



Ms. Rebecca Wadley

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Rebecca “Becky” Denise Ackerman Wadley, 60, of Hermitage, Tennessee died on Friday, March 15, 2019 at the home of her sister Judy Ackerman (Mark) Cox of Shelbyville, Tennessee after a long illness.

Becky was born on January 10, 1959 in Hazard, Kentucky to the parents of Mary Blanche Walters and John Carlton Ackerman. Rebecca, called Becky by her family and friends, grew up in Madison, Tennessee and attended the elementary school, academy and the church of the Seventh Day Adventist community.

In addition to her parents, Becky is preceded in death by her beloved husband, Russell Douglas Wadley of Hermitage, TN, her sister, Carolyn Ackerman Bell, and her brother, Gary Carlton Ackerman of Madison, Tennessee.

Survivors include her sister Judy (Mark) Cox and nephew Mark David Cox of Shelbyville, Tennessee, her daughter Wendy (Landis) Davidson and three grandsons Anthony, Samuel and Gary Davidson of Hendersonville, Tennessee, and cousins Deborah Faye Ackerman (Jessie) Johnson of Hendersonville, and Michael W. Ackerman of St. Petersburg, Florida, and other close family relatives in Mississippi and Kansas.

Becky proudly served her country in the U.S. Air Force and retired after 20 years of service with the State of Tennessee Department of Corrections, Nashville, Tennessee. She was a devoted wife and enjoyed a simple life dedicated to caring for her husband who was a 100% disabled Vietnam Veteran who succumbed to the ravages of Agent Orange. In lieu of memorial flowers or gifts Becky respectfully requests any memorial donations to be given in his honor (Russell D. Wadley) to the Wounded Warrior Project or to one of her other favorite charities with the St. Jude Children’s Hospital, Shriners Hospitals for Children, or Children’s Operation Smile.

Memorial service arrangements will be held at the Spring Hill Cemetery in Madison, Tennessee (5110 Gallatin Pike South, Nashville, Tennessee) and will be held Saturday,



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April 6 at 2:00pm in the Music City Mausoleum.

Spring Hill Funeral Home & Cemetery has been entrusted with the final care of Ms. Wadley.



Events


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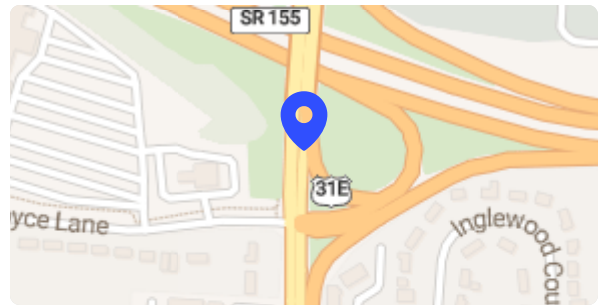
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Memorial Service


 **Saturday**, April 6, 2019

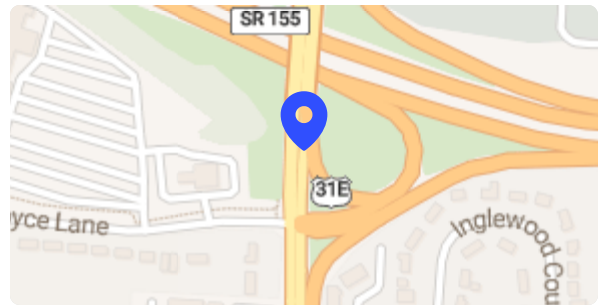
 2:00 PM CT

 **Historic Spring Hill Cemetery**
5110 Gallatin Road, Nashville TN 37216



Cemetery Details

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Tribute Wall

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Judy Cox shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

"I have come down from heaven, not to do My own will, but to do the will of Him who sent Me, that I should lose nothing of all that He has given Me, but raise it up on the last day. This is indeed the will of My Father, that all who see the Son and believe in Him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day." John

6:35-40 In joy, peace and great comfort I read and share these wonderful words from Jesus. The clasped hands represent the hope of being reunited with our loved ones and faith in the promise of eternal life. It symbolizes the farewell to earthly existence and God's hand reaching down to guide our loved one home.



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Judy Cox posted:

Announcement from Becky of a new beginning rather than an end of life: Becky would like us to let you know that her work here is done. She received a call, a sort of an offer you can't refuse, for an adventure from which she will not be returning. This upcoming journey offers a huge sign-on bonus, a reunion with family and friends she has not seen in a long time. Her new mission takes her to a wonderful place where she will be catching up with family & friends, playing, running, dancing, and having fun to her heart's content. Music, laughter, joy and love are guaranteed. Food will be delicious and she will never gain an ounce. She left detailed instructions for family and friends her to celebrate her mission here, which has now been completed. We want to let her know that she did a great job and wish her a safe journey. We will remember her smile, her warmth, her mischievous sense of humor, and her love for life, family and friends. She worked very hard all her life, even more so when her physical mobility and health became an on-going challenge. She made a difference in the lives of many as we admire her strength, determination and spirit of independence. We invite you to join us and celebrate her life together even if you are unable to attend her Life Celebration service. Saturday, April 6 at 2:00pm Spring Hill Cemetery In the Music City Mausoleum 5110 Gallatin Road Nashville, TN, 37216

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Rebecca by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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