



## Karleen Morrison

March 26, 1939 - January 23, 2013

Betty Karleen Morrison, 73, of Flemington passed away Wednesday, January 23rd in Springfield. She was one of 8 children born to Haden and Leta Shuler McNeely in Flemington. She graduated as valedictorian from Humansville High School Class of 1957. She was the President of the Student Council and a drum majorette for all 4 years of high school. Karleen worked for Hallmark Cards in Kansas City after high school. On May 13, 1961 she married Wayne Morrison and they celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary. After her marriage she worked on the farm with Wayne, living the lifestyle she loved as the wife of a farmer. Karleen was known for speaking her mind, standing up for what she believed was right, an enthusiasm for life and her infectious laugh. She enjoyed playing pitch, socializing with friends, training dogs, raising bloodhounds and watching her hummingbirds. She is preceded in death by her parents, infant sister Valerie Ann McNeely, brother Troy S. McNeely and brother-in-law Roger Morrison. Karleen is survived by her husband Wayne; son Kirk Morrison and his wife Kathy of Edmond, Oklahoma; granddaughter Jennifer Morrison of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; grandson Steven Morrison of Taos, New Mexico; sister Marcella Allison and her husband Winton of Flemington; brothers Bob McNeely and his wife Deva of Oldsmar, Florida, Shirley McNeely of Bedford, Texas, Milford McNeely and his wife Ann of Cabot, Arkansas, Rod McNeely of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; sisters-in-law Virginia Jones and her husband Archie of Springfield, Emma Sloan and her husband Bob of Springfield, Linda King and her husband

Charles of Springfield; numerous nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be held 3 PM Friday, February 1st at Murray Funeral Home, Humansville. Memorials are suggested to Locks of Love; 234 Southern Blvd; West Palm Beach, Florida 33405. The family of Kirk Morrison wishes to thank all the friends, family and neighbors that have helped Karleen and Wayne in the later years of their life. Online condolences may be submitted to [www.murrayfuneralhomes.com](http://www.murrayfuneralhomes.com).

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Karleen Morrison*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Karleen Morrison*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Marcella, I want you to know I am thinking about you. I saw about Karleen in the Bolivar Paper. I am saddened. I have many memories of her. Nancy*

**Nancy (Newcomb) Mann** - February 08, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am sorry for the loss of Karlene. During this very sad time, I hope that your memories of her may comfort you.*

**Sue Skidmore** - February 04, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss. what a hard place in life we are to watch our parents suffer and pass away.*

**Debbie Steffens Kremer** - January 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *I met Karleen only a few times, but each time I saw her she left me smiling. I will pray for Kirk and family during this difficult time of loss.*

**Anne Rippeon** - January 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Kirk, it has been a long time since I saw your mom, but I always liked her spunk and wit. I'm sorry for the loss for you and your family.8

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**Debbie (Shoemake) Hoffren** - January 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ My sympathy goes out to Kirk and the rest of the family. I know it is not easy with aging parents and being an only child, Kirk. I guess I have known Karleen most all of her life and her sublings much of their lives. I have such fond memories of Karleen as a cute little girl following her daddy around. Many times she came with him to the Rondo Store. There wasn't anything Karleen wouldn't do for someone. And she was always a contributor to the Rondo flower fund that my Mom first started with a jar in the store when someone had passed away, and then some flowers bought for the services. This custom has got passed around since Christena is no longer with us and continues to this day. Rondo won't be quite the same without Karleen2F.

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**Pat (Blackwell) Shoemake** - January 28, 2013 at 12:00 AM