



## Deborah Sue Creal

August 9, 1948 - September 22, 2020

Dateline: Brighton

Deborah Sue Creal, 72, died at 11:32 p.m. Tuesday, September 22, 2020 at her home in Brighton. Born August 9, 1948 in Alton, she was the daughter of Charles and Irene (Losch) Williams. She retired in 2011 from Lewis & Clark Community College as an executive assistant for human resources. On November 19, 1967 she married James Creal. He survives. Also surviving is a daughter, Alisa Creal (Russell Rothe) of Medora, a son, Todd Creal (Ali Vlahos) of Fulton, MO, one grandchild, Rylie Creal, and one brother, Charles Williams (Ann) of Alton. Along with her parents she was preceded in death by a brother, Terry Williams (Dawn). Due to COVID restrictions, only 25 people at a time will be allowed for the visitation being held from 4:00-7:00 p.m. Friday, September 25, 2020 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton where funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, September 26, 2020 with a maximum of 25 people in attendance. Burial will be at Valhalla Memorial Park in Godfrey. Memorials may be made to the American Lung Association. Online guestbook and information may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Valhalla Memorial Park

2308 W. Delmar Ave.  
Godfrey, IL 62035

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 25. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home Inc  
2409 State Street  
Alton, IL 62002  
(618) 466-5544  
<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral

SEP 26. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Deborah Sue Creal*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Deborah Sue Creal*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Todd, Alyssa, and Family,*  
*We're so sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. We're disappointed that we couldn't make it to the visitation as we found out too late. Please know you're in our thoughts and prayers.*  
*With Sympathy,*  
*Aaron & Kelly Goetten*

**Kelly Goetten** - September 27, 2020 at 11:57 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Deborah Sue Creal.*



September 25, 2020 at 02:06 PM

DH

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Dale Hubbard - September 25, 2020 at 02:03 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of *Deborah Sue Creal*.



September 25, 2020 at 10:37 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of *Deborah Sue Creal*.



September 25, 2020 at 09:28 AM



“ *Tender Tribute* was purchased for the family of *Deborah Sue Creal*.



September 25, 2020 at 09:16 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Deborah Sue Creal.*



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September 25, 2020 at 02:03 AM



“ *My condolences to Debbie's family. We worked at LCCC together and enjoyed sharing fun lunch times. She was a dear person. Rest In Peace Debbie*

*Karen Putnam*

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**Karen Putnam** - September 24, 2020 at 05:27 PM



“ *I will always have great memories of Debbie and the many Bunco games we played together. She loved her family and was very proud of her children. She was a kind, gentle and brave person.*

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**Lynn Welling** - September 24, 2020 at 01:59 PM



“ *Debbie always had this wonderful way of being soft spoken and calm. I was blessed to have worked with her at Lewis and Clark and so very happy to have known her through those years. This is a sad moment for her family and her Lewis and Clark family who will miss her so very much. For those who will understand this, she is now rafting down the big river in the sky with our Lord and enjoying every minute with laughter and joy!! Debbie, you are the best!*

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**Becky Moore** - September 24, 2020 at 12:03 PM

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“ *Debbie and I worked together at Lewis and Clark Community College and enjoyed eating lunch together and talking about our families and work. My sympathy to all family members and friends. Debbie was a determined person who handled life's challenges well. So sorry for your loss.*

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**Denise Roth** - September 24, 2020 at 10:25 AM

JW

“ *I knew Debbie through being a room mother together and playing Bunco together. She was always kind and thoughtful. The family is in my prayers, so sorry for your loss.*  
*Jerrie Welling*

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**Jerrilyn Welling** - September 23, 2020 at 07:37 PM

DK

“ *Todd I'm very sorry for your loss. I hope you can be comforted by warm memories of your mother!*

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**Dave Kane** - September 23, 2020 at 05:22 PM

JW

*Debbie was my cousin and good friend. I will miss her on my visits home to Mother and Daddys. The good thing is you will be at Valhala Park with them. My sympathy to her children and husband. Cousin  
Jeanne Womack  
n*

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**Jeanne Womack** - September 24, 2020 at 05:49 PM

DH

*It sure is touching to read all of these kind comments about dear Aunt Debbie... She was one of my very most favorite aunts, and I will miss her dearly.*

*Lots of love and my deepest sympathy to Jimmy, Todd, and Alisa.*

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**Dale Hubbard** - September 25, 2020 at 02:06 PM

BW

*I am so sorry about the loss of Debbie. She was a lovely person and loved her family.*

*My sympathy to Jim, Alisa, and Todd.*

*Bob Wallace*

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**Bob Wallace** - September 25, 2020 at 05:20 PM