



Patsy Stroud Walker

July 23, 1941 - January 17, 2026

Patsy Stroud Walker, 84, passed away peacefully at home in Richardson Texas, leaving behind a legacy of love and friendship. Pat embraced a life of discovery, residing in over 21 locations throughout the United States, Germany, El Salvador, Panama, Chile, and Colombia. The extensive network of friends she leaves behind, spanning the United States and Latin America, stands as a testament to her warmth and genuine love for people.

Four and a half years ago, Pat moved to North Texas to be near family, allowing her to spend her final time surrounded by those she loved. Pat is survived by her daughters, Kim Ashby and Jan Van Blarcum; her five grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins as well as countless friends around the world who will forever cherish her memory.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Clarence and Ola Stroud, and her siblings, Clarence Stroud Jr, Betty Griffin, Robert “Bobby” Stroud, and Richard “Dick” Stroud.

Patsy Stroud Walker, devoted friend, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother—lived a life of purpose, perseverance, and profound impact.

Services will be held Saturday, January 31, 2026 at 1pm in the chapel of the

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield. Visitation will be held at the funeral home from 11am until the hour of service at 1pm. Burial will follow in the Springfield Memorial Gardens with Daniel Ashby, Joseph Ashby, Stephen Ashby, Bob Stroud, Jim Stroud, Josh Jackson, and Jeff Walker serving as pallbearers.

The family suggests donations to the Cerebral Palsy Foundation or the Einstein School Foundation in Pat's memory.

Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield is in charge of these arrangements.

AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME-
509 WALNUT STREET, SPRINGFIELD, TN (615) 384-1000

Cemetery Details

Springfield Memorial Gardens

Springfield, TN 37172

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 31. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Austin & Bell Funeral Home Springfield
509 Walnut St.
Springfield, TN 37172
(615) 384-1000
<https://austinandbell.com>

Funeral Service

JAN 31. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

ML

“ Your legacy is pure love and devotion. We loved you for decades and are devoted to your memory. Prayers for your eternal rest will continue for the rest of our lives. Rest in the Lord our beloved Pat. Love you forever. Mark and the entire Letzer family. ❤️

Mark B Letzer - February 03 at 05:27 PM

EP

“ Love from Edwin

Edwin Paul - January 30 at 09:37 PM

EF

“ Edwin and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Patsy Stroud Walker.

Edwin and Family - January 26 at 05:30 PM

PJ

“ Paula, Mike, Kacie, Jake, Sydnie, Joe purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Patsy Stroud Walker.



Paula, Mike, Kacie, Jake, Sydnie, Joe - January 25 at 05:37 PM

LC

“ Loving friends from Bridgewater crossing purchased the *Strength & Solace Spray* for the family of Patsy Stroud Walker.



Loving friends from Bridgewater crossing - January 23 at 11:19 PM

LC

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BJ

“ *"Gone from our sight, but never from our hearts."*
Edwin and family

Binu Jose - January 23 at 09:39 PM