



Victoria Lynn DeFoer

May 14, 1956 - May 25, 2025

Mrs. Victoria (Vickie) Lynn DeFoer, 69, of Newnan, formerly of Memphis, TN, passed away on Sunday, May 25, 2025 at Emory University Hospital after a short battle with cancer. She was born May 14, 1956 in Covington, Kentucky to the late Josephine Elsie Hardebeck (Preston) and Herman John Hardebeck, Sr.

Vickie grew up in Memphis, Tennessee, and graduated from Memphis State University. In Memphis, she worked in the payroll department at Holiday Inn. While working there, she met Kevin DeFoer, the love of her life, at Resurrection Catholic Church. Kevin and Vickie were married on May 21, 1988. They moved to Newnan in 1997, and Vickie worked for the Atlanta Journal-Constitution and ClubCorp. She retired in 2021. Kevin and Vickie have been members of St. George Catholic Church since 1997, where Vickie served as a Eucharistic Minister, Sacristan, and on the Finance Council.

Vickie was a kind, loving person who loved her family, relaxing on the front porch with her husband, camping in the RV, spending time at the beach, and her dogs. Since September 2024, Vickie spent a good deal of time at their retirement home in Melbourne Beach, Florida and couldn't wait until Kevin retired so they could live there full-time.

Survivors include her loving husband of 37 years, Kevin DeFoer; her sisters,

Cindy Jo Hardebeck Soard and Suellen Kaye Hardebeck; her brother, Herman John Hardebeck, Jr. (Tammy); nieces, Josette Lorrain Nase (Andrew), Nicole Alane Harmon (Chad), and Mary Amanda Jones; and nephews, David Alan Soard (Margaret) and Herman John Hardebeck III (Lindsey Ann).

A funeral mass will be held on Thursday, May 29, 2025 at 10:30 AM at St. George Catholic Church, 771 Roscoe Rd, Newnan. Burial will be on Tuesday, June 3, 2025 at 11:00 AM at Calvary Cemetery in Memphis.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday, May 28, 2025 from 6 - 8 PM at McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory, 38 Jackson St., Newnan.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory, 770-253-4580

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

1663 Elvis Presley Blvd.
Memphis, TN 38106

Previous Events

Rosary

MAY 28. 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home Chapel
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Visitation

MAY 28. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

MAY 29. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. George Catholic Church
771 Roscoe Rd
Newnan, GA 30263

Graveside Service

JUN 3. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Victoria Lynn DeFoer*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - May 30, 2025 at 03:50 PM



“ *Vickie loved this picture of my grandchildren and we both used it as a “2 thumbs up okay “ emoji. I will miss her greatly.*



Herman Hardebeck - May 29, 2025 at 01:37 PM



“ *I'm sorry I could not make it to either of Vickie's services. We had several years together at the AJC making for many memories. I feel like I knew the family members she spoke of. May her four legged babies be waiting for her. Rest in peace Vickie.*

Sally Myers - May 29, 2025 at 12:40 PM

VP

“ Vanessa P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Victoria Lynn DeFoer.

Vanessa P. - May 28, 2025 at 01:53 PM



“ Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Victoria Lynn DeFoer.



May 28, 2025 at 12:25 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Lynn DeFoer.

May 28, 2025 at 12:25 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Victoria Lynn DeFoer.



May 28, 2025 at 09:31 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Lynn DeFoer.

May 28, 2025 at 09:31 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Victoria Lynn DeFoer.*



May 28, 2025 at 05:19 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Victoria Lynn DeFoer.

May 28, 2025 at 05:19 AM



“ *We never worked in the same AJC department, but I can tell you V was so encouraging to me. She always had a kind word or comment about my writing. May peace be with her loved ones.*

Laurie Hoffman - May 27, 2025 at 09:01 PM



“ *May God comfort you*

Ron Lipule - May 27, 2025 at 11:23 AM