



Brannigan Lee Cottle

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In the early morning hours of June 1, 2015 a light in our lives went out when our precious mother and daughter, Brannigan Lee Cottle, took her last breath and went home to be with Jesus.

Brannigan was born on May 2, 1980 in Salt Lake City, Utah to Debra Sue Meyer and Anthony Abraham Cottle and passed away at the age of 35. Brannigan was beautiful, smart, talented and compassionate. It was once said of Brannigan that her biggest flaw was her desire and willingness to help others. Even in her darkest moments she had the ability to make people feel at ease and create a light that others were drawn to. Brannigan was a talented dancer and gifted artist. Her greatest joy was her daughter, Tessa and her reason for living. Brannigan was a graduate of Woods Cross High School and attended the University of Utah working towards a degree in family studies. In October 2003, Brannigan married Jason Hasleton, later divorced. Together they brought into this world, yet another beautiful soul when Tessa Kay Hasleton was born.

Brannigan is survived by her daughter Tessa, mother Debra, father Anthony and siblings Danielle and Drew, along with Grandmothers Donna and Ione. She is also survived by many cousins, aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews too numerous to mention. Brannigan is also survived by her boyfriend Carlos Perez, whose love and support has meant so much to us.

Brannigan is preceded in death by her grandfather's Gordon and Henry.

Funeral services under the direction of Premier Funeral Services. Memorial services and internment to be held at Larkin Funeral Home located at 1950 East Dimple Dell Road (106th south), Sandy, Utah at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, June 8, 2015.

Goodbye our sweet princess until we once again are together in the presence of God.



Tribute Wall

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DH

David M. Helt shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.



I met Brandy during my senior year at Woods Cross High. She was a junior, and I was the teacher's assistant for the concert choir she sang in. I'll never forget the first day of class—Brandy walked up behind me and playfully patted my head. I turned around to find her beaming, radiating warmth and kindness. That year, I had been publicly outed as gay, so everyone at school knew who I was. From the moment we met, Brandy embraced me without hesitation. She treated me with unwavering kindness, never once making my sexuality an issue. From 1995 until I moved to San Diego in 2001, she remained one of my dearest friends. I have countless fond memories with her—working on her British accent, having dinner with her mom, Debbie, taking her to prom (see attached photo), dancing at Confetti's and Area 51, and experiencing my first rock concert with her: The Cure, her favorite band at the time. Debbie always appreciated that I was Brandy's friend. I was on the conservative side—I didn't drink, smoke, or do drugs—and I always tried to be a positive influence in her life. Brandy had a heart of gold, and I'll forever be grateful for the friendship we shared. When I moved to San Diego, I sadly lost touch with her. It was only through my siblings that I eventually heard of her passing, many years later. And here I am, listening to "Pictures of You" by The Cure, remembering how we used to belt it out while driving through Bountiful with the windows down. Thank you, Brandy, for your friendship—for loving me unconditionally, for supporting me, and for allowing me to support you. My heart goes out to your family over your passing at such a young age. You'll always be in my heart and mind. Love always, David Helt

June 7 at 12:09 AM

BH

Brianna Hogarth posted:

Debbie, Tessa and family I'm still so sorry for you loss of Brannigan she was a beautiful and a helpful person never in my life have I met someone as sweet as she is and just remember she will forever be in our heart's Brianna Hogarth

June 7 at 8:53 AM

KH

Kelley Hadley posted:

Deb, Tessa, and family, Brannigan was a beautiful person inside and out. She always reached out her arms to help other people in need during her 35 years on this earth. May you find peace in your hearts knowing that she was loved by many. Kelley

June 8 at 5:50 AM



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RM

Robert Meyer posted:

Forever in our hearts. Until we meet again Brandy on the morning of the resurrection. Love Uncle Bob and Aunt Merilee and family.

June 7 at 4:20 PM

CP

Cindy Paulson posted:

So very, very sorry for this extreme loss in your lives. I cannot think of anything harder than losing a child. My thoughts and prayers for comfort are with you.

June 7 at 1:45 PM

SE

Steffany Egelund posted:

Debra, Tessa and family, I was so sorry to hear of Brandy's passing. I know she will be dearly missed. Sending prayers that God holds you up through this tough time in your lives,

June 7 at 11:36 AM

PS

Paola Stauffer posted:

May God bless and keep all of you wrapped in his arms. Brannigan's smile will be missed but never forgotten.

June 6 at 2:58 PM

SM

Shae Miller posted:

So sad to hear of Brandi's passing ... She was one of my very first friends ... Develins Daycare and Roosevelt Elementary. In fact I just moved and in the process found a ton of pictures of her and I together ... So much fun to look at. So many memories are flooding back ... It sounds like she turned into a beautiful woman! Please know that u are in our prayers during this time. With love Shae (Stewart) Miller

June 6 at 4:36 AM



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Woods Cross High Prom, 1995 or 1996



Memories only last if you share them

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



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