

Kim Belk Ballenger

April 5, 1964 - October 17, 2025

Kim Belk Ballenger, 61, passed away October 17, 2025, surrounded by her loving family and friends.

A native of Union, South Carolina, she was a daughter of Judy Duncan Belk of Union, South Carolina and the late James Willie Belk, Jr. Together with her husband, she owned and operated RSI Carolina, Inc., and was of the Methodist faith.

Also surviving are her husband, Greg Ballenger of the home; two sons, Jeff Ballenger of Greer, South Carolina and Justin Ballenger (Nichole) of Landrum, South Carolina; a brother, Chris Belk (Doris) of Union, South Carolina; a sister, Rhonda Belk Seaver (Rick) of Clayton, Georgia; and a granddaughter, Emma Davis.

A memorial service will be held 4:00 p.m. Sunday, October 26, 2025, at The Wood Mortuary Chapel conducted by Rev. Michael Cheatham with webcasting available at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Visitation will be held 2:00-3:45 p.m. Sunday, October 26, 2025, at The Wood Mortuary.

The family is at the home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Upstate Community Hospice House, 260 Fairwinds Road, Landrum, South Carolina 29356 or the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 6704, Hagerstown, Maryland 21741.

Online condolences may be made at www.thewoodmortuary.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **26**. 2:00 PM - 3:45 PM (ET)

The Wood Mortuary, Inc.
300 West Poinsett Street
Greer, SC 29650
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Memorial Service

OCT **26**. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *The Wood Mortuary created a Webcast in memory of Kim Belk Ballenger*

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The Wood Mortuary - October 23, 2025 at 10:41 AM

AT

Anthony Taylor. To Greg, Jeff, Justin my Condolences and deepest sympathy I have a lot of memories working at rsi have giving me 19yrs of memories ,Kim had a great sense of humor,smile that lit up a room Kim was really nice really funny I'm going to miss all of that she is in Heaven now I'm going to miss her, Greg,Jeff Justin I'm praying for y'all strength in the Lord, God bless y'all

Anthony Taylor - October 23, 2025 at 06:33 PM



“ *The Wood Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Kim Belk Ballenger*



The Wood Mortuary - October 23, 2025 at 09:20 AM



“ So many memories to choose from... all special. Once I took a day off to get ready for an event, that required a 70's Elvis's suit. I happened to swing by the office after picking it up... Queenie couldn't resist. She made me "suit up" and got next door to the save a lot and buy supplies for the office!

B.G. Hodges - October 26, 2025 at 09:56 PM



“ GEP Family purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Kim Belk Ballenger.



GEP Family - October 24, 2025 at 11:54 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Kim Belk Ballenger.



October 24, 2025 at 11:18 AM



“ Palmetto Air Solutions Chris Aylesworth planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kim Belk Ballenger.

Palmetto Air Solutions Chris Aylesworth - October 24, 2025 at 11:18 AM

JS

“ *julie Shuford lit a candle in memory of Kim Ballenger*



julie Shuford - October 23, 2025 at 04:30 PM

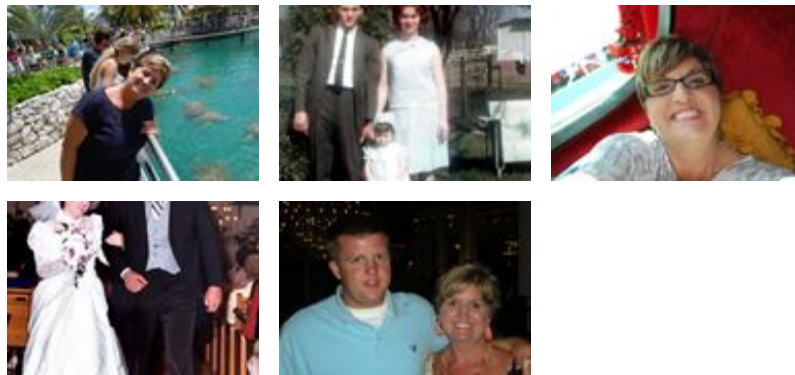
JS

“ *Kim & I became friends when I worked for Greg at RSI. Everyday we went to lunch together and would talk about what we did over the weekend or what we had planned for the next. Kim talked about her family who she loved dearly. I looked forward to our lunchtime conversation each day. Kim was a wonderful person and great friend to me. We had reconnected and were supposed to go to coffee & I'm sad we didn't get to. Im so sorry about Kim, she was such a strong woman. Kim was a bright light and will be missed. Kim was fun & always made me laugh & was always the life of the party.
Im praying for Greg, Jeff, Justin, & Emma.*

julie Shuford - October 23, 2025 at 04:28 PM



“ *140 files added to the album LifeTributes*



The Wood Mortuary - October 23, 2025 at 09:14 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Kim Belk Ballenger.*



October 22, 2025 at 01:48 PM



“ *Love and Prayers, Jim and Cindy Bowman planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kim Belk Ballenger.*

Love and Prayers, Jim and Cindy Bowman - October 22, 2025 at 01:48 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Kim Belk Ballenger.*



October 22, 2025 at 09:43 AM



“ *Manisay & Jerry Gabbard planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kim Belk Ballenger.*

Manisay & Jerry Gabbard - October 22, 2025 at 09:43 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Kim Belk Ballenger.



October 21, 2025 at 04:49 PM



“ All our love, Waddell & King Families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kim Belk Ballenger.

All our love, Waddell & King Families - October 21, 2025 at 04:49 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Kim Belk Ballenger.



October 21, 2025 at 12:16 PM

SJ

“ Although I just met Greg and Kim 7 years ago, I knew they were the type of people you could immediately become the best of friends with. Since then, they’ve been a daily part of our lives which is why it’s heartbreaking to lose Kim. She was such a good person always ready with a smile even when you knew she was having a bad day. There were many good times that included outings and parties but my favorite part was just talking to her at the office. A quick funny story or recall of something funny over the week end. There were few times when I worked at RSI that I didn’t have to go by the office but I did anyway... because I knew I had something to tell her that would make her laugh. And we did laugh. Now all I can do is pray that the family will laugh again soon. Because that’s who she was. She was happy and fun and that’s what she would want them to do. We will continue to pray for Kim and her family.



Sean Jackson - October 21, 2025 at 12:16 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Kim Belk Ballenger.



October 21, 2025 at 11:30 AM

DH

“ *Drusilla Howell lit a candle in memory of Kim Ballenger*



Drusilla Howell - October 21, 2025 at 05:32 AM

LW

“ *Rhonda and family, my deepest sympathies to each of you. Please know you have been and will continue to be in my prayers.*

Lori Webb - October 20, 2025 at 06:54 PM

AA

“ *Greg, Jeff, Justin and family, I have such great memories of Kim. I remember working with her at JB White way back when we were both still young. We shared a lot of laughs then and we shared a lot more over the years as we encountered life events that included our families. The history of our two families has always been one that had a strong bond and I am grateful that I have such happy memories of The Ballengers. May God wrap you in His arms during this difficult time. Love, Angie Ashmore Kruse*



Angie AshmoreKruse - October 20, 2025 at 06:53 PM

PF

“ *Poole and family purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Kim Belk Ballenger.*



Poole and family - October 20, 2025 at 03:32 PM

PF

“ *Poole and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Kim Belk Ballenger.*

Poole and family - October 20, 2025 at 03:32 PM

DM

“ *Kim was an awesome lady, Loved and respected her very much.*

Derek Mikeal - October 20, 2025 at 12:36 PM