

Marcelle B. Pennington, née Bouzaglo, a devoted mother, and grandmother, passed away peacefully on April 2, 2026, at the Louisburg Healthcare and Rehabilitation in Louisburg, Kansas.

Born on September 10, 1942, in Casablanca, Morocco, Marcelle's early life was marked by a significant journey when she immigrated to the United States at the age of 15, embracing new opportunities and building a life rich in love and dedication.

Throughout her career, Marcelle found her calling in food service, where she worked diligently and with great pride. She served as a restaurant manager for numerous establishments, bringing her passion for cooking and hospitality to many communities. Known especially for her skill in baking, Marcelle was celebrated for her French bread, a testament to her heritage and craftsmanship in the kitchen. Her love of cooking extended beyond her career, as she delighted family and friends with her culinary talents.

Marcelle was much more than her profession. An avid animal lover, she found joy in spending time outdoors under the sun and immersing herself in nature. She was known to watch nature and animal programs for hours, captivated by the wonders of the natural world. Marcelle loved spending time with her best friend, Yvette Clarke. Together they would attend to Yvette's garden, cook, bake, shop, and host family dinners together. A strong believer in God, her faith was a sustaining force throughout her life.

Born to Albert and Theresa Bouzaglo, who have since passed away, Marcelle was also predeceased by her siblings Marie, Leon, and Georgette. She is survived by her loving children—Dahle Murphy, Jimmy Murphy, Veronica (Grant) Williams, and Danny (Susan) Murphy—who carry forward her legacy of kindness and strength. Her family extends affectionately to her grandchildren: Mykah Murphy, Jackson Murphy, Jacob Murphy, Joshua Murphy, Shanna McCormack, Ryan McCormack, Drake Murphy, and Nathan Murphy. Marcelle also took great joy in her role as a great-grandmother to Wrenna Murphy and Ari Laws. In addition, she is survived by her siblings Jacqueline, Paulette, Danielle, and Remond, who remain an important part of her enduring family ties.


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In Loving Memory Of
Marcelle B. Pennington

September 10, 1942 ~ April 2, 2026



April 1, 2026 - Just before Mid-night

Mamma Did you know?

Absent from the body is present with the Lord. So, rest my sweet Mamma, for you are home.

So we are always confident, knowing that while we are at home in the body we are absent from the Lord. For we walk by faith, not by sight. We are confident, yes, well pleased rather to be absent from the body and to be present with the Lord (2 Corinthians 5:6-8).

Charm and beauty fade overtime, but your life was grounded in God's wisdom – For this you are blessed.

Charm is deceitful and beauty is passing, But a woman who fears the Lord, she shall be praised (Proverbs 31:30).

Mamma, Jesus holds you ever so tightly in his arms.

My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. And I give *them* eternal life, and *they* shall never perish; neither shall anyone snatch *them* out of My hand. My Father, who has given *them* to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of My Father's hand (John 10:28-30).

Someday soon we'll all be together again, we know it and you knew it.

Until we come to that day, Goodbye Sweet Mamma.



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Date of Birth

Entered Into Rest

September 10, 1942

April 2, 2026

Memorial Service

11:00 AM, Saturday, April 11, 2026

Spring Hill First Baptist Church

Spring Hill, Kansas

Officiating

Pastor Mike Folsom

Music Selections

"Bye Mom" ~ "Heaven Took You Early"

"I Love you Mom" ~ "You'll be in My Heart"

Memorial Contributions

Cedar Cove Feline Conservation Park

Always & Furever Midwest Animal Sanctuary

c/o Dengel & Son Mortuary