



Brenda Gail Skidmore

March 16, 1959 - June 1, 2025

Brenda Gail Skidmore, 66, passed away on June 1, 2025, in her home in Humansville, MO. She was born on March 16, 1959, in Wellington, Kansas, to John Robert Jackson and Patricia May (Wilson) Jackson.

Brenda had a wonderful childhood growing up on a farm and spending time at her grandparents' place, where she enjoyed playing with her siblings and many cousins. It was during these early years that she developed a deep love for all animals, both great and small. Brenda graduated from Humansville High School in 1977 and remained friends with several of her classmates throughout her life. She married Brent Skidmore in May 1978, and together they had one son, Jesse Julian Skidmore.

Brenda loved the great outdoors, including walking with her beloved dogs, watching sunrises and sunsets, fishing, and spending time with her two granddaughters. She was also an avid mushroom hunter. Brenda cherished time with her aunts, uncles, and cousins and maintained strong connections with her extended family. She found peace and joy in tending to flowers and feeding hummingbirds.

Throughout her life, Brenda wore many hats. She was a homemaker, former bank teller, veterinary assistant, and dedicated caretaker of veterans. For many years she worked with her sister Gayla and brother-in-law Leland in

Collins, MO at Smitty's Fuel Center. Most importantly, she was the primary caregiver for her beloved parents for the past 6 years.

She was a beloved daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother, and proud aunt. Brenda will be remembered for her selflessness, strength, and unconditional love. She will be greatly missed by her family and many dear friends.

Brenda is survived by her parents, John and Patricia Jackson of Humansville, MO. Her son, Jesse Skidmore (Megan) of Flemington, MO and granddaughters Audrey Skidmore and Adeline Skidmore. Sister, Gayla Smith (Leland) of Collins, MO. Brother, Jay Jackson (Debbie) of Osceola, MO. Brother, Darrell Jackson (Rita) of Garfield, AR. Many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends too numerous to name, but deeply loved by her all the same.

A visitation will be held from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Monday, June 9, 2025, at Butler Funeral Home in Humansville.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Polk County Humane Society.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 9. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Butler Funeral Home - Humansville
109 East Buffalo St.
Humansville, MO 65674
(417) 754-2215
<https://butlerfuneralhome.com/>

Tribute Wall

DS

“ *Dee & Neoma Stacy lit a candle in memory of Brenda Skidmore*



Dee & Neoma Stacy - June 08, 2025 at 04:45 PM

DL

“ *Dorothy Lean lit a candle in memory of Brenda Skidmore*



Dorothy Lean - June 08, 2025 at 11:32 AM

JK

“ *j,r, kelley lit a candle in memory of Brenda Skidmore*



j,r, kelley - June 07, 2025 at 03:15 AM

TF

“ *The Atkinson Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Brenda Gail Skidmore.*



The Atkinson Family - June 06, 2025 at 11:11 AM

JF

“ I was so delighted that my mother and my cousin communicated daily and so her sudden passing stunned me because Mom had just talked to her. I have many memories of the orneriness I used to get into in the 1960's with Brenda, Gayla and Jay.

Jim Fuhrmann



Jim Fuhrmann - June 06, 2025 at 01:18 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Brenda Gail Skidmore.

June 05, 2025 at 12:34 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Brenda Gail Skidmore.



June 05, 2025 at 12:34 PM

JP

“ She was my cousin and my friend. I still can't believe she is gone. Prayers for her family and I do hope her granddaughters keep the wonderful memories of the time they had with her.

Julie E Perkins - June 04, 2025 at 05:48 PM

MB

“ Marilyn, Dedra, Sondra and Uncle Bill purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Brenda Gail Skidmore.



Marilyn, Dedra, Sondra and Uncle Bill - June 04, 2025 at 01:54 PM

CH

“ Chelsea and Howard purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Brenda Gail Skidmore.



Chelsea and Howard - June 04, 2025 at 12:38 PM

SB

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Brenda's passing. Prayers to the Jackson and Skidmore families.

Stacey Baldwin Baker - June 03, 2025 at 02:39 PM