



# Carolyn Kirby

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**C**arolyn Mae Kirby, 76, of Decatur, IL, passed away at 8:40 P.M. on Sunday (01-14-2024) at Decatur Memorial Hospital.

Carolyn was born on March 11, 1947, in Decatur, IL, the daughter of Robert Belke and Sylvia Faye (Cowger) Belke. She married Kent Lyle Kirby on May 8, 1985. They were married for almost 39 years.

She is survived by her husband Kent Lyle Kirby of Decatur, IL; children: Christina Maltby of CA, Brian Maltby and wife Leesa of Murietta, CA, and Brad Maltby of Las Vegas, NV; stepchildren: James Kirby of LaFayette, IN, Scott Kirby of Charlotte, NC, Todd Kirby and wife Shannon of Springfield, KY; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Carolyn was preceded in death by her parents and two sisters.

A Funeral Service will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Friday (01-19-2024) at Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home with visitation one hour prior to the service. A Graveside service will follow the funeral at Fairlawn Cemetery, Decatur, IL.

Condolences may be left at [www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com).



# Events

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## Visitation

- Friday**, January 19, 2024
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT
- Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**  
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526



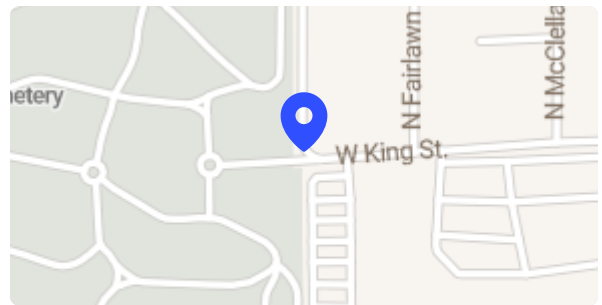
## Funeral Service

- Friday**, January 19, 2024
- 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM CT
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## Cemetery Details

- Fairlawn Cemetery**  
1600 West King Street, Decatur IL 62522





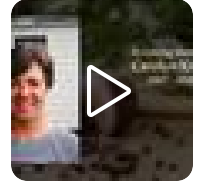
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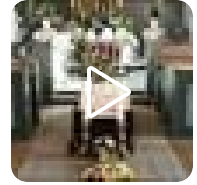
**Graceland Fairlawn** shared a **Video**.

January 19 at 4:20 AM



**Graceland Fairlawn** shared a **Webcast Video**.

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**Anonymous** sent a Sweet Tenderness to the Kirby family.

January 17 at 2:43 PM



**Mary Paul** lit a candle in honor of Carolyn.

I loved you more than words could say. I'll never forget you, or your kindness. Fly high, Beautiful Angel! Love, AJ

January 16 at 2:24 PM



**Annette Burns** lit a candle in honor of Carolyn.

Aunt Carolyn, I know you're at peace now, with our mighty God in Heaven. Knowing this helps those you left behind in their grief, but never can fill the hole left in our hearts. You were always my favorite Auntie! So full of orneriness and fun...your smile was memorable and your laughter was infectious. Love you and will miss you! I know you are happy to be with your loved ones again in Heaven. Give my Mom a hug for me.

January 16 at 12:51 PM



**Christina Maltby** lit a candle in honor of Carolyn.

CHRISTINA MALTBY lit a candle in memory of Carolyn Kirby

January 16 at 5:07 AM





## Tribute Wall

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**Christina Maltby** posted:

I love you so much mom. I am going to miss you everyday until I see you again. I know your with God and your mom and sisters, finally at rest. My heart is breaking that I lost my mom, somehow I will go on and keep your spirit in my soul. Love you mom.

January 16 at 5:06 AM



**Brad Maltby** posted:

I love you mom and will miss you dearly. I truly grateful to have had you as a mom and as a friend till we see each other again. I love you. love Brad.

January 15 at 1:24 PM



# Media

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