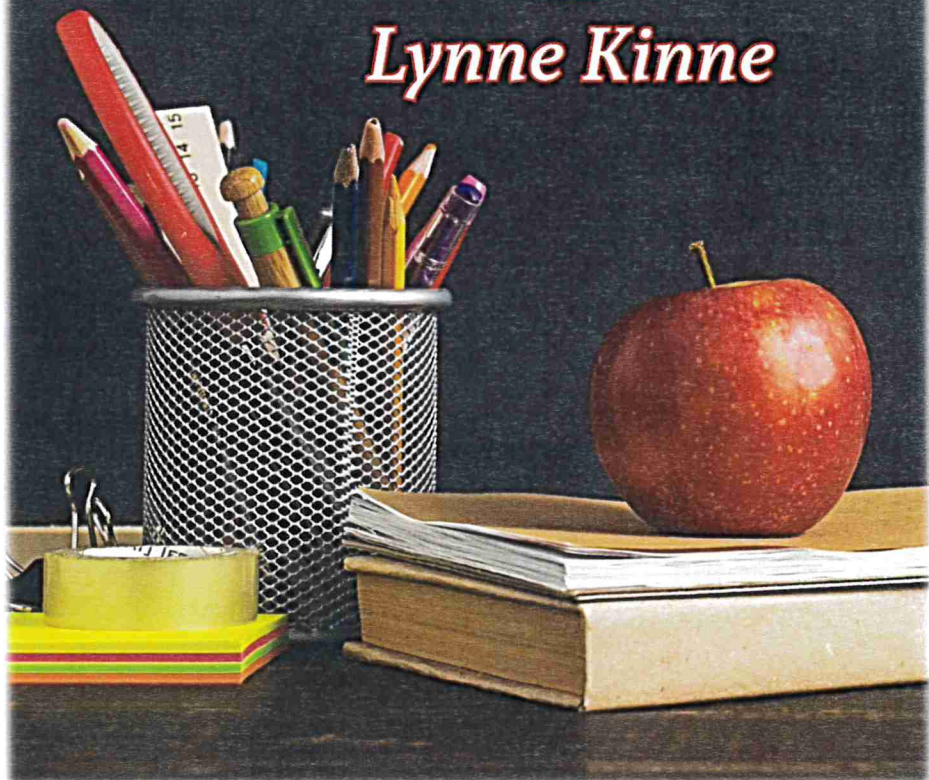


In Loving Memory



Lynne Kinne





**You never said I'm leaving
You never said goodbye
You were gone before I knew it,
And only God knew why.
A million times I needed you,
A million times I cried
If love alone could have saved you,
You never would have died
In life I loved you dearly
In death I love you still
In my heart you hold a place,
That no one will ever fill
It broke my heart to lose you,
But you didn't go alone
For part of me went with you,
The day God took you home.**



~ In Loving Memory ~

Lynne Marie Kinne

ENTERED THIS LIFE

June 16, 1969 ~ Colby, Kansas

DEPARTED THIS LIFE

March 1, 2026 ~ McCook, Nebraska

FUNERAL SERVICE

Monday, March 9, 2026 – 10:00 AM

McCook Christian Church ~ McCook, Nebraska

WORDS OF COMFORT

Pastor Seth Bates

RECORDED MUSICAL SELECTIONS

“Baby Blue” -*George Strait*

“Amazing Grace” -*Randy Travis*

“Jealous of the Angels” -*Donna Taggart*

PALLBEARERS

Deacon Kinne Cole Walters Jarett Walters

Chris Barber Brad Carlson Kyle Carlson

HONORARY PALLBEARER

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FINAL RESTING PLACE

Memorial Park Cemetery ~ McCook, Nebraska

*Arrangements Entrusted to Herrmann-Jones Funeral Chapel of McCook
herrmannfh.com*

Lynne Marie Kinne was born on June 16, 1969, in Colby, Kansas, to Lavetta (Heller) Langdon. Her educational journey began in Stratton, Nebraska, where she graduated with the Stratton High School Class of 1987. Lynne's passion for learning led her to McCook Community College, where she earned her associate degree, before pursuing her bachelor's degree in education with a special education endorsement from Kearney State College.

On August 11, 1990, Lynne joined her life with Rick Kinne, and together they embraced the community of McCook, where they made their lifelong home. Lynne's career in education began at Hayes Center Schools, but it was at McCook Public Schools where she truly shined. As a Lifeskills teacher and the unified bowling coach, she touched the lives of countless students. Although Lynne retired in August 2025, her commitment to education continued as she actively substituted in the classrooms she loved.

Lynne's spirit was deeply intertwined with her community. She was a devoted member of McCook Christian Church and touched many lives through her role as the head of delegations for McCook Special Olympics. Her enthusiasm for sports was infectious; there was no game she wouldn't watch, and she eagerly coached various sports, sharing her passion with different generations. Lynne was always present at her nieces' and nephews' events, cheering them on with an unwavering spirit, and her joy radiated through the countless miles she traveled to support them.

In addition to her dedication to education and sports, Lynne found happiness in cooking and baking, gathering her family around the table for shared meals. Her love for playing cards and spending time with her beloved family, especially her pride and joy, Maverick, and bonus grandson, Dante Peacock, filled her life with laughter and warmth. She cherished quiet moments with her dear fur baby, Axle, and his playful sidekick, Tiny, relishing the simple joys of life.

Lynne Marie Kinne will always be remembered for her boundless love for children and the lasting impact she made on countless students throughout her career.

Lynne passed away at her home in McCook on Sunday, March 1, 2026. She was 56 years of age.

She was preceded in death by her mother-in-law, Evelyn Kinne; father-in-law, Earl Kinne; sisters-in-law, Bonnie (Lloyd) Deitsch and Ginger (Simon) Cousins; and brother-in-law, Brad Walter.

Those that will carry on her legacy include her husband, Rick Kinne of McCook; mother, Lavetta Langdon of McCook; her children, Erica, Amanda, and Deacon of McCook; grandson, Maverick Hoffmann; siblings: LeaAnn (Tony) Rumlin, Linda Carlson, and Laura Walter; sisters-in-law, Peggy Sitzman, Leila Kinna, and Verlie (Bill) Young; brothers-in-law, Edgar (Sandy) Kinne, Bryan (Lois) Kinne, Roger (Joyce) Kinne, Howard (Carla) Kinne, and Kenneth (Amy) Kinne; as well as many nieces and nephews and countless lives touched.