Assistant Coach Ray Boese called her softball team and as her geometry teacher. He called her a “bright spot” on the team and in class. Her friends and family said she was always there for everybody, even if she was going through a hard time. She always tried to be happy, to make others happy.”

“Her mother said Balmer was known Balmer for only a year more at Rose Hill, had friends at her new school near Pawnee and Butler County Road. A memorial service will be held for Balmer at 2 p.m. Sunday at the church. In addition to her mother, Balmer is survived by her father, John, and brother, Justin.

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