



Judy H Duplechine

April 27, 1951 - January 30, 2026

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Judy Hixon Duplechine, originally from Rayville, Louisiana, and a longtime resident of Scott, Louisiana, passed away peacefully in her home on January 30, 2026, at the age of 74.

She is survived by her husband, James Duplechine; her daughter, Brandon Relle and her wife Celeste, her daughter Leslie Franks and her husband Randy, and her daughter, Jamie Duplechine. She also leaves behind four grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren, and her lifelong best friend, Debra Morris.

Eleven years ago, Judy was given three months to live, her body riddled with three distinct types of cancer, two of which were rare and aggressive. Judy, though, had other plans. She lived her life. She worked as an occupational therapist's assistant. She traveled with James and their dog Miko. All while she went through treatments, continuing to defy all the odds and the doctor's predictions. Judy showed everyone who knew her what it meant to truly live. To embrace every moment. To be bold and brave in the face of death.

People were drawn to Judy's magnetism, which fed on her faith, her humor, and her stubbornness. To know Judy was to love her. Whether you had known

her for years or recently met her in a grocery checkout line, she took you into her heart and kept you there. Her laugh was contagious, her smile infectious, and her love all-encompassing.

Judy did not want a funeral service. There will be, however, a celebration of life on Saturday, February 20, 2026, 10:00 AM, in Starks, Louisiana, at Starks Baptist Church.

In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to the charity of your choice in Judy's memory.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Cypress Funeral Home & Crematory, 206 W. Lafayette St., Maurice, LA 70555.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

FEB **21**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Starks Baptist Church
128 LA-109
Starks, LA 70661