



Carmen Stencel

October 10, 1926 - January 9, 2024

Carmen Stencel, 97, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Tuesday, January 9, 2024.

Carmen was born October 10, 1926, in Waumandee, Wisconsin to Ferd and Myrtle Heintz Hansen. On September 26, 1946, Carmen and Donald D. Stencel were united in marriage enjoying 55 years together prior to his death July 4, 2002.

Carmen retired from the Kansas City Kansan newspaper where she was employed for almost 20 years. She was a member of Christ the King Catholic Church.

Survivors include Carmen's granddaughter, Alexandra Kirksey (Daniel); her great-grandson, Pierce Kirksey; sister, Gladys Herold and her son-in-law, Lee Wages. Carmen was also preceded in death by her daughter, Lois Wages, and brothers, Oscar, Maynard and Dale Hansen.

Cremation has taken place. Carmen's funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. on Saturday, February 17, at Christ the King Catholic Church, where family will greet friends from 9 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and the rosary will be prayed at 9:30 a.m.

Inurnment will follow at Mount Calvary Cemetery.

Memorial contributions are suggested to Meals on Wheels, sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

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

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

801 SW Westchester Rd
Topeka, KS 66606

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 17. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (CT)

Christ the King Catholic Church
5973 SW 25th St
Topeka, KS 66614-1973
(785) 273-0710

Rosary

FEB 17. 9:30 AM (CT)

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Funeral Mass

FEB 17. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Carmen Stencel



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - February 12, 2024 at 12:53 PM

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“ We remember the time Carmen came to the farm. We took her for a ride to check the fence. The area was steep and the truck was leaning so you had to hang onto something so you didn't crush the driver. Needless to say she wasn't impressed. She said she wouldn't go check the fences with us again. We all had a good laugh.

Mike and Renee Hansen - January 21, 2024 at 08:56 AM

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“ Fly high Aunt Carmen, till we meet again. 🙏❤️

Sandy Herold - January 21, 2024 at 07:24 AM

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“ Sandy Herold lit a candle in memory of Carmen Stencel



Sandy Herold - January 21, 2024 at 07:22 AM