



## Dana B. Patches

December 9, 1946 - December 15, 2022

Dana B. Patches, 76, of Palmyra passed away on Thursday, December 15th, 2022, at the M.S. Hershey Medical Center. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Donald L. Patches, whom she had missed dearly over the last 5 years.

Born in Lancaster, PA on December 9th, 1946, she was the daughter of the late George William and Gladys Ruth (Nagle) Haak. Dana was a 1964 graduate of Annville-Cleona High School, and a current member of Mount Zion Road Church. She participated in Adult Bible Study, Grief Share, Lift, and was the former President of the A-C Jaycettes. In her free time, Dana enjoyed volunteering at Kindred Place in Annville, going to yard sales, antiquing, gardening, traveling, reading, the beach, and birds. She will also be missed at weekly dinners and card games with friends, as well as her monthly breakfasts with siblings. She looked forward to playing daily Wordle with her family. However, there was nothing that Dana loved more than her time with grandchildren and great grandchildren. They were the light of her life.

Surviving are five children, Adrienne Glynn, wife of Francis of Annville, Beth Herman, wife of Gary Herman, Jr. of Harrisburg, Denita Tiberie, companion of Dave Barnes of Palmyra, Stephanie Keener of Annville, Jason M. Patches of Pittsburgh, a brother, Fred Kreider, husband of Joanne of Annville, two sisters, Ruth Mary Pearce of Annville, Bernadette Huey of Hershey, ten grandchildren, five great grandchildren, several nieces and nephews, and her best friend of over 69 years, Maryann Hanley of Palmyra. In addition to her husband, Dana

was preceded in death by two brothers, Adrian Haak, husband of Barbara Haak of Annville, Landin Pearce, and her dear granddaughter, Jordyn Beth Speece.

A public viewing will be held from 6:00PM-8:00PM on Wednesday, December 21st, 2022, at Kreamer Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 618 E. Main St. Annville, PA 17003. Funeral Services will begin at 11:00AM on Thursday, December 22nd, 2022, at the Funeral Home. An additional public viewing will be held on Thursday from 10:00AM-11:00AM at the Funeral Home. Interment will be held at Indiantown Gap National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in her memory to the Jordyn Speece Scholarship Fund, by mail to 7225 Green Hill Rd. Harrisburg, PA 17111, by or visiting this link: <https://gofundme.com/f/jordyn-speece-memorial-scholarship-fund>. Kreamer Funeral Home and Crematory, Annville is handling arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Indiantown Gap National Cemetery

Indiantown Gap Road  
Anville, PA 17003

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

DEC **21**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc  
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## Public Viewing

DEC **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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DEC **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dana B. Patches.*



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December 19, 2022 at 08:39 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dana B. Patches.*



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December 19, 2022 at 07:54 PM



“ *Dana and my mom were friends for over 50 years. I spent a lot of time with she and her family in my young years. God bless you all. Prayers and condolences. My heart is heavy as I'm sure is yours.*

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**Michael Hynum** - December 19, 2022 at 07:12 PM



“ *Dana was a beautiful lady and great friend we've known for many years. Have wonderful memories of times in our lives. Bev and Tony*

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**Bev and Tony Finkle** - December 19, 2022 at 12:19 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Dana B. Patches.*



December 19, 2022 at 06:32 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Dana B. Patches.*



December 17, 2022 at 11:45 PM



“ *She was a wonderful lady and friend. I will miss my card game partner. Colleen Frech*



**Colleen Frech** - December 17, 2022 at 03:21 PM



“ *Doris Jean Silva lit a candle in memory of Dana B. Patches*



**Doris Jean Silva** - December 17, 2022 at 02:17 PM



*Such a good person.*

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**Doris Jean Silva** - December 17, 2022 at 02:18 PM

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“ *The world will be a bit sadder without Dana in it ..she will be so missed !*

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**Phyllis Bentz** - December 17, 2022 at 12:43 PM