

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name;
Thy kingdom come;
Thy will be done on earth
as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread;
And forgive us our sins as we
forgive those who sin against us;
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the Kingdom,
and the power, and the glory, forever.
Amen



Funeral Service

First Christian Church
McPherson, Kansas
Friday, January 24, 2025, at 10:30 AM

Officiating Minister

Rev. Lynn Scott

Music

Prelude Video Tribute:

"How Great Thou Art" by Elvis Presley
"Seven Minutes in Heaven" by Reba McEntire
"Jealous of the Angels" by Donna Taggart
"Go Rest High on that Mountain" by Vince Gill
"I Can Only Imagine" by MercyMe
"One More Day" by Diamond Rio
"Bye Mom" by Chris Janson

Service:

"Amazing Grace"
"The Old Rugged Cross"
Cyril & Teri Russell, vocalists / Emma Perera, pianist

Casket Bearers

Chris Blankenship ~ Jacob Coy ~ Ethan Coy
Riley Newboles ~ Brayden Blankenship
Kelley Blankenship ~ Craig Blankenship
Nathen Blankenship

Honorary Casketbearers

Matt Marlett ~ Mark Marlett ~ John Marlett
Michael Marlett ~ Wade Nelson

Ushers

Rick Trease ~ Duane Unruh

Final Resting Place

McPherson Cemetery

Memorial Donations

Memorial donations can be made to First Christian Church Rock Solid Kids in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 North Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

Appreciation

Karen's family wishes to express their sincere appreciation for all your prayers and kindnesses, evidenced in thought and deed, and for your presence at this service.

Stockham Family Funeral Home



In Loving Memory
Karen L. Coy

May 7, 1946 - January 17, 2025



A Celebration of Life
Karen Louise Coy



Karen Louise Coy, 78, of McPherson, KS, peacefully passed away on Friday, January 17, 2025, surrounded by her loving family at McPherson Hospital.

Karen was born May 7, 1946, in Caney, KS, the daughter of L.W. “Wayne” and Frances (Stanley) Shearhart. She attended high school in Wayside, KS. On February 1, 1964, Karen was united in marriage to Robert L. Coy in Pratt, KS. They were married for 52 years prior to his passing on November 7, 2016.

Karen was a dedicated Certified Nursing Assistant who devoted over 30 years of her life to the OB ward at McPherson Memorial Hospital. Throughout her career, she touched countless lives, helping to bring new life into the world. She considered these “her” babies, as each one was special to her, and formed lasting connections with the families she assisted.

A long-time member of the First Christian Church, Karen found great joy in serving others, particularly with the Rock Solid Kids program. Outside of her work and service, Karen loved spending time camping with family, fishing, enjoying the outdoors, and painting pieces through her passion for ceramics. She bowled for many years—whether winning or not, she enjoyed the game. She also belonged to the Red Hat Society.

Survivors include four children, Jerry (Tonya) Coy, Denise (Don) Huff, Debbie Coy, and Susan Stephenson, all of McPherson, KS; sisters, Sharon Shearhart of Wichita, KS and Jo Marlett of McPherson, KS; a brother, Jerry (Paula) Shearhart of McPherson, KS; five grandchildren, Tosha Coy, Katie (Chris) Blankenship, Jacob (Andrea) Coy, Jacie (Wade) Nelson, and Jennifer Stephenson; 17 great-grandchildren, Ethan Coy, Shianne Newboles, Brayden Blankenship, Riley Newboles, Kelley Blankenship, Craigg Blankenship, Nathen Blankenship, Brayden Nelson, Brook Nelson, Kolton Coy, Camden Nelson, Greyson Coy, Morgan Cauthorn, Ellie Coy, Kinsley Nelson, Oliver Coy, and Hunter Cauthorn; and many extended family members and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Wayne and Frances Shearhart; husband, Bob Coy; brother-in-law, John Marlett; and granddaughter, Jessie Huff Cauthorn.

Loving Memory

