



**Davis, Paulette Jane (Herzer)**

1948-2023

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Paulette Jane Davis, 74, of Decatur went to be with her Lord and Savior Feb. 5, 2023.

Funeral is 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 9, 2023, at Hawkins Funeral Home in Decatur, with burial at Preskitt Cemetery. Family will receive friends an hour prior to the service.

Pastor Willard Kiper will officiate. Pallbearers include Stephan Johnson, Brandon Johnson, Jacob Posey, Ashton Herzberg, Jackson Mills, Joshua Morgan, Hayden Johnson and Cooper Morgan.

Paulette was born Aug. 27, 1948, to Thomas and Margaret Maxine Herzer in Sapulpa, Okla. She was united in marriage Aug. 28, 1980, to George Lee Davis in

Denton. Paulette was an active and longtime member of New Salem Freewill Baptist Church in Decatur. She loved her church family and lead the congregation in praise and worship for several years. She found great joy in planning the yearly Christmas program and singing weekly specials. Paulette cherished her grandchildren and watched countless sporting events, band concerts and all types of activities. She looked forward to Saturday nights when the whole family gathered at her house for hamburgers and a good time of Rummy. Paulette was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt and friend to many who will miss her dearly. After a long battle with Alzheimer's disease, the Lord took her home. The family wishes to thank everyone for their thoughts and prayers through this challenging time. Those left to cherish her memory are her husband of 42 years, George L. Davis; daughters, Rhonda D. Posey and husband, David, Jennifer Herzberg and husband, Erick, and Katie Mills; her sister, Claudia Postlewait and husband, Ronald; her brother, Larry Creek and wife, Cynthia; along with a number of aunts, uncles, nieces, and nephews and a host of friends.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Alzheimer's Association and The Gideons International.

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