



Arlene Tunnell

March 4, 1925 - October 8, 2007

Arlene Tunnell, 82, Topeka, passed away October 4, 2007. Arlene was born March 4, 1925 in Hays KS the daughter of George and Agnes (Lang) Wasinger. She married Vernon Tunnell in Hays KS. He preceded her in death. Arlene was devoted to her family, and enjoyed watching her grandsons play basketball. She is survived by her son, Jay Tunnell and his wife Cathy; daughter, Raye Ellen and her husband Stephen Acker, all of Topeka; brother, Don Wasinger and his wife, Harriet, Hays; sister, Mary Ellen and her husband, Joe Phiefer, St. Louis; grandchildren, Chintamani Kansas, Brooklyn NY, James Tunnell, Tyler Tunnell and Spenser Acker all of Topeka. She was preceded in death by son, Phil Tunnell; daughter, Elaine Cowell; brothers, Howard Wasinger, Neil Wasinger, Tommy Wasinger. Visitation will be Monday from 6 to 8 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 Urish Rd Topeka KS 66614. A parish rosary will be prayed at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. A Mass of Resurrection will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Tuesday, at Christ the King Catholic Church. Memorial contributions are suggested to Christ the King Catholic Church sent in care of the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Arlene Tunnell*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family Raye.*

Kara - October 31, 2007 at 10:22 AM



“ *I just lost my mother a little over a year ago. I enjoy the memories of her every day. Part of those memories are of her and Arlene and the fun and crazy times they had together. My mother was always busy with family or work and really had little time for friendships. I believe that Arlene was her best friend and the only one she could really escape the daily grind with. They had so much fun together. My mother and father moved to the Las Vegas area over 20 years ago. Mom tried to keep in touch but was stricken with a stroke 13 years ago and lost her ability to communicate with others. I would like to think that Arlene and my mother, Carolyn Hummel, are up to their old tricks again and having fun together. May God keep you in His loving arms and ease your loss by helping you remember all the great times and memories.*

Jean Worden - October 06, 2007 at 11:54 AM



“ *Jay, Cathy and family-we are so sorry to hear of Jay's Mom's passing. If there is anything we can do for you all, please let us know. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*

The Vermillion family

Suzie and Kyle Vermillion - October 05, 2007 at 02:16 PM