



Darleen Hardin

September 14, 2025

Darleen Maxine Martens Dolen Hardin

Darleen was born in Tomball, Texas on September 9, 1948. She died on September 14, 2025 in Houston, Texas at the age of 77 years old.

She was raised on Telge Rd with her parents Arnold and Ruby Martens along with her 4 sisters, Margie, Suzann, Janell, and Joyce. They attended Zion Lutheran Church and she went to school at Tomball and graduated from Tomball High School, class of 1967. She married Jordan Dolen in November 1970, who she had her children by, Angie and Stephen, and divorced in 1977. She went into banking, working in several banks in Tomball, where she knew and loved her customers. She retired in 2004. After which she remarried, to John Hardin in 2006, and moved to Iowa for 5 years. They relocated to the area to be back near the family and friends. John passed away in March of 2025. Her son, Stephen, died in December of 2023.

Darleen is preceded in death by several family members; her parents, Arnold and Ruby Martens; her sister, Suzann Martens Stockton; and her son, Stephen Dolen.

She is survived by her sisters, Margie, Janell, and Joyce; her daughter, Angie and her husband, Lance Mundkowsky; five grandchildren, Ryanne Dolen,

Reece Dolen, Grace Dolen, Jake Harris, and Alyssa (Harris) Urban-Norbeck and her husband, Tyler. Darleen also has numerous nieces, nephews, dear cousins, and so many other relatives and close friends.

She loved Dr. Pepper, her plants, as she had a green thumb, and sweaters, she was always cold. Darleen also loved visiting with friends and family, talking on the phone, she always remembered everyone's birthday, and she loved her cat, Kitty Cat.

Darleen was a faithful woman who loved the Lord and looked forward to joining her loved ones in Heaven.

The Addison family and staff of Magnolia Funeral Home extend condolences to the Hardin family during this difficult time.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Magnolia Funeral Home
811 South Magnolia Blvd.
Magnolia, TX 77355
(281) 356-3363
magnoliafh@yahoo.com
<https://magnoliafunerals.com>

Funeral Service

SEP 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

SEP 18 (CT)

Fritsche Cemetery - Inside Fritsche Park
10603 Fritsche Cemetery Rd
Cypress, TX 77429

Tribute Wall

LD

“ *The Lungwitz family extends our sincere condolences to your family. Darlene was very special to our mom and dad, Clem any Elaine Lungwitz. She had called and left a message from my mom a while back, but unfortunately, Mom cannot return the calls and we were not aware of it until recently. Again, Darlene was very special to our family, and I'm so sorry to hear of her passing.*

Laurue Lungwitz Davies - December 10, 2025 at 02:29 PM

LD

Laurie Lungwitz Davies

Laurie Lungwitz Davies - December 10, 2025 at 02:30 PM

LG

“ *My sincere condolences to the family of Darlene. I wish I had known sooner. I would have attended her services. She was such a sweet person and had a beautiful smile. I remember her children Angie and Stephen when they were in elementary. I always enjoyed visiting with her sister Margie when I went to Klein's Grocery. Such a lovely family. My prayers are with you all.*
Linda Goodson

Linda Goodson - September 22, 2025 at 10:42 AM

DM

“ *Our love and prayers are with the family. She was the most sweetest, loving woman I've met. Always having a smile on her face and loved everybody she met. God's blessings to her beautiful family.*

Donna Mizell - September 17, 2025 at 07:46 PM

YY

“ So thankful to have known Darlene 🙏
Always smiling & so friendly.
I can remember how she loved to dance @ Tin Hall.
Thankful I was able to have a good visit with her at another funeral recently.

Love you Margie, Joyce & Janell 💜
May you be comforted in knowing she's home with her her heavenly family 🙏

Yvonne & Ray Young - September 17, 2025 at 05:47 PM

MH

“ Sending love and prayers to all of her loved ones. Miss Darleen was a fire cracker, and was a very special lady to me. She will be so very missed.

Mandy Hodge - September 17, 2025 at 10:46 AM

CB

“ I am so sorry to hear of Darlene's passing. My sincere condolences to her family. Darlene and I were classmates and friends. The last time I spoke to her we talked a long time about our kids and our families. Rest in peace my dear friend 💜
Cheryl Scholz Busa

Cheryl Busa - September 16, 2025 at 07:23 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Darleen Hardin.



September 16, 2025 at 12:23 PM

FS

“ Fred & Suzann Stockton purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Darleen Hardin.



Fred & Suzann Stockton - September 16, 2025 at 12:16 AM

JD

“ Joe Dolen purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Darleen Hardin.



Joe Dolen - September 15, 2025 at 11:49 AM