



Ardith Griffin

January 11, 1947 - January 8, 2024

Ardith Ann Griffin, 76, Topeka, Kansas, passed away peacefully surrounded by her family Monday, January 8, 2024.

Ardith was born January 11, 1947, in Topeka, to Homer Tyler, Jr. and Ina Wilson Tyler. She was a 1965 graduate of Topeka High School. On June 19, 1965, Ardith and William “Bill” Griffin were united in marriage enjoying more than 42 years prior to his death April 4, 2008.

Ardith was a member of Topeka Bible Church and volunteered her time for Stormont Vail HealthCare. She loved to travel and had infectious energy, which earned her the nickname, Energizer Bunny. Ardith was inspiring, strong, kind, and consistently supportive of family and friends. She set up a sitting room in her garage for neighborhood visits. She always smiled, was fearless and optimistic. Her faithful companion, Kirby, her little dog, gave her much joy. Ardith loved deeply and was dearly loved in return. The void left on Earth pales compared to the homecoming celebration in Heaven.

Grateful to have shared Ardith’s life are her children, Stacy A. Griffin, Keith A. Griffin (Rochelle) and Matthew L. Griffin (Stephanie); her grandchildren, Mikayla Masotto (Ryan), Kaiden Griffin, Garrett and Connor Griffin; great-granddaughter, Ellie Mae Masotto; and her brother, William L. Tyler (Kim). Ardith was also preceded in death by her parents.

Family will greet friends from 12:30 to 2 p.m. Saturday, January 13, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614, where her funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Burial will follow in Rochester Cemetery.

Ardith's funeral service will be livestreamed on the funeral home's Facebook page. You can follow this link; <https://www.facebook.com/people/Kevin-Brennan-Family-Funeral-Home/100063672125244/>.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the Stormont Vail Foundation, sent in care of the funeral home.

Condolences may be sent online to www.kevinbrennanfamily.com.

Cemetery Details

Rochester Cemetery

1200 NW Menninger Rd
Topeka, KS 66618

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 13. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
(785) 272-7888
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ardith Griffin



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - January 12, 2024 at 05:27 PM

JR

“ I was so sorry to hear about Ardith's passing. She was a neighbor to my mom for many years and continued their friendship after mom moved to assisted living. For several years I used to BBQ at her house for the neighbors in the HOA group. I will remember Ardith for her smile, energy and hospitality. May God and fond memories give you some peace and comfort. She will be missed. Jim Rice

Jim Rice - January 18, 2024 at 10:15 AM

SB

“ Stacy, Keith and Matt, so sorry to read of your loss. I did not know your mother well, but, I do know she raised three wonderful children. So, she had to be pretty great herself! Please accept my condolences and prayers to you all and your families. God bless. Your old high school secretary, Shirley Brower

Shirley Brower - January 16, 2024 at 10:02 AM

GS

“ *May loving memories of your mother help you find peace. Your mother was a terrific person who was always full of joy. She will be greatly missed.*

Greg and Rozanne Salsbury - January 12, 2024 at 06:21 PM

TK

“ *Tim and Bobbi Kohls purchased the Blue Caribbe an Bouquet for the family of Ardith Griffin.*



Tim and Bobbi Kohls - January 11, 2024 at 04:18 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ardith Griffin.*



January 11, 2024 at 01:45 PM

ST

“ *I am sorry for your loss. I pray for the love of Jesus will heal your family!*

Steven W Taylor - January 11, 2024 at 01:42 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ardith Griffin.*



January 11, 2024 at 01:38 PM



“ *Michael & Linda Masotto planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ardith Griffin.*

Michael & Linda Masotto - January 11, 2024 at 01:38 PM



“ *Steven W. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ardith Griffin.*

Steven W. - January 11, 2024 at 01:37 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ardith Griffin.*



January 10, 2024 at 07:46 PM



“ *Prestige Masonry planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ardith Griffin.*

Prestige Masonry - January 10, 2024 at 07:46 PM

DK

“ My sincere sympathy on Ardith's passing. Didn't know her well as I have only lived next door since March of this year, but she welcomed me to the neighborhood. She will be missed. Debi Kaad

Debra Kaad - January 10, 2024 at 03:55 PM

LM

“ Sincere sympathy to Stacy, Keith and Matt and all your families. Linda and Steve McGinnis

Linda McGinnis - January 10, 2024 at 07:24 AM

WG

“ Woodhull Group purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Ardith Griffin.



Woodhull Group - January 09, 2024 at 01:52 PM

WG

“ Woodhull Group planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ardith Griffin.

Woodhull Group - January 09, 2024 at 01:52 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ardith Griffin.



January 09, 2024 at 09:56 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ardith Griffin.*



January 09, 2024 at 09:00 AM



“ *From Maria Kutina planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ardith Griffin.*

From Maria Kutina - January 09, 2024 at 09:00 AM



“ *Heaven just got a little more fun! What great love she had for everyone.*

Patty Caby - January 08, 2024 at 09:51 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ardith Griffin.*



January 08, 2024 at 09:48 PM



“ *So glad we visited with her recently; she was so happy to see us. Stacy, Keith and Matt, she was a special lady as you know. We wouldn't want her to suffer anymore. May she rest in peace. She and Bill are dancing together once again! 😊*

Alan & Patty Barth - January 08, 2024 at 08:38 PM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ardith Griffin.



January 08, 2024 at 06:54 PM



“ The Sup/Davis/Bergo Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ardith Griffin.

The Sup/Davis/Bergo Family - January 08, 2024 at 06:54 PM



“ Our sympathy to you and your family Keith; may she Rest In Peace.

Chuck and Linda Nimz

linda Nimz - January 08, 2024 at 06:24 PM



“ Keith, Stacy, Matt. Your Mother was a Very Special Lady on the inside and out. Your Families are in our thoughts and prayers in this difficult time in life. We all now have another Bright Star shining down on us at Night. Mrs. Griffin may be in Heaven but will never be Forgotten.

Rick Cyr - January 08, 2024 at 06:22 PM



“ I'm very sorry for your loss but happy struggles are over for my friend..😊😊 to you all

Judy McGrath - January 08, 2024 at 06:06 PM