



## Jill Birge

November 30, 1990 - September 6, 2025

Jill Birge, age 34, of Little Rock, died Saturday, September 6, 2025, at her home in Little Rock. Her death came sudden and unexpected.

Jill was born November 30, 1990, in Little Rock, and was the daughter of Carroll Birge and Joy Philpot Birge. She grew up in Little Rock and attended Parkview High School. She obtained her GED when she was seventeen, and enrolled in Pulaski Tech where she received her Associate Degree. She then went to U.A.L.R., where she graduated with a BA in English.

As a child, Jill excelled in school and loved reading, listening to music, and swimming. When she didn't have her nose in a book, she could be found sitting cross legged on her bed with headphones on, looking through her huge binder of CD's to listen to on her portable CD player. Summers were spent swimming at the neighborhood pool. She also had a unique talent of spinning a ball on her finger. This was a natural ability for her...she did it the first time she tried it!

As she grew older, she enjoyed writing, especially poetry. This passion led her to major in English in college. As an adult, Jill enjoyed shopping for, and spending time with, her son, Joseph. She also had a beloved dog named Little Girl, who was her faithful companion for many years. At the age of ten, Jill made a profession of faith in Christ and was baptized in Lake Nixon.

Jill is survived by her mother, Joy Birge of Damascus, Arkansas, one son, Joseph Birge of Damascus, Arkansas, one brother, Brad Birge, and wife, Heather, of Little Rock, paternal grandmother, Verba Lee Birge of Texas, one niece, Lila, and one nephew, Oliver. She was preceded in death by her father, Carroll Birge, her maternal grandparents, Carrol Philpot and Josephine Philpot, and her paternal grandfather, Coolidge Birge.

Services will be held Graveside, 11:00 A.M., Wednesday, September 17, 2025, at the Forrest Park Cemetery in Forrest City. Stevens Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. You may log on to [stevensfuneralhome.net](http://stevensfuneralhome.net) for the online registry.

# Cemetery Details

## Forrest Park

Hwy 1 South  
Forrest City, AR

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

SEP 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

Forrest Park  
Hwy 1 South  
Forrest City, AR

## Interment

SEP 17 (CT)

Forrest Park  
Hwy 1 South  
Forrest City, AR

# Tribute Wall



“ I have known Jill since elementary school, and she was a part of many wonderful childhood neighborhood memories. I will always remember our deep conversations, thoughtful and rare. May your family find peace through the storm, you are all in my thoughts.



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**Summer Neikirk** - September 16, 2025 at 11:05 PM

LH

“ Lovie A Hardrick sent a virtual gift in memory of Jill Birge



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**Lovie A Hardrick** - September 14, 2025 at 06:22 PM

JM

“ I never knew the children of Carrol and Joy but I knew Both of them when we worked at AP&L. Wonderful people, so sorry to hear of your loss Joy. Joe Marlin

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**Joe Marlin** - September 14, 2025 at 05:04 PM

DF

“ Joy, I felt so saddened to read about Jill. You and your family are in my prayers. Daniel Felton

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**Daniel Felton** - September 14, 2025 at 01:55 PM

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“ Robert Rheinhold purchased the Joyful Memory for the family of Jill Birge.



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Robert Rheinhold - September 13, 2025 at 08:58 PM



“ Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Jill Birge.



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September 13, 2025 at 10:27 AM



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

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September 13, 2025 at 10:27 AM