



MRS. WENDY SMITH MOORE

September 7, 1968 - May 14, 2026

Funeral services for Mrs. Wendy Smith Moore will be held at 2 PM Monday, May 18, 2026, at East Philadelphia Baptist Church with Rev. John E. Stephens, Bro. George Terry Sciple and Dr. Doug Broome officiating. Interment will be in East Lawn Cemetery. Visitation will be held 12 PM - 2 PM Monday, May 18, 2026, at East Philadelphia Baptist Church. John E. Stephens Chapel is in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Moore, 57, passed away Thursday, May 14, 2026, at her home after a long battle of brain cancer. She lived most of her life in Neshoba County and was a member of East Philadelphia Baptist Church. She was business manager and she loved rescuing animals and horse racing.

Through the courage and sacrifice of the drug trial involving Wendy Moore, a cancer fighting drug was successfully approved by the FDA to fight cancer in the brain.

The UMMC cancer center in Jackson assisted her in fighting her stage 4 Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer that metastasized to the brain by removing or controlling over 20 tumors for 8 years, which has a 5-year survival rate of only 7%.

Great strides have been made in cancer research, and we are proud that

Wendy was a part of that so others will have a fighting chance at a better quality of life with the possibility of a cure.

Please donate to cancer research when you can and never quit praying for a cure.

God bless all the doctors and nurses that were a part of Wendy's journey.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Butch and Mavis Smith.

Survivors include her husband Mr. Larry E. Moore; daughter, Haley Moore; sisters, Kim Page (Joe), Melinda Gilmer (Kerry), Mallory Moorehead (Garrett); brothers, Terry Smith (Wendy), Tyson Smith (Ashley) and a host of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers are Walker Smith, Caleb Smith, William Moorehead, Joe Page, Garrett Moorehead, Scottie Smith.

In lieu of flowers please donate to the Philadelphia Animal Shelter.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 18. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

EAST PHILADELPHIA BAPTIST CHURCH
635 EAST MAIN STREET
PHILADELPHIA, MS 39350

Funeral Service

MAY 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

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CEMETERY

MAY 18.

East Lawn Cemetery
Philadelphia, MS

Tribute Wall



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of MRS. WENDY SMITH MOORE.



May 16 at 08:29 PM



“ Whew this is a tough one here, my girl my girl my girl: we worked together at KFC Wendy was my supervisor and we shared a many of nights closing the restaurant and then later on we crossed paths at Philadelphia Auto Sales where we caught up on old times and friends. Beautiful soul inside and out whatever she could do for you she would and she always gave Terry the business 😊 I'll cherish our memories and remember her beautiful smile where she says come see us at Philadelphia Auto Sales where you're treated like family and I felt like family. Flu high Wendy soar like a eagle you'll be missed love you always my friend



Annie Barfield - May 15 at 03:19 PM



“ My classmate of 1986 I have many memories o to talking through the hallway of Neshoba Central even after graduation we would bump into each other somewhere in Philly take your rest my dear friend

Jean Davis - May 15 at 07:41 AM

KD

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family at this difficult time.*



Kate Dearing - May 14 at 07:17 PM

BP

“ *Sending condolences to Wendys family. I'm so sorry. She was a beautiful and very strong lady*

Brenda Price - May 14 at 05:26 PM

SH

“ *Scotty & Ava Howell lit a candle in memory of MRS. WENDY SMITH MOORE*



Scotty & Ava Howell - May 14 at 04:10 PM