



Dolores JoAnn Busch

May 26, 1958 - July 2, 2026

Dolores JoAnn Busch, 68, of Fredonia, passed away on Thursday, July 2, 2026, at St. Francis Hospital in Wichita. Dolores was born on May 26, 1958, at Ft. Polk, Louisiana, the daughter of Michael Fredrick and Wilma Arlene (Grunwald) Busch.

Dolores was a graduate of Fredonia High School, class of 1976. As a child, she grew up in numerous states and lived in Germany for several years as her father was in the U.S. Army. Dolores married Dan Millar, they were married for 24 years and later divorced.

Dolores was known to be a little outspoken, hard worker, and strong in her faith to God. She was also known to be a great cook and loved to go out with family and friends to eat. She enjoyed the simple pleasures in life like going fishing, playing cards and board games, and doing crafts, but most importantly sharing her love and spending time with her family.

Survivors include:

Three Children:

Adam Millar (Prudence Ritter) of rural Fredonia

Christopher Millar (Justin Hiner) of Fredonia

Melissa Florez (Tom) of Fredonia

Siblings:

Terry Busch (Shonna) of Fredonia, KS

Bobby Busch (Pam) of Topeka, KS

Kathy Prewitt of Independence, KS

Four Grandchildren: Lane, Levi, Aaron and Reannan

Numerous Great Grandchildren, and nieces and nephews.

Dolores was preceded in death by her parents and granddaughter Haley Surber.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, July 10, 2026, at 10:00 am, at the First Christian Church of Fredonia with burial to follow at Weakley Cemetery.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, July 9, 2026, from 5-7 pm at the funeral home. Memorials in her memory have been suggested to the Fredonia Pound Pals and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Services are under the direction of Countryside Funeral Home 420 S. 20th St., P.O. Box 247, Fredonia, KS 66736

Cemetery Details

Weakley Cemetery

New Albany, KS 66736

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **9**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Fredonia
420 S. 20th St.
P.O. Box 247
Fredonia, KS 66736
(620) 378-2882

Service

JUL **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Christian Church
303 N. 7th
Fredonia, KS 66736

Tribute Wall

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“ We will forever love and miss you mom. I will cherish all the memories of you, and all the times we had. I miss you already. At least you won't have to go through what you had to. Love you mom and heaven sure got a wonderful angel.

Merry Hardin - July 07 at 01:13 AM

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“ Jennifer Busch purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Dolores JoAnn Busch.



Jennifer Busch - July 06 at 12:59 AM



“ *My dearest cousin, Dolores,*

May you rest gently and eternally in the loving arms of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

You will always be deeply loved, tenderly remembered, and forever carried in our hearts. Though you are no longer with us, your light and the beautiful memories we share will never fade.

When you see my sweet son, please wrap him in a warm hug and give him a kiss for me. Extend the same to my momma and daddy, and to all our beloved family members who are already home with you in heaven. I'm so grateful for the kindness you showed me in sharing our grandmother's treasured recipes—they remain a cherished connection to our family's story and to you.

To your precious children, Adam, Melissa, and Chris, and to my dear cousins Terry, Bobby, and Kathy: my heart aches for each of you during this sorrowful time. Please know that I am holding you close in my thoughts and prayers. May God wrap His tender, comforting arms around every one of you, surrounding you with His peace, strength, and unfailing love as you navigate these difficult days.

*With deepest sympathy, condolences, and love,
Your cousin,
Beth (BUSCH) Smith*

Elizabeth Smith - July 04 at 02:15 PM