fate. God bless you all and please know that I would be there with you if I did not have my own brother in hospital in ICU for 2 weeks now...with me as primary caregiver. God bless you all and I love you, Gloria. Fondly, Brenda B. Jones##imported-begin##Brenda B. Jones##imported-end##

April 06, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Only God can fill your void, may He strenghten you in your time of sorrow. Keep your hands in God's hand and He be your comforter. Didn't know your daughter, but I have one her age, God be with you and your family. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Janet Greenlee##imported-end##

April 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with your family at this very difficult time.##imported-begin##Melissa Crocker##imported-end##

April 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean, Teri, Damon, Dana and Gloria, I am so sorry to hear about Savannah. Dean, I remember running in to you at California Pizza a summer or two ago and you really bragged on Savannah and was so proud of her softball accomplishments. Cherish those great memories and hold them close to your heart. I will keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers. Rhonda Spradley Dinkins##imported-begin##Rhonda Spradley Dinkins##imported-end##

April 05, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean,Damon,Dana,Mom I am so sorry for your loss I love each of you!!##imported-begin##Jake & Jacob Williams##imported-end##

April 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Teri, Dean and family Please accept our deepest sympathy for the loss of your beautiful daughter, Savannah. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Cris Cox & David Howard##imported-end##

April 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean, Teri, and Family, I can only imagine the grief you all feel right now. I am so sorry for your loss. I pray that God will give you strength and hope you will find comfort in knowing that others are praying for you all right now. May God be with you, Laurie Roof Payne##imported-begin##Laurie Payne##imported-end##

April 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Edgar family, I did not know Savannah very well but Shanna was a friend of mine. Please accept my sincere condolences. My thoughts and prayers are with each of you.##imported-begin##whitney chestnut##imported-end##

April 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ My deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Beverly VanAbs Stenberg##imported-end##

April 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Teri & Dean, We are so sorry to hear about Savannah. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. Your memories are special treasures, gifts from God above. That will always remind you of her smile and generous love.##imported-begin##Tad & Cathy Gordick Barger##imported-end##

April 04, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ I am so sorry for your lost that words are hard to find my God be with in this time of need God bless##imported-begin##Timothy Williams##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Kevin and I are so sorry to hear the news about Savannah. Words cannot express our thoughts at this time. You are all in our prayers - stay strong for Savannah. Much Love, Linda and Kevin King##imported-begin##Linda King##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Gloria & all the family, we are so very saddened to learn about Savannah. She was a very special young lady. Please know that you all are in our hearts & prayers. We have so very many special memories which include each and every one of you & we know Savannah is in heaven now. Damon, she is most probably saying, Surf's up, Cornbread like she did when she was a very little girl. We love you all.##imported-begin##Faye & Tommy Grainger##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Teri and Dean, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I can tell from the comments and the obituary that Savannah was a very special young lady.##imported-begin##Toni Watford Jacobs##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Words can't express how deeply sorry I am for the loss of Savannah. She was a beautiful girl and was taken too soon.##imported-begin##Susan Van Abs##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Sweet, sweet Savannah. Oh, how we enjoyed watching you grow up on the soccer and softball fields. It's hard to believe you're gone. You're beautiful face and smile shall live in our hearts forever!##imported-begin##Randy and Sharma Privett##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ It was just the other day when I saw her and Shanna on the deck of the Conch Cafe having lunch it made the rest of my day at work. I remember meeting you and Shanna in high school you were such amazing girl. You will always be missed.##imported-begin##Jeremiah Latimer##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ NULL##imported-begin##Bill and Betty Ballard##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ ah. little savannah. my neighbor. may heaven bring you happiness. best wishes.##imported-begin##Jessica Davis##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean, Teri and Family, Seeing the video and photo's of Savannah reminded me of what a joyful smile she has and will always have imprinted in your hearts. Savannah was taken too soon but as Graeson put it so clearly "God had already made a place for her and was ready for her to come live with him in heaven". We can never prepare for such a great loss but God is always prepared to help us through our pain. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##The Kiser Family Al, Lisa, Reagan and Graeson##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Dean and Teri, It is with profound sadness and remorse that I learn about your loss. Being a parent myself, I cannot imagine the grief that you must be going through during this terrible time. I have known about this tragedy for several days now and in that time I have searched my head, my heart and beliefs for the inspiration to say something to you that will ease your suffering. Sadly, I know there is nothing that can be said. There is no reasoning for such a loss. I am sorry and I hurt with you. I never met Savannah, but knowing her parents and family like I do, I know that she was a good person and the world was a better place with her in it. It is my belief, however, that she is in a better place now and she is surrounded by love just as she was when she was with you here. This is a terrible tragedy and a terrible time for you and your family. I am sorry that it has occurred and wish there was something, anything that could be done to change it. I do know that this tragedy, however, does not define you, but rather how you deal with it does. I pray for you, Caroline and your family at this time to have the strength, endurance and understanding to come out of this together and stronger. May God bless and keep you all.##imported-begin##Dickie Drakeford##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Teri & family: Teri, I don't know if you remember me, but I used to work with you at the radio station. I just wanted to offer my deepest sympathy for the loss of your daughter, Savannah. I didn't know her personally, but I know that you loved that child dearly and used to talk about her all the time when we worked together.##imported-begin##Tracey Mills##imported-end##

April 03, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ I only had the pleasure of meeting Savannah a couple of time but it was obvious she was a special young lady and loved by all who knew her. My thoughts and prayers are with the entire family.##imported-begin##Pat Grice##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean, Teri, Caroline and Family The loving care and values you have given her have shined throughout her life as testified here by those who knew her. The blessings she has given you no one can ever take away. I pray that you may find comfort and peace, in time, in god's will and solace in knowing that she is now in His loving embrace. May God bless and keep you safe in this time of despair. With love, sorrow and my deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Stephen huddleston##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ I pray that the love of family and friends will sustain all of you as you endure the loss of such a beautiful young lady. I love all of you and wish I could be with you.##imported-begin##Gwen Drakeford##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Savannah, I can't bear the thought that I will never see your sweet face again. I am so blessed to have had you in my life. I will remember the fun and laughter, sitting on the steps of your house at 2am talking, laughing and crying with me. Everytime you saw me, you would run up to me and hug me like you haven't seen me in 10 years. Your mom would make fun of me because I cried at everything you and Katy would do. But I loved you like you were my own. It hurts so much knowing that you are gone. Katy is having such a hard time too. I have to keep telling myself that God's grace IS good. And God will give all of us the strength to get thru this. But it will be awfully hard. I will be here for your mom and Caroline, if they need me. I will look at the stars at nite and talk to you. Good bye for now sweet girl. I will love you forever.##imported-begin##Cindi T.##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Teri and Dean, We are so very sorry for your lost of Savannah. No words can express the sorrow your famliy feels. Please know that you all are in our prayers, and our hearts. Christopher Johnson and his mom Nancy Wingard##imported-begin##NANCY & CHRIS JOHNSON##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Our prayers are with you as you go through this difficult time. Sincerely, Bobby and Cathy Mathias##imported-begin##Bobby & Cathy Mathias##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean and Teri, I am sorry to hear about Savannah. I was at the Beach this weekend and saw the news about the accident. I will keep you both in my thoughts and prayers as you move ahead in the days to come.##imported-begin##Terry V. Williams##imported-end##

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“ We are so sorry for your loss. Your family are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##The Glen Conwell Famil##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ My prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Shari Ardis##imported-end##

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“ Dear Darling Sweet Granddaughter, This poem, from my heart, I write for you With love and pain so huge and so deep, I hope soon to join you in peaceful sleep. During your eighteenth year It was with joy that we could think About your first years of growing And our very special link From the day you were born, As I remember so well, I loved you instantly, More than I can tell. As your Dad held you Just moments after your birth, His face was glowing with pride, joy and mirth! He announced with tears he could not veil, "May I introduce you all to Savannah Belle" That you'd be named for MaMa we didn't know, Delight and love just blossomed so... Everyone there on that magical day Beamed as we saw you, Darling, where you lay. Near your Mom and Dad from whom you came; Your sweet face was just as lovely as your name. Our dearest Peaches, you have made us so proud, We give thanks for you, With our heads bowed. Each day of your life was filled with wonder; I wanted there always to be An angel on your shoulder. An angel to guide and protect you And keep you safe, away from harm. So that you could long grace the earth With your modest smile and lovely charm. It was not to be, and now we can only Cherish the memory of a very special girl Who worked hard and played harder Always fairly, a sweet smile her only armour. You loved Clemson and you were doing so well. Thursday I loved hearing about your plans to teach. I listened with my heart and soul as you would tell About your life and your plans which were within reach. We whispered our boundless love for one another, As, before you left, we held each other so long and tight I know I will see you again in a more perfect place, So go now, precious Savannah Belle, go toward the LIGHT.##imported-begin##GG -- Gloria Baker##imported-end##

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“ I'm happy to say that Savannah was my friend and I loved her very much. Everytime I saw her my day was so much brighter. I will truly miss her everyday. The world was a better place with her in it and now heaven is a better place. I look forward to seeing her again someday.##imported-begin##Matt Almony##imported-end##

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“ Even though I only meet Savannah once when she was young, I have watched her grow into a wonderful young lady through her grandmother, Sherry Standridge and her great-grandmother, Dorothy Vaughn. They spoke of Savannah with so much pride. I'm sorry that I'm not able to be there with Sherry and Dorothy, but there is so much love within that family I know that they will feel my love and prayers are with them both and the family. God, always seems to take home with him the best that there is here on earth before we are ready to let them go. Love & Prayer to each member of the family.##imported-begin##Sylvia Corley-Drennan##imported-end##

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“ Dean, You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Please let me know what I can do for you and your family. Grace & Peace, Todd##imported-begin##Todd Helms##imported-end##

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“ I was one of Savannahs lab partners in biology. I did not know her well or for long, and I regret that. However, the short time I did know her I could tell that she was a very special and loving girl. I will miss seeing her and talking to her. I will miss messing up with her in lab and having to start over again. I will be praying for all of you and her. Please accept my love and condolences.##imported-begin##Misty Dawn Morgan##imported-end##

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“ Savannah was a sweet loving person and will be missed by all of our family. We may take comfort in the truth that she is with our Lord Jesus Christ. Our prayers extend to her family and friends.##imported-begin##Sally Rhodes##imported-end##

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“ Savannah was a sweet loving person and will be missed by all our family.##imported-begin##Sally Rhodes##imported-end##

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“ I really did not know Savannah that well, but we were in English 103 this semester. As I read what others wrote; she will be sadly missed but never forgotten, and I want to share my condolences with the Edgar family.##imported-begin##Shedricka Jamison##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean, Gloria, Dana, Damon...words cannot express how sorry I am. I love you & your family is in my prayers.##imported-begin##Denise Grainger Swope##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ To the family of Savannah Belle Edgar, Words cannot express the sorrow that is felt by the untimely death of Savannah. I pray your strength in the Lord. My the warm memories of Savannah always bless your hearts in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Lea Benson##imported-end##

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“ Teri, I wanted to let you know I was thinking about you and your family. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Tina Dennis Moody##imported-begin##Tina Dennis Moody##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Teri and Caroline, we are so sorry to hear of your loss. Our prayers and condolences are certainly with you. Please let us know if we can do anything. We love you. Lanny and Rosie##imported-begin##Lanny & Rosemerry Williams##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean, I am so very sorry for your loss. We are all shocked and saddened here. God Bless You and your family in your time of need. Lila##imported-begin##Lila Atkinson##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Teri, My heart broke for you and your family when I heard the news. There are no words to console a mother who has lost her precious daughter. My thoughts are with you as I hope you are somehow comforted during this most difficult time.##imported-begin##Monica Parnell##imported-end##

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“ I just wanted to leave this poem for all of the family that might not get a chance to see it on the family website. I hope this helps in some small way. I love you all, and I'm thinking of you right now. *Playing Ball* Welcome, sweet girl We've been waiting for you You didn't know me on Earth But I saw how you grew You and I have a lot in common We arrived here in same fashion We lived our lives with love Our lives filled with compassion Don't be scared I'll ease your fear Let me introduce you To your family up here Here is your legacy Here is your past These are the people That watched you grow fast They taught your family To believe in the Lord That's why you're here-- Cherished and adored You're life didn't end On that early morning day You are just beginning You've got a long road ahead We have special plans for you As hard as it may seem We need you here To be a leader on God's team We watched you play hard And a wonderful job you did Now it's time for you To teach US how to hit Yes, special one A homerun we need We've got to share our message To those that don't believe. You're an MVP That people admired Now, your legacy Will save many more lives Catching a soul is hard This I can't deny It's a lot harder Than an infield fly But I know that you can do it I have faith in you Your family on Earth Will be right there too Just as they always did They'll cheer you on They will honor and love you Until they all come home One by one They'll cross the plate No losses here Only victories to celebrate Now that you have the rules It's time to play Load up your gear We have a lot of souls to save By the way, I was father to MaMa Belle Burnie Hinson was my name Nice to finally meet you Now, let's go start the game. Before we begin, There's one more you should meet He's the ultimate umpire He's the King of Kings Lord, this is Savannah I know you've already met But I wanted to show you Our new coach our best bet Yes, I've watched her The Lord says with grace She IS a winner We can not replace We are so glad to have you Here on our team We are destined to win With a girl of your esteem Thank you for joining us You answered our call Wow, what a game it will be Now, Let's ?PLAY BALL?##imported-begin##Dede Cato##imported-end##

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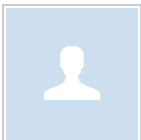
“ Dean and Teri, I am so very sorry for your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Victor Snipes##imported-end##

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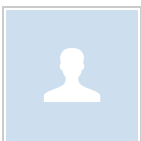
“ Gloria, We are so saddened by the untimely passing of Savannah. We are keeping you and your family in our thoughts and prayers through the days ahead. May God be watching over you and your family and give you peace. With Love, Nell and Wendell Crenshaw, Class of '60 LSHS##imported-begin##Nell and Wendell Crenshaw##imported-end##

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“ Please know that mine and my family's heart and prayers go out to you and your family at this time.##imported-begin##Randall Randy Spires##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean & Terri- we are so sorry to hear about your daughter. Kevin and myself Jeannie Stack went to high school with ya'll. Jimmy Watford is my cousin. Please know that ya'll are in our thoughts and prayers. My heart breaks for you. With our deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Kevin & Jeannie Teets##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ We are friends of Mac & Sherry. We just wanted to say to your family, you have our deepest sympathy. Lee & Ann Stanton###imported-begin###Lee & Ann Stanton###imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dean, Gloria and family, we were so saddened to hear of Savannah's untimely passing from this earth where she was so loved. We pray that God will give you and the family the peace and comfort to carry you through the difficult days ahead.###imported-begin###Richard & Becky Taylor###imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Although I never had the good fortune of meeting Savannah, I have watched her mature into a beautiful young lady through pictures her grandmother Gloria posted on a web site she Gloria established for her schoolmates of the 60's era. Savannah will be missed by all who knew and loved her. My heart is breaking for this sweet family. May God give you strength to endure the pain of this tragic loss.###imported-begin###Elaine McManus###imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ The first time Savannah and I met in biology class I knew she was someone very special and that I would truly enjoy every minute of our friendship. This semester we happened to be biology lab partners and I got the chance to get to know her even better and experience what a great person she was. No matter how many times we messed up, her positive attitude always kept us going, and when we simply wanted someone to talk to she was always there to listen. Savannah holds a special place in all of our hearts and will be deeply missed. I am praying for you and know that we will all see each other again someday in heaven. Will Clary##imported-begin##Will Clary##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Teri and Caroline, I am so sorry for the sudden loss of your beloved Savannah. I am praying for you to find peace in knowing that she is in heaven, where God is keeping her in his loving care. May you have comfort knowing she will never have any pain or suffering, and that she will always be with you in spirit and love. My heart breaks for your loss and I continue to keep you both in my prayers. The bible tells us to to "draw near to God and he will draw near to you". I pray that you find his comfort and peace during this sad time. praying for you, Debbie##imported-begin##Debbie Almony##imported-end##

April 02, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *In the quiet moments when the hurt is hard to bear may love become your shelter and may the beauty of precious memories be your comfort. Know that you all are being held in gentle thoughts and prayers. Savannah and I played softball together and went to school together. She was a wonderful person, and will be greatly missed. God bless. -Meredith Dark###imported-begin###Meredith Dark###imported-end##*

April 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. I taught Savannah in kindergarten and I will never forget her beautiful smile, her kind and caring personality and her desire to always do her personal best. She was a joy to teach and I am grateful to have had that opportunity. May God grant you comfort and peace. Sarah Lane Norton###imported-begin###Sarah Lane Norton###imported-end##*

April 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *Words cannot express the sorrow that we are feeling for the entire family. Our deepest sympathies and prayers are sent to everyone Savannah has touched in her beautiful life. Her special qualities will be spread throughout heaven and her beauty will rest on the wings of angels. Diane and Bob Sphar###imported-begin###Diane and Bob Sphar###imported-end##*

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