



Debbie Kay Hazelwood

August 6, 1963 - November 17, 2024

Debra Kay Hazelwood, lovingly known as "Debbie," age 61, of Frost, Texas, passed away peacefully on November 17, 2024, at Focused Care of Waxahachie, surrounded by her family. She was born on August 6, 1963, in Corsicana, Texas, to her devoted parents, Ernest and Dorothy Ponder.

Debbie is survived by her children, Bobby Hazelwood and wife Amanda, Jamie Hazelwood, Erika Ponder, and Randy Ponder; her sister Patricia Ratcliff; and her cherished grandchildren: Kadee Dowdle, Wade Hadley, Kameron Hadley, Krista Dowdle, Bailee Dowdle, Michael Dowdle, and Bray Hazelwood. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, David Lynn Hazelwood, and her beloved parents, Ernest and Dorothy Ponder.

Debbie had a heart full of kindness and a deep love for others. She was known for her caring nature and her willingness to help anyone in need, truly embodying the spirit of giving. She dedicated her life to nursing, a career she began at the remarkable age of 15. Over the span of 46 years, she brought comfort and care to countless people, leaving an enduring legacy of compassion.

A proud resident of Frost, Texas, Debbie was a true Polar Bear, embracing her hometown and its community. She adored animals, especially her cats, and loved the color blue, which reflected her calm and vibrant personality.

Roses were her favorite flowers, symbolizing the beauty and grace she brought to the lives of those who knew her.

Above all, Debbie cherished her family. She had a special bond with her children, grandchildren, and her parents, particularly her mother, with whom she was incredibly close. Debbie was a Methodist and lived a life rooted in faith, love, and compassion.

Her memory will forever be a blessing to those who were fortunate enough to know her.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Cremation arrangements are under the direction of Griffin-Roughton Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

NOV **24**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Blooming Grove Methodist Church
300 South Kerr
Blooming Grove, TX 76626
(903) 695-2334

Tribute Wall

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“ *Barbara and Dawson, Diana and Keith planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Debbie Kay Hazelwood.*

Barbara and Dawson, Diana and Keith - November 20, 2024 at 09:36 AM

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“ *Barbara and Dawson, Diana and Keith purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Debbie Kay Hazelwood.*



Barbara and Dawson, Diana and Keith - November 20, 2024 at 09:36 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Debbie Kay Hazelwood.*



November 20, 2024 at 08:13 AM



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November 20, 2024 at 06:57 AM

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“ Bobby, Randy, Jamie, & Erika planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Debbie Kay Hazelwood.

Bobby, Randy, Jamie, & Erika - November 19, 2024 at 12:48 PM

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“ Bobby, Randy, Jamie, & Erika purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Debbie Kay Hazelwood.



Bobby, Randy, Jamie, & Erika - November 19, 2024 at 12:48 PM

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“ Dear family, we will be praying for you all doing in this difficult time because Debbie was a sweet person that loved people and our community and just pray for you so you're in my thoughts and in my prayers
Hugs and God's blessings and prayers too



Angela D Padilla - November 18, 2024 at 07:12 PM