



## Kristal Diane Bondi

July 30, 1980 - August 16, 2025

### KRISTAL DIANE BONDI, AGE 45

And a resident of Franklinton passed away early Saturday morning August 16, 2025 at her home surrounded by her family, after a long and courageous battle with cancer. She was born in New Orleans on July 30, 1980 and grew up in the Buras Community. Following the destruction of Hurricane Katrina, Kristal moved with family to north Alabama for 3 years before returning to Louisiana. She and her family have lived in Washington Parish since 2009. Kristal attended nursing school and worked as an EMT with Northshore EMS for several years. She loved decorating for Halloween each year and enjoyed going to the Renaissance Fair. She loved her family above all else and came to realize during her lengthy health struggles that her purpose in life was her children and grandchildren. Kristal enjoyed spending time with her young grandsons and all the little children in her family, as she loved playing around with all the “babies”. Making memories for her daughters and the young children was always important to her. She truly cared about the needs of others above her own, even the little things like buying the favorite food and drinks of anyone coming to visit. Just a small gesture, but important to her in showing love to others. During her cancer battle, Kristal was actively involved in Unite Empowering Events, a meaningful online community that hosts gatherings and fun events, like a fashion show in New Orleans, for cancer survivors and others. She was always a loving wife, mother and grandmother

that will be forever missed by her family, friends and all that knew her.

Survived by:

Husband: Byron Bondi of Franklinton

5 Daughters: Hollie Rene' Bondi,  
Hailey Smith,  
Carli Smith,  
Alissa Bondi,  
Jordan Farris

2 Beloved Grandsons: Christopher Carlo, Reid Carlo

Mother and Dad: Lisa and Robert Ellis of Venice

Brother and Sister in law: Robbie and Chelsea Ellis of Franklinton

Niece and Nephew: Emma Ellis, Robbie Ellis, III

Also numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and many dear friends

She was preceded in death by her father Charles Martin "Marty" Gresham, Jr., her grandparents and other family members.

Visitation will be at Crain Funeral Home (1109 Bene Street, Franklinton) on Wednesday August 20th from 5:00 pm until 9:00 pm and after 9:00 am on Thursday. A funeral service will be held in the funeral home chapel at 11:00 am Thursday. Burial will follow in the Crest Gate Cemetery near her home in Franklinton.



# Tribute Wall



“ Thank you for being a friend to me. You were one of the strongest women to walk this earth.

Jenn Teeter - August 27, 2025 at 01:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kristal Diane Bondi.

August 21, 2025 at 08:18 AM



“ I never met Kristal, but I heard many great things about her through my work partner Jordan Farris. Jordan was her adopted daughter and Jordan loved her dearly. I know Kristal will be greatly missed by many.

-Matthew Carl  
Amite, La

Matthew Carl - August 20, 2025 at 08:13 PM



“ From, Cornerstone Church of Franklinton planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kristal Diane Bondi.

From, Cornerstone Church of Franklinton - August 20, 2025 at 08:46 AM

FF

“ From, Cornerstone Church of Franklinton purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Kristal Diane Bondi.



From, Cornerstone Church of Franklinton - August 20, 2025 at 08:46 AM

JE

“ Jeff & Dobie Edgecombe purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Kristal Diane Bondi.



Jeff & Dobie Edgecombe - August 19, 2025 at 08:24 PM



“ Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kristal Diane Bondi.



August 19, 2025 at 10:25 AM

LM

“ Love, Samantha & Memaw purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Kristal Diane Bondi.



Love, Samantha & Memaw - August 18, 2025 at 09:48 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Kristal Diane Bondi.

August 18, 2025 at 07:00 PM



“ Bright and Beautiful Spray was purchased for the family of Kristal Diane Bondi.



August 18, 2025 at 07:00 PM



“ Sending love and prayers to Byron and those beautiful girls. May God comfort you and give you divine peace. We love ya'll, Nicole Bondi 💕💕

Nicole - August 18, 2025 at 04:37 PM



“ Aunt April & Kathy, and Aunt Sue purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Kristal Diane Bondi.



Aunt April & Kathy, and Aunt Sue - August 18, 2025 at 10:54 AM

CB

“ My condolences and prayers goes out to Bryon and the rest of the family, Kristi was a good friend and classmate, she will be missed dearly.



Charlete Johnson Burke - August 17, 2025 at 11:08 PM

GB

“ Gary and Ashley Brown purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Kristal Diane Bondi.



Gary and Ashley Brown - August 17, 2025 at 03:55 PM

GB

“ Gary and Ashley Brown planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kristal Diane Bondi.

Gary and Ashley Brown - August 17, 2025 at 03:55 PM

TH

“ So Sorry for ya'll loss. Lisa, You ALL are in our Prayers. 🙏❤️

Tammy Scarabin Huffty - August 17, 2025 at 03:20 PM

KT

“ Kristi and Gary Taylor planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kristal Diane Bondi.

Kristi and Gary Taylor - August 17, 2025 at 02:13 PM

KT

“ *Kristi and Gary Taylor purchased the Rose Garden Heart for the family of Kristal Diane Bondi.*



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**Kristi and Gary Taylor** - August 17, 2025 at 02:13 PM