



Karen R. Shlater

April 22, 1950 - March 12, 2026

Karen R. Shlater, 75, of Huntington, passed away at 2:34 pm Thursday, March 12, 2026, at her residence.

Karen was born on April 22, 1950, in Huntington, IN, the daughter of Albert Forst and Nevada (Bunker) Forst. She graduated from Huntington High School with the class of 1968. Karen married Robert "Bob" Shlater on December 1, 1978, in Churubusco, Indiana. Karen loved horses; she enjoyed riding, showing, and teaching others how to ride.

Survivors include her Husband, Robert "Bob" Shlater of Huntington, IN; Son, Brady (Lisa) Pavey of Huntington, IN; Granddaughter, Chrystal (Curtis) Losure of Marion, IN; Grandson, Zachery (Kelsey) Pavey of Wendell, NC; and Two Great Granddaughters, Autum, Aubree. She is preceded in death by her Father, Albert Forst, Mother, Nevada Forst, and Brother, Kent Forst.

To honor Karen's wishes, there will be no services at this time.

Preferred memorials to the Cancer Services of NE Indiana, in care of Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN, 46750.

Please sign the online guest book at www.baileylove.com.

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary is honored to serve the family of Karen R. Shlater.

Tribute Wall

RR

“ *Many fond memories of Karen at Rendezvous of years past. Our condolences and prayers are with Bob and family. Rowena (Weeny) and Tim (Bad Eye) Richardson.*

Rowena Richardson - March 16 at 10:55 AM

RS

Thanks Weeny and Bad eye for your kind words

Robert Shlater - March 17 at 06:43 PM

TS

“ *To Karen's family and friends my thoughts and prayers are with you. Karen was one of my favorite customers, in my checkout at Walmart, nice lady. Terry*



Terry & Susan Scher - March 15 at 07:05 AM

PK

“ *Karen banked where I worked. She was a great person and we would talk about her horses. Karen will be missed. Deepest sympathy to her family.*

Pat Kelsey - March 14 at 09:33 PM

RS

Thanks Pat she enjoyed her visits with the girls at the bank thanks kind words

Robert Shlater - March 17 at 06:46 PM