



## Sandra "Sandy" Basham Steele

July 4, 2024

Sandra "Sandy" Basham Steele, age 70, of Henderson, KY, passed away at 12:09 a.m. on Thursday, July 4, 2024, at Deaconess Baptist Health in Madisonville, KY.

Sandy was full of life, and everyone loved her. She was a giver. Anytime Sandy saw a need she would go above and beyond to make sure the need was met. Sandy loved her family dearly, especially her grandkids, they were the pride and joy of her life. She was also a lifelong animal lover and proud pet owner. Her pets made her happy. She had 2 horses, 2 dogs, 3 ferrets, and 2 cats, and she loved spending time with every one of them. Sandy enjoyed cooking and gardening. Canning vegetables from the garden was something she did for many years. She will be remembered for her kindness, warmth, and love for her family and friends.

Sandy was preceded in death by her father Earnest Basham, mother Mary Basham, brothers Jerry Basham and George Basham, and her sisters Elizabeth Basham and Shirley Koch.

Sandy is survived by her husband of 52 years Steve Steele; daughters Michelle Guill and husband Matt and Jill Steele; goddaughter Jessica Powell and husband Darrell; and grandchildren Ethan and Katelyn all of Henderson, KY.

Relatives and friends are invited to Sandy's Life Celebration from 10:00 a.m. until the service time on Friday, July 12, 2024, at Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home. The funeral service will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Friday at the funeral home with Reverend Darrell Powell officiating. Burial will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Henderson, KY.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to New Hope Animal Rescue, 526 Atkinson Street, Henderson, KY, 42420.

Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home, A Life Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at [www.bentongluntandtappfuneralhome.com](http://www.bentongluntandtappfuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Memorial Gardens

8136 Highway 2084 S  
Henderson, KY 42420  
(270) 826-9623  
roselawn@ccol.net  
<http://www.bentonglunt.com/>

# Previous Events

## Life Celebration

**JUL 12.** 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home  
629 S. Green St.  
Henderson, KY 42420  
(270) 827-3535  
email@bentonglunttapp.com  
<https://www.bentongluntandtappfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

**JUL 12.** 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Hugs, thought and prayers for the entire family as you celebrate Sandra’s life. I have been remembering the nights spent with her and running around her neighborhood. Fun times.* ”

Mary Ann Schentrup - July 12, 2024 at 06:43 AM



*Thank you.*

Matt-Michelle Guill - July 12, 2024 at 06:34 PM

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“ *My condolences and thoughts are with all of you at this time.* ”

Shari - July 06, 2024 at 06:53 AM



*Thank you.*

Matt-Michelle Guill - July 06, 2024 at 10:06 AM

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*So sorry for your loss. She was a very nice person.*

*Richard Curby*

Richard Curby - July 12, 2024 at 12:11 PM

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“ *Even though we were cousins, we were also best friends. We spent much time together growing up, spending the night at each others houses as often as we could. She was the sister I never had. Love and prayers to all of you. Brenda* ”

Brenda Waters (cousin) - July 05, 2024 at 09:18 PM



*Thank you. Mom talked a lot about the 2 of you growing up together.* □

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**Matt-Michelle Guill** - July 05, 2024 at 10:51 PM