



## Deborah Swierk

February 15, 1955 - March 21, 2023

SWIERK, Deborah, 68, of Nashville, TN, passed away March 21, 2023. She was a longtime member of Madison First Baptist Church. She loved travelling, scuba diving and acting in local theater productions and movies. She is preceded in death by her husband, Walt Swierk, Jr; parents, Lloyd & Dorothy Layhew; brothers, Lloyd, Jr, Stanley and David Layhew. Survived by her son, Michael Swierk; aunt, Shirley (David) Layhew Saucier; host of nieces &nephews; dedicated cousins; partner in crime, Scarlett Broom. Visitation will be Saturday March 25, 2023, from 11:00 am until service time at 1:00 pm at Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home. Interment to follow at Spring Hill Cemetery. PHILLIPS-ROBINSON FUNERAL HOME, [www.phillipsrobinson.com](http://www.phillipsrobinson.com), 615-262-3312

# Cemetery Details

## Spring Hill Cemetery

5110 Gallatin Rd.  
Nashville, TN 37216

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 25. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home  
2707 Gallatin Pike, Nashville, TN US 37216  
Nashville, TN 37216

## Service

MAR 25. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Deborah Swierk*



**Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home** - March 25, 2023 at 12:26 PM

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“ *Debbie was a dear friend and fellow background actor on TV show Nashville and we worked together at Nashville conventions. She often joked that Walt was her husband but I was her TV husband as we did many scenes together and she always called for a “group shot” whenever we were working. Rest in peace dear friend next to your beloved Walt. From Pete and Lourdes Garrido*



**Pedro Garrido** - March 24, 2023 at 07:10 PM

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“ *Sending our deepest sympathies to Debbie’s family and friends. -Melissa and Lisa Messer*



Melissa Messer - March 24, 2023 at 04:39 PM

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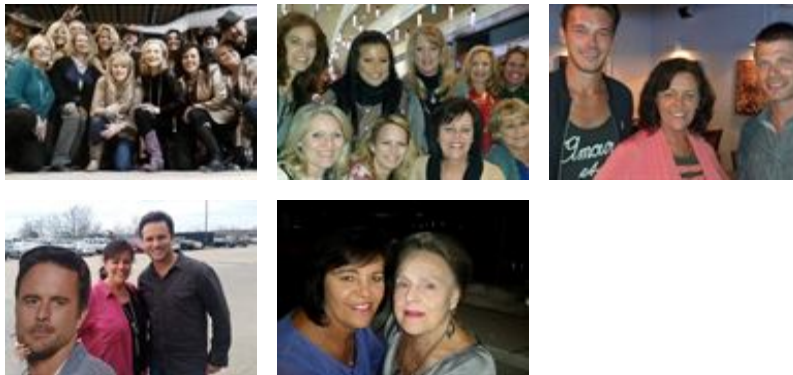
“ *Lisa and Melissa Messer purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Deborah Swierk.*



Lisa and Melissa Messer - March 24, 2023 at 04:02 PM



“ *117 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Phillips-Robinson Funeral Home - March 24, 2023 at 12:44 PM

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“ I have a very heavy heart now. Debbie was the sister I never had in our high school days 1973. I took her to school four years in a row everyday. We had so many memories. I worked with Walt at ups for 12 years. We had plenty of dinners together. Debbie touched alot of people after high school. She is watching all of us from heaven . Debbie you will be sadly missed. Randy & Cheryl Rawls

randy &cheryl rawls - March 23, 2023 at 07:58 PM

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“ Randy &cheryl Rawls lit a candle in memory of Deborah Swierk



randy &cheryl rawls - March 23, 2023 at 07:36 PM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Deborah Swierk.



March 23, 2023 at 06:05 PM

MC

“ Mary Creson lit a candle in memory of Deborah Swierk



Mary Creson - March 22, 2023 at 06:56 PM

MC

*You were loved so much and a bestie when growing up at FBC Madison. Loved riding bikes together and getting saved the same day at VBS.*

*Rest, dear from your labors with your love, our Savior. Until we meet again. I love you. Mary Jane*

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**Mary Creson** - March 22, 2023 at 07:00 PM