



## Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson)

December 17, 1973 - June 2, 2024

Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson) entered Heaven on Sunday June 2, 2024. She passed away unexpectedly doing one of the many things she enjoyed doing - floating the crystal clear Illinois River with her husband Matthew and stepfather Jeffrey Wheeler.

Matt met Dana in October of 2004 using a popular dating site at the time - date.com. Using the site's complex and groundbreaking matchmaking technology, it matched the two of us perfectly. She would use the library computers in between shifts at her job to catch up with our online romance. It quickly escalated and we decided to get married. The rest is History.

Dana and Matt were married on June 11, 2005, at Calvary Lutheran Church in Kansas City, Missouri. This is the same church where Matthew's parents, Roger and Phyllis were married in 1973.

Dana has always shown me what it means to have a true servant's Heart. When we first met, she was the sole parent of two children while working 80 hour shifts with a local Kansas City Hospice. She did her work with the utmost care and respect for all her patients and their families.

A new opportunity presented itself with JWS, the company Matt had been with since 1998. Dana was a perfect fit. For 18 years she had been a part of the

family now known as Command Alkon. Again, everything she did at work was with a servant's Heart. She always took a keen interest in helping customers feel informed with accurate and correct information. She made countless friends in her work.

She always kept in touch with people she helped in her previous careers and frequently met those with whom she worked or knew on our travels.

Dana is the person that could make a friend with anyone. She has touched the lives of countless individuals and will be deeply missed by many.

There was never a time when she would miss an opportunity to do various outdoor activities including boating, kayaking, tubing, fishing, bicycling, motorcycling, tennis and pickleball. She loved frequent quiet drives through the beautiful Oklahoma Ozarks countryside. We moved here for its deep beauty and to get away from the city bustle.

Her most recent favorite activities included driving the grandchildren around Flint Ridge in our UTV and hand feeding the deer and hummingbirds that frequent our house.

Dana leaves behind her husband Matthew of 19 years. Faithful pup companions Daffodil, Doofy and Reighny. She also leaves behind many memories for those that were closest with her, including her beautiful sister, Christina; nephews, Lincoln and Landon; daughter, Alexandria and husband Adam, and their three wonderful children, Raelynn(in Heaven), Hope and Lauren; son, Joseph and daughter-in-law Tamela, and their wonderful children, Paisley and Paxton; step-son, Dylan and his daughter-in-law Maddy and her wonderful daughter, Everly; step-son, Evan; step-father, Jeffrey; grandmother, Mary; and aunt, Diane.

Burial and memorial service will be announced at a later date. She will be laid to rest next to her mother, Marlena Wheeler and brother, Arthur Wheeler at the Willis cemetery in Peculiar, Missouri.

# Tribute Wall

KP

“ Dana, I loved you so much. What a light you were in this world. Will cherish getting to hang out with you and Matt in Raymore, and all the shifts we worked together. You are such a gift and I can't wait to see you again one day up in heaven. Until that day know I will be missing you. My heart goes out to your family and other friends as well. Love you girl!

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**Kara Price** - November 23, 2024 at 01:04 PM

KO

“ I was so saddened to hear of Dana's passing. She was such a bright light and friend to everyone. Praying for peace for you all!

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**Kelly J Olson** - June 17, 2024 at 12:28 PM

DD

“ Im so sorry the loss of your Wife. If there's anything your neighbors at Flint Ridge can do in any way just let us know. Diana Dupree



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**Diana Dupree** - June 12, 2024 at 04:06 AM

DJ

“ Dana. The first born of Marena, the first granddaughter of Bob, and my first niece. I loved the little baby with a head full of hair. to the little girl with the great big smile, to the grown woman who loved everyone she met. She loved her children, her husband. her grandchildren with out fail. She always loved adventures. She loved all her doggos and all kinds of animals. She dearly loved her sister Chris, her mom and her brother Art. She was an awesome person and she left us way to soon. I love you Dana always ❤️



Diane Jackson - June 11, 2024 at 06:06 PM

LR

“ Ours hearts are saddened to hear of the passing of Dana. Condolences to Matt and the family. Praying for strength 🙏🙏

Lonnie and Kathy Ragland - June 10, 2024 at 12:04 PM

DA

“ Daisy purchased the Loving Sentiments Blue & White for the family of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).



Daisy - June 08, 2024 at 10:37 AM

DA

“ Daisy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).

Daisy - June 08, 2024 at 10:37 AM

RB

“ Robert B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).

Robert B. - June 07, 2024 at 07:05 PM

VB

“ Vivian B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).

Vivian B. - June 07, 2024 at 07:02 PM

SB

“ Sheri Brunson lit a candle in memory of Dana Fox (Jackson)



Sheri Brunson - June 07, 2024 at 12:54 PM

MT

“ Mastercam Team purchased the Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers for the family of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).



Mastercam Team - June 07, 2024 at 09:46 AM

MT

“ *Mastercam Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).*

Mastercam Team - June 07, 2024 at 09:46 AM



“ *My deepest condolences to Chris...I will never forget you two and Arthur. To her family, I have no words other than...she loved and adored you all..so very much. May you find comfort in her memory and her love for you all. I'm sure going to miss you Dana....thank you...for being a beautiful light in this world. I'm sending you a virtual candle but will light one for you myself. You will be missed and forever remembered. Thank you ..for just being you. Your friend...til the end.*

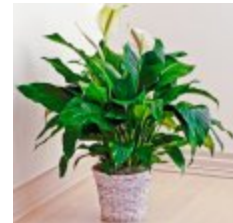
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Dotty Turner - June 07, 2024 at 12:10 AM

RF

“ *Ron & Sarah Henkhaus Family purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).*



Ron & Sarah Henkhaus Family - June 06, 2024 at 07:16 PM

RF

“ *Ron & Sarah Henkhaus Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).*

Ron & Sarah Henkhaus Family - June 06, 2024 at 07:16 PM

KC

“ We are heartbroken to hear of Dana's passing. Our prayers are with you all.



Kelly and Jennifer Coots - June 06, 2024 at 06:20 PM

BF

“ Burgess Family purchased the White Standing S pray for the family of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).



Burgess Family - June 06, 2024 at 04:41 PM

BF

“ Burgess Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dana Michelle Fox (Jackson).

Burgess Family - June 06, 2024 at 04:41 PM

DR

“ David Roark lit a candle in memory of Dana Fox (Jackson)



David Roark - June 06, 2024 at 03:54 PM

KR

“ God bless you, Dana...I'm so very glad to call you my friend❤️

Kathy Rodden - June 06, 2024 at 02:37 PM

TG

May you rest in peace, you were one of the nicest people I've ever known.

Tammy Gaffney - June 06, 2024 at 04:48 PM

AL

“ Amy Lengel lit a candle in memory of Dana Fox (Jackson)



Amy Lengel - June 06, 2024 at 01:41 PM