



Colette B Wendel

October 9, 1963 - September 29, 2024

Colette B Wendel of Rolla, Missouri passed away September 29th, 2024, at St. Mary's Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri at the age of 60. She was born October 9th, 1963, to the late Phillip and Dolores (Mouldon) Geno. Colette was united in marriage to Jeff Wendel on May 24th, 1984. She married her high school sweetheart and they started their marriage in Germany where he served in the US Army. From this marriage they were blessed with their daughter, Becky Huffman. Colette was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, sister, friend, and community member.

Colette was a member of Greentree Christian Church in Rolla, Missouri. Colette was an avid outdoor enthusiast; she loved all things in nature. She had an affinity for animals and worked with her husband building hiking and biking trails on their small farm. She enjoyed working out, running, and competing in half marathons with her daughter and friends. Colette was a caregiver all her life, working in the education field, in the home health industry, and in her retail sales career at Foods for Health.

Colette Wendel is survived by her husband, Jeff Wendel, and her daughter, Becky Huffman and husband, Jake. She had three grandchildren, Rylee Hancock, Easton Huffman, and Isaac Huffman. Colette is also survived by her sisters, Renee Wilken and husband David of Arizona, Donna Cuba and husband Jim of Florida, and her sister-in-law Jenny Wendel and spouse, Mary Beth Cardoni of Georgia. Colette is also survived by her father-in-law Dave Wendel and wife Cindy, of Wisconsin and her mother-in-law Marge Wendel

and partner, Alex Sabo of North Carolina. Colette was preceded in death by her parents, Phillip and Dolores Geno, and her brother-in-law Chris Wendel. Memorial services will be held on Friday, October 11, 2024 at 4PM at Greentree Christian Church of Rolla, with Tim Cook officiating. A visitation for family and friends will be held at Greentree Christian Church, starting at 3PM. Colette's dedication to her family, friends, and associates will be remembered with kindness and gratitude and she will be missed by all. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Rolla Animal Shelter.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 11. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Greentree Christian Church
800 Greentree Rd
Rolla, MO 65401-4686
(573) 364-2649

Memorial Service

OCT 11. 4:00 PM (CT)

Greentree Christian Church
Rolla, MO 65401

Tribute Wall



“ Tom and Jackie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Colette B Wendel.

Tom and Jackie - October 09, 2024 at 07:30 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Colette B Wendel.



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“ Kathy and Michael Sullivan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Colette B Wendel.

Kathy and Michael Sullivan - October 08, 2024 at 12:05 PM



“ Kathy and Michael Sullivan purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Colette B Wendel.



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DC

“ *Dad and Cindy purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Colette B Wendel.*



Dad and Cindy - October 07, 2024 at 02:55 PM

CF

“ *Cawfield & Family purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Colette B Wendel.*



Cawfield & Family - October 02, 2024 at 04:48 PM