



Deborah Sue Palmer

October 8, 1948 - November 16, 2025

Deborah Sue Palmer, age 77, of Kansas City, KS passed away peacefully, surrounded by her family's love on November 16, 2025, after a courageous battle with pancreatic cancer.

Born on October 8, 1948, Deborah lived a life defined by kindness, devotion, and unwavering love for her children and grandchildren.

Deborah was the heart of her family — a mother who gave endlessly and asked for nothing in return. She raised her three children with a steady, gentle presence, always showing up for every practice, game, school event, and milestone. She created a home where everyone was welcome, sleepovers were frequent, and friends were always treated as family.

As an adult, Deborah remained a constant source of strength, comfort, and companionship to her children. She loved chatting on the phone with friends and family. She listened without judgment, offered thoughtful guidance, and was the person her loved ones turned to whether they needed advice, a laugh, or someone simply to listen.

Deborah was also an avid reader who found joy and escape in the pages of her favorite books. She loved stories of all kinds, and reading was one of her great lifelong passions.

Deborah cherished her role as a grandmother. Her six grandchildren — Breana Lynn, Paige Paikowski, Kailee Lynn, Noah Nelson, Brooklynn Nelson and Layla Nelson — were the light of her life. She never missed an opportunity to support them, spoil them, or simply be present for them. Her

home always had snacks, and treats waiting — small gestures that made her grandchildren feel loved, remembered, and special. Time spent with Grandma often included sleepovers filled with warmth, stories, and comfort they will carry with them forever.

She is survived by her brothers, Steven Quick and Nicholas Quick (Kristin), her sons, Edmond Lynn III (Lori) and Brian Lynn and her daughter, Tennille Nelson (Erik). She also leaves behind her beloved grandchildren, extended family, her dog Bailey and countless friends who were touched by her generosity, humor, and gentle spirit. She was preceded in death by her father, Herbert Quick, and mother, Gloria Quick.

Deborah will be remembered for her selflessness, her kindness, her quiet strength, and the way she always made space for others. She leaves behind a legacy of love that will live on through her family and the many lives she brightened.

At her request, there will not be a formal service. Her ashes will be laid to rest with her mother, Gloria Quick at Maple Hill Cemetery. A portion will also be set aside to be incorporated into memorial jewelry for her children, honoring the bond they will carry with them forever.

“Those we love never truly leave us.”

A celebration of life will be announced at a later time.

Cemetery Details

Maple Hill Cemetery

2301 S 34th St
Kansas City, KS 66106
(913) 262-6610
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Sending love and sympathy from Tennessee.*

Paul and Linda Quick McCaslin - November 20, 2025 at 07:44 PM

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“ *To my BFF I am going to miss you so much. I can't believe you are gone. I have known you over 45 years since the old Dickinson days. You will be missed forever. Love you girlfriend. Althea*

Althea Blankenship - November 20, 2025 at 03:54 PM

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“ *Debbie Volts lit a candle in memory of Deborah Palmer*



Debbie Volts - November 20, 2025 at 01:31 PM