



## Alisa Henley Sansom

March 5, 1961 - December 19, 2024

Alisa Henley Sansom, a woman whose warmth could light up a room and whose heart overflowed with love and generosity, left us far too soon. Born on March 5, 1961, in Huntsville, Texas, to Annette and Wilmer Morgan, Alisa's life was a testament to resilience, selflessness, and the immeasurable impact of a kind spirit.

She leaves behind a legacy cherished by her husband of 21 years, Dr. E. Steve Sansom, who adored her unwavering support and sharp sense of humor; her beloved mother, Annette Marlin Dunne; her children, Morgan Elizabeth and her husband, James Morgan Reagan, and Daniel Henley and his fiancée, Adrian Quintana; her sister, Michelle and her husband Greg Brown; and, above all, her pride and joy—her grandchildren Henley, Breck, and Colbie Reagan. Alisa's love extended deeply to her stepfamily, including her stepchildren, Geoffrey C. Sansom and his wife Lisa; Kate and her husband Tim Fransioli; and step-grandchildren Caroline, Jill, Saxon, Revan, Brian, Brandon, Mila, Remie, and Rorie.

Alisa's life was full of purpose, beginning with her academic achievements at the University of Texas, where she graduated at the top of her class in 1994. However, her most profound contributions came through her 30 years as a registered nurse. During her years at Tomball Regional and the last 16 years at St. Luke's, she mentored many nurses. Alisa wasn't just a nurse—she was

a healer, a mentor, and a steadfast friend to colleagues who often became part of her extended family.

Her favorite place in the hospital was the Butterfly Garden—a fitting symbol for someone whose presence brought transformation and solace. She had an uncanny ability to comfort those in their most vulnerable moments, offering medical care, a listening ear, a warm smile, and an unshakable calm.

Outside of work, Alisa found joy in life's simple pleasures. Her "pet" raccoons, lovingly fed with her characteristic tenderness, were a quirky extension of her nurturing nature. She cultivated beauty in her garden and peace on long, thoughtful walks. Red wine blends were her quiet indulgence, a small counterpoint to her boundless giving.

Alisa's most cherished time of the year was Christmas—a season that perfectly mirrored her generous heart. Every holiday, she outdid herself, showering loved ones with gifts and orchestrating trips to Christmas wonderlands. Her joy was contagious, and her love made every celebration unforgettable.

Alisa was a source of comfort and strength for those who needed her, with a sharp resolve when the moment called for it and an unyielding loyalty to her loved ones. However, she was never one to mask her feelings when confronted with arrogance—or, even more challenging, arrogance mixed with ignorance. Her expressions often said what she didn't need to.

In her final minutes, the doctors and nurses of St. Luke's East and West wings employed the very same skills and compassion Alisa had spent years teaching and exemplifying. Though their heroic efforts could not save her, we are deeply grateful for the care and determination they showed. Alisa's legacy of selflessness and expertise was reflected in every moment of their work, a

testament to her profound impact on those around her. Alisa's family expresses deep gratitude for their efforts.

Though our hearts ache with her passing, we find solace in the countless memories of her laughter, kindness, and unwavering devotion to those she held dear. Alisa Henley Sansom was a woman who loved fiercely and lived fully, leaving an indelible mark on every life she touched.

Rest easy, Alisa, in a garden of butterflies and endless red blends. You are, and always will be, deeply loved.

A memorial will be held on March 8 at Addison Funeral Home. Additional details to follow.

In lieu of flowers, Alisa's family requests that you make a donation in her honor to the heart or cancer care association of your choice, or to 'save our monarchs' - a monarch butterfly conservation effort.

Save our Monarchs - <https://www.saveourmonarchs.org/in-memoriam.html>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Addison Funeral Home  
18630 Kuykendahl Road  
Spring, TX 77379  
(281) 350-0998  
addisonfh@yahoo.com  
<https://addisonfuneralhomes.com>

## Memorial Service

MAR 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

Addison Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall

KT

“ Thinking of you, Annette, and your family, and sending you all lots of love.

-Kris Turner

Kris Turner - March 08, 2025 at 04:57 PM

BH

“ Sending love to the family. Betty Henderson

Betty Henderson - March 07, 2025 at 07:09 PM

TW

“ The Wendler’s purchased the Sweet Sincerity for the family of Alisa Henley Sansom.



The Wendler’s - March 06, 2025 at 01:28 PM

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“ The Wendler’s planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alisa Henley Sansom.

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The Wendlers - March 06, 2025 at 01:17 PM

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“ *The Wendlers purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Alisa Henley Sansom.*



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**The Wendlers** - March 06, 2025 at 01:17 PM

MB

“ *Marcie and Jeremiah Bankston purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Alisa Henley Sansom.*



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**Marcie and Jeremiah Bankston** - March 05, 2025 at 10:08 AM

WD

“ *Wendy Dill planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Alisa Henley Sansom.*

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**Wendy Dill** - March 03, 2025 at 03:55 PM

WD

“ *Wendy Dill purchased the Forever Our Angel Bouquet for the family of Alisa Henley Sansom.*



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**Wendy Dill** - March 03, 2025 at 03:55 PM

CS

“ Alisa (Mom),

*I have no words to adequately express how much you have meant to me over the years. You have been more than my mentor, co-worker and friend. You were a mother and protector as well. You NEVER let me feel alone, ever. Not at work, not at home, not even when I transferred to the ICU. You checked on me continuously whenever I was sick and during the trauma of Covid. You were my rock in the dark times and a light guiding me back to peace. You taught me so much medically. But more importantly you taught me compassion, empathy, and human kindness. I can never thank you enough for passing on such wisdom and skill to me. You will live on in all of us who were blessed to know and love you. Until we meet again.*

*Love,*

*Coty*

*(Coty bear/your bunny rabbit)*

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**Coty Simms** - December 30, 2024 at 01:01 PM