Obituary

Nancy Jo (Rigg) Doenges, passed away on October 13, 2026, in Olathe, Kansas, at the age of 76. She was born on August 10, 1950, in Kansas City, Missouri.

Nancy grew up in Shawnee, Kansas, and graduated from high school in Shawnee Mission. She built a career as a salesperson and worked for Lumen, formerly known as Embarq. Her retirement came just two months ago, marking the close of many years of dedicated work.

Nancy was united in marriage to Henry A. Doenges, on May 30, 1991. He preceded her in death on July 22, 2015.

She found great joy in the simple and lasting pleasures of life. Nancy loved fishing and being out in nature, and she especially enjoyed gardening and watching the deer in her yard. She also loved to cook and was an avid Chiefs fan who never missed a game. She took pride in keeping her property well maintained and always up to her standards, a reflection of the care and attention she brought to all she did. Above all, she was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother.

Nancy is survived by her daughter, Melissa Beasley, and by her step-sons, King Henry Doenges and Max Douglas Doenges, 16 grandchildren, and numerous great grandchildren.
She was preceded in death by her husband, Henry Doenges; her son, Craig Garcia; and her parents, Robert Rigg and Patricia Rigg.

Nancy will be remembered for her love of family, her enjoyment of the outdoors, her strong sense of pride in her home, and the warmth she brought to everyday life.

Services In Care Of

Dengel & Son

Mortuary - Crematory



In Memory Of

Nancy Jo Doenges

August 10, 1950 ~ October 13, 2026

God Called You Home

God looked around His garden
and He found an empty place.
He then looked down upon this earth,
and saw your tired face.
He put His arms around you
and lifted you to rest.
God's garden must be beautiful,
He always takes the best.
He knew that you were suffering.
He knew you were in pain.
He knew that you would never
get well on earth again.
He saw the road was getting rough
and the hills were hard to climb.
So He closed your weary eyelids,
and whispered,"Peace be thine."
It broke our hearts to lose you
but you didn't go alone,
for part of us went with you
the day God called you home.

Funeral Services

11:00 AM, Monday, October 19, 2026

Dengel & Son Mortuary

Paola, Kansas

Officiating

Pastor Bill Prather

Recorded Music Selections

Bridge Over Troubled Water ~ Go Rest High On That Mountain
How Great Thou Art

Pallbearers

King Henry Doenges ~ Max Doenges ~ Gabriel Doenges
Gunner Doenges ~ Mike Kendrick ~ David Kendrick

Interment

Osawatomie Cemetery

Memorial Contributions

American Cancer Society

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