



## Nancy Clara (Wyrick) Ponder

April 12, 1959 - November 20, 2025

Nancy Clara (Wyrick) Ponder, age 66, of Ulman, Missouri, passed away November 20, 2025, at her home. She was born April 12, 1959, in Ulman, a daughter of the late Clarence Wyrick and Ruby (Davis) Walker who preceded her in death.

On July 4, 2003, in Iberia, she was united in marriage to her surviving husband, David "Red" Ponder.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by her sons, Willie VanVleck of Topeka, Kansas, Dusty VanVleck of Lawrence, Kansas, Randy (Misty) Mabee, Jr. of Ulman, Missouri and James Mabee of Ulman, Missouri; daughter, Misty (Richard) Webb of Iberia, Missouri; grandchildren, Jeffrey Thomas, Isiah Thomas, Makenzie VanVleck, Jackson VanVleck, Tony White, Bradly VanVleck, LeAnn Pritchett, Riley Mabee, David Mabee and Helen Mabee; sisters, Ruby Adaline (Wyrick) Steward of Iberia, Missouri; a sister by choice, Linda Jeffries of Ulman, Missouri; numerous nieces, nephews, family, friends and a devoted cousin, Bonnie Lipke.

A celebration of Nancy's life will be held at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, December 13th, at the Brumley Baptist Church in Brumley. Graveside services and inurnment will be held at a later date.

Cremation arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

DEC 13. 1:00 PM (CT)

Brumley Baptist Church  
855 State Highway C  
Brumley, MO 65017

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Oh the stories I could tell about my dear cousin. We grew up like sisters. Having 8 sisters of my own didnt hold a candle or compare to the love and friendship we shared from early childhood all the way through her life. Always adventuring, sharing in shenanigans and loving each other. She was was sometimes difficult, but so was I. I will forever miss my sister, my cousin, my friend. I made promises and I kept them. She promised to meet me when its my turn to go and I just know she will be there with open arms. I love you bunches my girl!*

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**Bonnie Lipke** - November 24, 2025 at 02:32 PM

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*She would tell me stories about when yall was kids and when yall was grown. To me it was like yall dud everything together. To me she was there when I needed somebody after my wife died. We would stay up till the wee hours of the night talking or watching safaris on YouTube. We was as close as siblings. I will never ever forget her she was my rock. I love you Nancy I will never forget you. 💔*

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**Bobby Snead** - November 26, 2025 at 06:51 AM

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*I will see you in heaven Nancy 💔*

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**Bobby Snead** - November 26, 2025 at 06:52 AM