



## Rebecca Eileen Williams

February 21, 1966 - May 9, 2026

Rebecca Eileen Williams, 60 of Iola, Kansas passed away at Medicalodges in Iola, Kansas on Saturday, May 9, 2026.

Rebecca was born on February 21, 1966 in Iola, Kansas to Merle and Betty (Callaway) Sutterby. Growing up in Iola her entire life, Rebecca was a proud 1984 graduate of Iola High School. On August 4, 1990 she married Rick Noyes, the two later divorced. She then married Lonnie Williams. He passed away on January 13, 2021.

Rebecca worked as a Para Professional at the Iola Middle School for 15 years. During her free time, Rebecca loved to go the Humboldt Speedway and watch the dirt track races. She also loved to cheer on her beloved KC Chiefs and KC Royals. As many would know by her boisterous enthusiasm that could be heard all over the neighborhood. Rebecca was also known to enjoy a quiet game of cards with her family. Her skill at Canasta was revered by her family. On those quiet days and evenings, Rebecca could be found watching her favorite game shows, coloring, and building crafts. Rebecca had a deep love for her family, but this love was shared with her two cats, Ryder and Katie. She was a member of the Harvest Baptist Church in Iola.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Merle and Betty Sutterby, husband, Lonnie Williams, and brother, Mark Sutterby.

Rebecca's memory will carry on with her children, Rachel (Aaron) Wright of Iola, Angela (Travis) Barker of La Harpe, and Dillon Noyes of Belle Plaine, sister, Janet Buck, brothers, Raymond Sutterby, Richard Sutterby, and Roland

Sutterby, 8 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

A Celebration of Rebecca's Life will be held at the Harvest Baptist Church in Iola, Kansas on Saturday, May 16th at 2:00 pm. Cremation has taken place under the direction of Countryside Funeral Home.

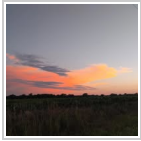
# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

MAY 16. 2:00 PM (CT)

Harvest Baptist Church  
2001 N State St  
Iola, KS 66749

# Tribute Wall



“ Several years ago when our sons (Dillon, Orion & Jordan) were playing rec baseball, Becky, Marla Leigh and I would have our own cheering section for the team. We had so much fun those couple of years spending summer evenings (twice a week) at the ballfield. I will always remember those days. Becky-you will be missed ☐  
Sending prayers to Becky's family. Remember the good times you had together and keep her memory alive by telling those stories to your kids.

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**Cindy Smith Todd** - May 13 at 07:21 PM

CA

“ Callaway's purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Rebecca Eileen Williams.



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**Callaway's** - May 13 at 03:39 PM

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“ Callaway's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rebecca Eileen Williams.

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**Callaway's** - May 13 at 03:39 PM

PL

“ Becky was a lovely lady that I had the pleasure of working with at Iola Middle School. She will be missed. Angela, you are in my prayers.

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**Phyllis Loomis** - May 13 at 11:23 AM

ML

“ I began going to town school in second grade and met Janet Sutterby, Becky's older sister. We played at their house all the time. One day, Becky kept following us big girls and we had had enough of that so some how Becky ended up locked in one of the sheds by the house while Janet and I ran off to play. Now, I don't know who, but I sure felt bad when I saw Becky standing in the window of that locked shed. Poor Becky. I have been looking for those rascals ever since that day. I don't think Becky liked them very much for locking her in there. I still don't know how she got out. She was a great sport! Love you Becky!!!

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**MARLA LEIGH** - May 11 at 09:22 PM

ML

“ Rebecca was a wonderful friend. I don't know how I'm going to go on without her as we had made plans to have wheel chair races and watch Chiefs games together in our old age. Becky was always willing to take me and my two kids in to her home as if we were part of her blood family. My little family and I owe her a lot of laughter and great memories over the many, many years we spent together. Becky fed us many meals we might have missed if it were not for her open arms and her loving heart. She was one of a kind. She raised three amazing people. Rachel, Dillon, and Angela are fun loving, barrels of fun people who are just like my own. I will never forget the fun and laughter we had with them all. The love Becky shared with me was special and I am so thankful God saw fit for me to have Becky to love for this many years. She will be beside me for ever watching over me because that's who she was. She was my little sister who came complete with with an entire beloved family of fun loving people. Thank You God for Rebecca Eileen Sutterby and company. She was my good, good friend who kept us on the ornery side for fun. May she rest in peace until we all can join her. I love you Becky. See you later, alligator. Love, Marla Stranghoner Leigh

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**MARLA LEIGH** - May 11 at 09:13 PM

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“ *To The Family,*

*You are in my thoughts & prayers.*



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**Betty Pierson** - May 11 at 07:33 PM