



Paula Jean (Glass) Burris

November 12, 1959 - May 4, 2026

Paula Jean (Glass) Burris, 66, passed away on May 4, 2026 at IU Hospital in Indianapolis after a brief illness.

She was born on November 12, 1959 to Hubert and Lois (Ice) Glass and lived in the Summitville area for most of her lifetime. She was a graduate of Madison-Grant High School in 1978, and Ball State University in 1982, where she double majored in English and Journalism.

Known for her sense of humor and quick wit, Paula loved long phone conversations and watching Jeopardy. She was also an avid reader of non-fiction books, and loved supporting her local public library. Paula was a proud mother and grandmother.

Survivors include her husband of 43 years, Ronald Burris; daughter Katie (Joe) Newby; sons Ryan (Josey) Burris, Matthew Burris, Casey Burris; granddaughter Ainsley Burris; brothers David (Linda) Glass, Gordon (Sharon) Glass and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her maternal grandmother Mabel (Cloud) Ice, parents and sister Connie Dailey.

In accordance with her wishes, Paula chose cremation. A celebration of life

will be held at a later date.

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