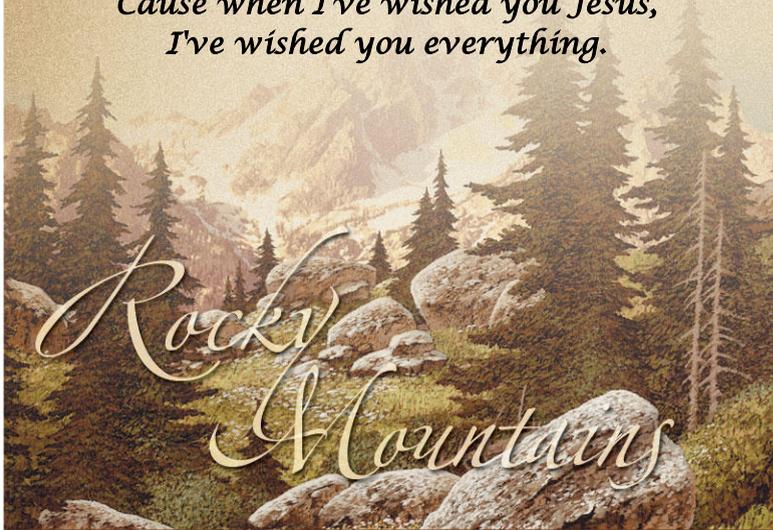


### *I Wish You Jesus*

*I could wish you joy and peace,  
To last the whole night long.  
I could wish you sunshine,  
Or a cheerful little song.  
Or wish you all the happiness,  
That your life can bring.  
But I'll wish you Jesus,  
More than anything.  
I could wish you leaves of gold,  
Or may your paths be smooth.  
I could wish you treasures,  
Or that all your dreams come true.  
I could wish you paradise,  
That every day be spring.  
But I wish you Jesus,  
More than anything.  
Cause when I've wished you Jesus,  
I've wished you everything.*



### *In Loving Memory* CELEBRATING A LIFE

*Do not stand at my grave and weep,  
I am not there, I do not sleep,  
I am a thousand winds that blow,  
I am the diamond glints on snow,  
I am the sunlight on ripen grain,  
I am the gentle autumn rain,  
When you awake in the morning's hush,  
I am the swift uplifting rush  
of quiet birds in circled flight,  
I am the soft star that shines at night.  
So, do not stand at my grave and cry,  
I am not there, I did not die.*

*~ unknown author*

#### Graveside Service

McPherson Cemetery  
McPherson, Kansas

Tuesday, August 26, 2025, at 10:00 AM

#### Officiating Clergy

Rev. Jon Black

#### Memorial Donations

Memorial donations can be given to Re-Use It Center or McPherson Senior Center in care of Stockham Family Funeral Home, 205 N. Chestnut, McPherson, KS 67460.

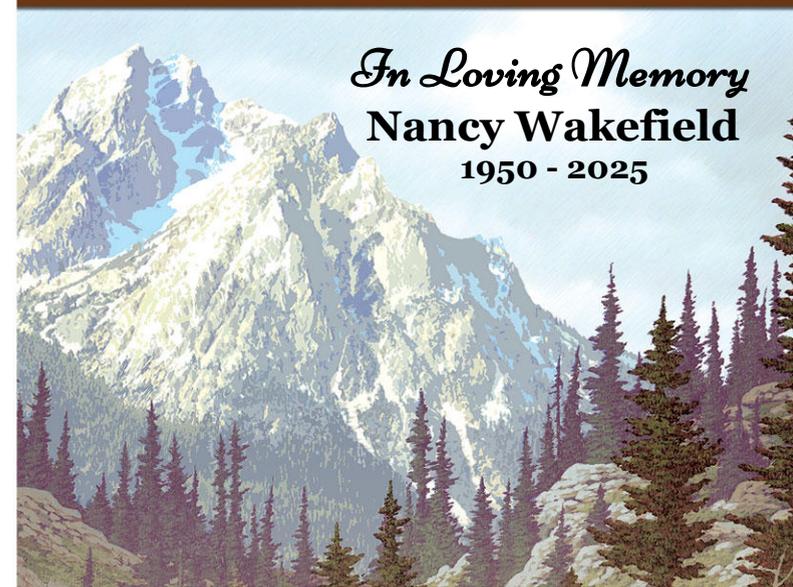
#### Appreciation

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

*Hope Strength*

Stockham Family Funeral Home

*In Loving Memory*  
**Nancy Wakefield**  
1950 - 2025





*Memor*

*Honor  
Loving Memory*

**She was born February 9, 1950, in Denver, CO, the daughter of Cecil E. and Ruth May (Campbell) Richards. She graduated from Burr Oak High School in Burr Oak, KS. On August 30, 1969, Nancy was united in marriage to Richard Wakefield in Belleville, KS.**

**Nancy worked as an insurance supervisor at Farmers Alliance Mutual Insurance. She was a member of Countryside Covenant Church, McPherson.**

**She found great joy in oil painting and often shared her artwork with others. Her love for flowers extended from gardening to crafting beautiful artificial arrangements. A passionate traveler, she especially enjoyed bus tours with Richard that allowed them to explore new places. She also loved reading, walking, and spending time with her beloved apricot miniature poodle, Beau. In her younger years, she cherished the warmth of family gatherings, standing around the piano with her siblings as their mother played the piano, and they all sang together. Of all her life's moments, the one she treasured most was marrying Richard, the love of her life.**

**Survivors include her loving husband, Richard of the home; a brother, Glen "Rip" Richards (Candy) of Apache Junction, AZ; a sister, Ellen Gray of Whiting, IA; and several nieces, nephews, and extended relatives.**

**She was preceded in death by her father, Cecil Richards; mother & step-father, Ruth and Bill Dillon; and two sisters, Patricia Howell and Ruthie Richards.**



*A Celebration of Life  
Nancy Wakefield*

*February 9, 1950 ~ August 17, 2025*

**Nancy Lee Wakefield, 75, of McPherson, KS, peacefully passed away on Sunday, August 17, 2025, with family by her side at McPherson Health and Rehab.**