



Karen Elaine Murphy

June 27, 1955 - February 16, 2019

Karen Elaine Murphy was born June 27, 1955 and died Saturday Feb.16,2019, making her life here 63 years, 7 months, and 17 days. A native of Hickman County she was the daughter of the late Walter Will and Devetta Tarkington Murphy. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her sister Valorie McVetty. Survivors include her sister Ronda (Thomas) Cox, Brother in Law Christopher McVetty, nieces and nephews Selinda (Aaron) McCumbers, Walter (Tennille) McVetty, Natalie (Robert) Rickerson, Justin (Brittany) Cox, Great niece and nephews William McCumbers, Nolan Rickerson, Conley Rickerson, Foster Rickerson, and Lilah Rickerson, along with many other relatives and friends. Karen was an active member and secretary of the Edgewood Baptist Church and a special education, resource teacher for 40 years.

Memorial Donations in Karen's memory may be made to the Imagination Library.

Cemetery Details

Campground Cemetery

Centerville, TN 37033

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 19. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

McDonald Funeral Home, Inc. - Hickman County
102 West End Ave.
Centerville, TN 37033
(931) 729-3561

Funeral Service

FEB 20. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

SL

“ Karen Murphy was one of the most dedicated educators I was honored to know and teach alongside her combining all students in a program known as inclusion. She touched the lives of so very many children. Rest in Peace my dear friend

Sherri M Loveless - March 13, 2019 at 05:13 AM

NJ

“ We just learned of Karen’ s passing in the paper. We are so sad and shocked by this news. We enjoyed working in the school system for many years. She was one of Nelia’ special teachers, and we are thankful for the time Nelia spent in her care. May God be with each of family member and friend and comfort you in a way only He can do.



Neil and Bea Jobe - February 25, 2019 at 09:21 PM

SM

“ Sharon McCoy lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy



Sharon McCoy - February 20, 2019 at 12:01 PM

RS

“ To:Murphy Family,
We are thinking of you during this difficult time.

Regina & Martha Shelton - February 19, 2019 at 02:33 PM

JF

“ *Johnston Family lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy*



Johnston Family - February 19, 2019 at 10:17 AM

DM

“ *Dianna McLaren lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy*



Dianna McLaren - February 18, 2019 at 12:47 PM

DM

“ *So sorry to hear about Karen she was loved by our whole church*

Dianna McLaren - February 18, 2019 at 12:46 PM

BP

“ *Bobby Poore lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy*



Bobby poore - February 18, 2019 at 08:31 AM

JC

“ John And Margaret Colbert lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy



John and Margaret Colbert - February 18, 2019 at 08:29 AM

PH

“ Paula Hay lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy



Paula Hay - February 17, 2019 at 08:47 PM

Paula Talley

“ Karen was an amazing person. She is an example of the Special Education teacher that I strive to be. She was not only a great role model, but friend. When I started teaching at C.E.S. in 1991, she welcomed and mentored me through my first official years as a Special Education teacher. I'll always treasure the friendship I built with her.

Paula Talley - February 17, 2019 at 06:06 PM

Paula Talley

“ Paula Talley lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy



Paula Talley - February 17, 2019 at 06:03 PM

CS

“ *Charlotte Staggs lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy*



Charlotte Staggs - February 17, 2019 at 04:08 PM

PA

“ *Phillip & Letitia Allen lit a candle in memory of Karen Elaine Murphy*



Phillip & Letitia Allen - February 17, 2019 at 02:35 PM