



## Kathryn "Kathy" Kay Davenport

August 31, 1946 - March 22, 2026

Kathryn "Kathy" Kay (Williamson) Davenport was born on August 31, 1946, in Springfield, Missouri. She went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, March 22, 2026, while under the care of Legacy Hospice at Dunlop House, in Colonial Heights, Virginia. Kathy was a longtime resident of Waynesville, Missouri and later of Chester, Virginia. She was diagnosed with a meningioma several years ago, yet was blessed to reach the age of 79 years.

Kathy was the daughter of Paul Eugene and Ollie Katherine (Clarkson) Williamson and a sister to Lester Lee Williamson and Kenneth Paul Williamson and a grandmother to Alaina Kay—all of whom preceded her in death.

Kathy grew up in Springfield and graduated from Hillcrest High School. She dedicated 30 years to teaching elementary school for the Waynesville R-VI School District. Her favorite grade was Kindergarten. She found great joy in shaping young lives and retired after fulfilling career in education.

Kathy met Frankie Dale Davenport in Waynesville, Missouri. They were married on June 30, 1973 at Westside Baptist Church and shared over 42 years of marriage together. They were blessed with two daughters, Julie and Amy.

Kathy loved to fish and was often the first to catch one, quietly and nonchalantly reeling it in. She also enjoyed sewing and quilting, creating many treasured pieces for family and friends. Kathy loved to travel and never missed the opportunity to vacation with her children and grandchildren.

Kathy will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her. She leaves to cherish her memory, her two daughters: Julie Hagar (Jeff) of Atlanta, Georgia, and Amy Falk (Andrew) of Chester, Virginia; four grandchildren: Drew Falk (Anchorage, Alaska); Ameerah Falk (Colonial Heights, Virginia); Jacob Hagar (Atlanta, Georgia); and Jackson Hagar (Atlanta, Georgia); her brother-in-law: Bill Davenport (Sharon) of Waynesville, Missouri); a niece: Becky Cooper (Springfield, Missouri) as well as great-nieces great-nephews, and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, April 3, 2026, in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert. Burial will follow in the Sunset Memorial Estates Cemetery of Waynesville, MO. Arrangements are under the care and direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until time of service at 11:00 a.m. Friday, April 3, 2026, in the Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in memory of Kathy Davenport to Legacy Hospice and may be left at Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memorial Estates Cemetery

Highway 17 South  
Waynesville, MO 65583  
(573) 774-6111  
memorialchapels@embarqmail.com

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 3. 10:00 AM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

## Funeral Service

APR 3. 11:00 AM.

Memorial Chapels And Crematory Of Waynesville / St. Robert

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kathy was an amazing person. She was always ready for an adventure, and could find the fun and joy in everything. The world is a little darker without her smile in it. -John*



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**John Nickle** - April 03 at 09:01 AM



“ *107 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - April 02 at 01:35 PM

MA

“ *Michael and Stacy Allen lit a candle in memory of Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport*



Michael and Stacy Allen - March 30 at 08:37 PM

MA

“ *I have a lifetime of great memories of Kathy and Frankie Dale. I miss them both. They were made for each other, and they are continuing their journey in paradise.*

Michael Allen - March 30 at 08:36 PM

PJ

“ *Kathy and I taught at East for many years. I remember her always smiling, and I can see her still, coffee cup in hand as she greeted her students coming in to class. My sympathy to Julie and Amy on their loss ☐*



Pam Johnson - March 27 at 03:46 PM

KD

“ *Great teacher, an inspiration to many ..She will be missed... Godspeed, Mrs Davenport! Rest In Paradise...*



Kat DeVido - March 27 at 06:26 AM

JT

“ *Janis Thompson lit a candle in memory of Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport*



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**Janis Thompson** - March 26 at 07:15 PM

LH

“ *Kathy will be missed by all who knew her. She was a wonderful teacher. Luge Hardman*

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**Luge Hardman** - March 25 at 05:53 PM

GC

“ *Grant & Linda Cox lit a candle in memory of Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport*



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**Grant & Linda Cox** - March 25 at 07:20 AM

TK

“ *My family loved Kathy. She was Justin's (Kimble) first grade teacher when we first moved to Waynesville. I was a student teacher with Kathy and I taught second grade next to Kathy. She was a remarkably kind friend who helped me so much in many ways. I loved watching Amy and Josh play soccer together. My heart goes out to Julie and Amy and your families.*

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**Teresa Kimble** - March 25 at 04:49 AM

TE

“ Teresa lit a candle in memory of Kathryn  
"Kathy" Davenport



Teresa - March 25 at 04:31 AM



“ LaWanna Rogers lit a candle in memory of  
Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport



LaWanna Rogers - March 24 at 07:45 PM

DM

“ Dawn and Robert McKee lit a candle in  
memory of Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport



Dawn and Robert McKee - March 24 at 01:13 PM

MS

“ Marge Scott lit a candle in memory of Kathryn  
"Kathy" Davenport



Marge Scott - March 24 at 12:24 PM

AH

“ Angie Hance lit a candle in memory of Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport



Angie Hance - March 23 at 09:57 PM

EA

“ Earl & Michelle Arnold lit a candle in memory of Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport



Earl & Michelle Arnold - March 23 at 09:56 PM

CA

“ Carla Allen lit a candle in memory of Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport



Carla Allen - March 23 at 08:50 PM

CD

“ Cornelia & Robert Dodds lit a candle in memory of Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport



Cornelia & Robert Dodds - March 23 at 04:24 PM

BD

“ *bill Davenport lit a candle in memory of  
Kathryn "Kathy" Davenport*



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**bill Davenport** - March 23 at 03:51 PM