



## Margaret Sheldeen Perkins

July 26, 1943 - May 5, 2023

Margaret "Sheldeen" Perkins, 79, of Kansas City, Mo passed away on May 5, 2023 at St. Joseph Medical Center. Sheldeen was born on July 26, 1943 to parents William Cleland and Alice Fisher - Jones and step father Harry Jones. Sheldeen was married to Dennis Perkins for 48 years, raising 5 energetic, mischievous kids along with a couple neighborhood kids as well. She enjoyed working with animals, especially the 2 and 4 legged friends. She spent over 50 years dedicated to bringing outstanding care to her animal patients and their beloved owners. Beyond working with the animals Sheldeen spent time promoting Home Interiors and Gifts, creating wedding arrangements, and connecting with those she met. As life slowed down she enjoyed the peace of her backyard with the company of many birds, a few bunnies, and an occasional chipmunk or two. Sheldeen also took great pride in tending to her garden full of colorful flowers. She was delighted to share her backyard oasis along with a crown and coke to anyone who came to visit. Sheldeen put her heart into creating a beautiful life with lots of laughter, joy, and sass all while managing to live with heart disease.

She is preceded in death by parents William Cleland, Alice Fisher - Jones and step father Harry Jones; spouse Dennis Perkins; son Roy Cleland and siblings John Jones, Harry Jones, David Cleland, Roy Cleland and Alice Dollard. She is survived by her children Alice (Eddie) Norris, Dennis (Cindy) Perkins, Jr., Debbie (Ed) Shatto, Harold (Heather) Perkins; 14 grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren and siblings Mickey Jones and Ruby McCowan. There will be a

memorial visitation on Thursday, May 18, 2023, from 6 - 8 PM, at Maple Hill Funeral Home. A memorial service will be held on Friday, May 19, 2023 at 10 AM, at Maple Hill Funeral home and an interment will follow at Maple Hill Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Maple Hill Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

**MAY 18.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Maple Hill Funeral Home  
3300 Shawnee Dr  
Kansas City, KS 66106  
(913) 831-3345  
info@maplehillfuneralhome.com  
<https://maplehillfuneralhome.com>

## Memorial Service

**MAY 19.** 10:00 AM (CT)

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## Burial

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Kansas City, KS 66106  
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[info@maplehillfuneralhome.com](mailto:info@maplehillfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Margaret Sheldeen Perkins*

October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *Sheldeen took care of pets, but also their humans. Her friendly smile and attention to detail will be missed. We appreciated her so much. Fond memories and condolences to her family and co-workers.*

**Bruce Adams** - May 23, 2023 at 09:38 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Sheldeen Perkins.*



May 18, 2023 at 01:55 PM



“ *maggieasher2@gmail.com*

**Stacy** - May 18, 2023 at 01:48 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Sheldeen Perkins.*



May 18, 2023 at 11:35 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Sheldeen Perkins.*



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May 17, 2023 at 04:47 PM



“ *STEVEN C SMITH purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Margaret Sheldeen Perkins.*



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**STEVEN C SMITH** - May 17, 2023 at 04:27 AM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Margaret Sheldeen Perkins.*



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May 16, 2023 at 02:05 PM



“ 107 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



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Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - May 16, 2023 at 01:04 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness* was purchased for the family of Margaret Sheldeen Perkins.



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May 12, 2023 at 02:10 PM