



Karen Gene Greenwell

April 1, 1959 - October 17, 2025

Karen Gene Greenwell, 66, passed away with family by her side on October 17, 2025, in Norfolk, Virginia. She was born on April 1, 1959, in Louisville, Kentucky, to Sue and William Greenwell, her late parents.

She was a dedicated and hardworking woman. She retired from Kindred Healthcare after over 15 years and spent countless hours volunteering in her church. Karen was proud of her faith and was heavily involved with Beargrass Christian Church. She sang in the choir, played handbells, and attended numerous church outings and meals. Karen loved her family more than anything and would spend her free time traveling to wherever they were. Karen is preceded in death by her parents; sister, Rebecca Greenwell; and brother, Mark Greenwell.

She is lovingly remembered by her sister, Paula Clay (Jeff); nieces, Leanne and Jessica (Michael); and great-nieces, Emma, Carol, and Vivian.

Her funeral services will be at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Hwy., on Friday, October 24, 2025. The visitation will be from 6:00-8:00 PM, with a funeral service beginning at 6:30 PM. The visitation will continue after the service. Burial will take place the following day at Bethany Memorial Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to the American Diabetes Association in Karen's honor.

Cemetery Details

Bethany Memorial Cemetery

10917 Dixie Hwy
Louisville, KY 40272

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (est)

Owen Funeral Homes - Dixie Highway
5317 Dixie Highway
Louisville, KY 40216
(502) 447-2600
<https://owenfuneralhome.com>

Funeral Service

OCT **24**. 6:30 PM (est)

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Burial

OCT **25**. 11:00 AM (est)

Bethany Memorial Cemetery
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Tribute Wall

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“Karen was one of the strongest people I knew. Even though she faced many challenges in her lifetime, Karen always looked at the glass half full. We became good friends when we attended Beargrass Christian Church Saturday evening service. We would always greet each other "Hey Sister". Karen was genuinely a good and caring kind person with a wonderful attitude about life. She will be sorely missed. Her friends Becky Powell and Jeanie Burgan

Becky Powell - October 23, 2025 at 11:10 AM