

Stephanie Groom Knight

July 24, 1972 – June 29, 2026



Stephanie Diane Groom entered her eternal rest after a brief and brave fight with cancer. Stephanie is survived by her loving parents; Sonny and Denise 'Deni' Groom; brother Mickey Groom and wife Kristi; nephew and godchild Jacob Groom, all of Burleson, TX; bonus son, Trent Ledet of San Antonio, Texas; godchildren, Ethan and Julia Lobello of Lafayette, LA; Aunt Daphne Dean of New Braunfels, Texas (which is where Stephanie got her middle name) and a host other aunts, uncles, numerous cousins and extended families – the Boudreaux's, Cossey's, Pace's, Antill's, Bonvillians, Savoie's, Cruz's, Amos's, Stacie Badeaux, Rob and Nicole Lobello, Alyson Phillips, Gary Phillips, Dawn and Linda Fleniken and Huey and Agnes Campbell. Special thanks to all family and friends that visited, provided food, love and support during the families most challenging time. Every gesture is greatly appreciated and never to be forgotten.

Stephanie was recognized as a hard worker throughout her life. Her first job was at 14 where she obtained a work permit and worked at The Limited in Southland Mall. After her high school graduation from South Terrebonne High School in 1990, she attended Nicholls State University for two years.

She went on to work at several other jobs, including Chabert Hospital as a Psych Tech, Danos and Curole for several years and then transferred to Shell Pipeline in Gibson, Louisiana. She met many people and left a great impression on all she personally encountered.

In 2019, Steph made the decision to move to Burleson, Texas where the nucleus of her family resided. During her early years in Burleson, she worked independently as a dog sitter, house sitter, house cleaner and did new construction house cleaning prior to the new homeowners moving into their new home.

Through her work ethic, energetic personality and beautiful smile- she was hired by Bloomfield Homes to work as a Sales Associate. In her role at Bloomfield, Stephanie was usually the first contact the prospective home buyers encountered. She would guide these couples through the steps to build their customized dream home. Stephanie loved her job and often said how much she loved her role with Bloomfield Homes and her community managers. She remained friends with many of these homeowners after they moved into their new homes. Many of these families told Stephanie how their children would ask to visit Miss Stephy whenever they passed by the model homes Stephanie worked in.

For the last 6 years, some of her greatest joys came from providing childcare for the Cruz Family of Burleson, TX. Gabriel, now 11, was described by Stephy as “her boy”. His parents, Manuel and Veronic Cruz and older son, Jadon are a very important part of the Groom Family and are dearly loved.

Stephanie also loved any sports and enjoyed watching them with any and everyone. especially her dad; a radical Saints, LSU and New York Yankees fan. She was also in attendance at the Saints game when they won the 2009 NFL World Championship. She would get so fired up she would have to punish herself to her room if her team wasn’t playing well.

Some of her favorite memories were trips to the beach, Crab Island in Florida, Connecticut, Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown New York, Yankees games in New York City, Long Island, California and Hawaii. In her life before Burleson, she visited many beautiful locations throughout Europe.

Stephanie only had 53 years, and her life was too short, but man, did she make an impact on everyone she encountered!! She was well loved by everyone!

The Groom family would like to acknowledge and thank everyone for their outpouring of prayers during her brief struggle with her illness. If Stephanie did not answer calls or texts, it was because of her situation and how she was trying to deal with her diagnosis and prepare herself for the inevitable.

We will all cherish our memories of Stephanie and find comfort in them. Remember her as a silly, fun, caring, spontaneous and always ready for the next good time. She gave everything of herself without hesitation. We were all so blessed to have had her in our lives.

A Celebration of Life in honor of Stephanie will be held on Sunday July 19, 2026 at the Terrebonne Parish Sheriff’s Rifle Range, 2100 Savanna Road, Houma, LA from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM. A second Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, July 25, 2026 hosted by Bloomfield Homes at the Ranch, 2641 Alyssa Street, Burleson, Texas, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. All are welcome to come and celebrate the life of Stephanie Diane Groom. Attending guests are encouraged to wear their favorite Saints or LSU attire.