



Denise Kay Hinkle

June 7, 1962 - May 15, 2021

Denise Kay Hinkle, 58, of Kansas City, Kansas passed away Saturday, May 15, 2021 at Providence Medical Center.

A visitation will be held from 5:00-6:00 PM with a Celebration of Life beginning at 6:00 PM at Maple Hill Funeral Home, Thursday, May 20, 2021. A dinner will follow at the District Flats, 8757 Penrose Ln, Lenexa, KS 66219. Guests are asked to park in the parking garage and take the elevator to the 5th floor to the Tower Lounge.

Denise was born June 7, 1962 in Kansas City, the daughter of Donald and Eileen Smith. She was a graduate of Schlagle High School in the class of 1980. On April 5, 1986 she was united in marriage to the love of her life, Sam R. Hinkle.

Denise was often outspoken. She would always let her opinion be known and if she agreed with yours. However she was always there to take care of her family. She was an animal lover and treated her dogs and cats like her children. Her favorite hobby was being a wife, mother, and sister. She enjoyed trips with her family, especially to the lake and the time they took a family vacation to Germany. Denise would share a beer with anyone and lived her life to the fullest. She was dearly loved and will be deeply missed.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Donald and Eileen; and sisters in law Jody Smith, Donna Hinkle, and Karyn Paxton. She is survived by her husband of 35 years, Sam R. Hinkle; two children, Samuel P. Hinkle (Danielle) and Ian Hinkle; three siblings, Donald Smith (Linda), Steven Smith, and

Kathleen King (Sam); brothers in law James Hinkle and Tim Hinkle (Myra);
and many nieces, nephews and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 20. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home
3300 Shawnee Dr
Kansas City, KS 66106
(913) 831-3345
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com
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Celebration of Life

MAY 20. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of Denise Kay Hinkle*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - May 19, 2021 at 02:55 PM



“ *Denise Kay Hinkle*

October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *Denise Kay Hinkle*

September 17, 2022 at 08:24 PM



“ *Your friends at SenecaGlobal purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.*



Your friends at SenecaGlobal - May 20, 2021 at 08:46 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.*



May 20, 2021 at 03:29 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.*



May 20, 2021 at 12:16 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.*



May 20, 2021 at 11:21 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.*



May 20, 2021 at 12:25 AM



“ 96 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - May 19, 2021 at 02:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.



May 19, 2021 at 01:10 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.



May 18, 2021 at 10:39 PM

SK

“ I believe Denise was around 17 when I first met her and alongside Don Knapp became a honorary Smith Family member. Soon after to become a Smith/Hinkle/King honorary family member as well. 42 years of fun and loving memories. I love you all. Denise my dearest of friends...I love and miss you.💕. Sharon

Sharon Knapp - May 18, 2021 at 08:01 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.



May 18, 2021 at 03:37 PM

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“ The Treehouse IT Pasta Team. purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.



The Treehouse IT Pasta Team. - May 18, 2021 at 03:33 PM

MP

“ Sending my deepest condolences on the loss of Denise. Hoping that you hold the wonderful memories of her close in your heart and remember the love she had for you and your family.



Marsha Petch - May 18, 2021 at 03:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.



May 17, 2021 at 07:09 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Denise Kay Hinkle.



May 17, 2021 at 06:10 PM