



Karen Ann Carpenter-Urban

November 29, 1948 - December 26, 2025

Karen Ann Carpenter-Urban (77) passed away peacefully into the arms of Jesus on December 26th after a lengthy illness in Decatur, AL.

Karen was born November 29, 1948 to Arthur and Marilyn Carpenter in Lackawana, New York.

Karen was preceded in death by her parents and son, Nathan Sorrow.

She is survived by her brother Kevin (Paula) Carpenter, nieces and nephews; daughter Leah (Barry) Bowen, grandchildren Caleb (Emilee) Bowen, Nicole (Reuben) Atwood, Faith Bowen; daughter-in-law Robin Sorrow, grandchildren McKynze and MaKaylah Sorrow and her good friend Judy Simms.

Cemetery Details

Decatur City Cemetery

Highway 20
Decatur, AL 35601

Previous Events

Burial

JAN 3. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Highway 20
Decatur, AL 35601

Tribute Wall

MS

“ I miss my Grandma Karen. The love she gave us will always be cherished. I miss watching Andy Griffith in the living room floor while she used to to tell me and my sister stories about when she was you and when my dad was just a baby. I also will always cherish the love for God she had. It was incredible. I love you Grandma Karen. Love, Kynze ❤️



McKynze Sorrow - January 07 at 11:27 PM

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“ Karen was a roommate to my mother having Dementia. My mom gave Karen a rough time. Karen was always so patient, kind and understanding with mom and the disease. I will be forever thankful and grateful for having to gotten to know Ms Karen. She would always say the most sweetest, heart felt prayers over me and my family. Until we meet again, rip.

Cynthia Smith - December 29, 2025 at 09:54 PM

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I always enjoyed seeing Mrs. Karen she was always so sweet and kind. She will be greatly missed. Prayers for her family!!!! Love always Donna Elia

Donna Elia - January 01 at 03:31 PM