



## Clara Asbury

January 1, 1753 - July 17, 2007

Clara K. Asbury, 62, Topeka KS passed away on Sat. July 14, after a long fight with cancer. She was born Aug. 23, 1945 on the family farm in Wamego KS. Clara was the daughter of Bill and Evelyn Doll. She attended St. Bernard's Elementary School in Wamego and Lucky Catholic High School in Manhattan. She graduated from Washburn University with an English Degree. She received her Masters in Social Work in 1994. Clara married Thomas Kent Asbury on Oct. 14, 1967, at St. Bernard's church in Wamego. He passed away on Sept. 12, 2004. Clara worked for Shawnee County Corrections, the State Hospital until they closed and was a counselor at Woodridge Counseling Services. She also volunteered at CASA. Clara was a homemaker to her boys and husband, Tom. She was a lover of animals, boating and spending time with family and friends. She is survived by her two sons, Joshua Asbury and his wife, Debra and their son Tanner, Topeka, Adam Asbury and his wife, Amanda, Denver; brothers, Tony Doll and his wife Phyllis, Topeka, John Doll and his wife, Irene, Shawnee KS, Larry Doll and his wife, Janice, Wamego, Rick Doll and his wife Gayle, Louisburg KS; sisters, Darlene Lashbrook and her husband, John, Eugene OR, Mary Jo Hoerman and her husband, Russell, Little Rock AR. Family will greet friends Tuesday, July 17 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka KS 66614. Funeral service will be Wednesday, July 18, at 1 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to Helping Hands Humane Society and Midland Hospice, sent in care of the funeral home.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Clara Asbury*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *To the Doll And Asbury family, Your Clara and Tom were the greatest friends! They both have done so very much for me -you wouldn't have time to read this if I got started. I am grateful to have been in their lives for the thirty years we knew each other. Such a deep loss and such great memories to comfort us later. For now the loss is too much to bear, the pain so severe. Thank heaven for family and friends to help us all through our grief. Love and prayers to you all Lorrie Clark and family*

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**lorrie clark** - July 19, 2007 at 05:15 PM



“ *Adam, Amanda, Josh, Debra & Tanner,*

*My thoughts and love are with you all today and I really wish we could have made the trip to Kansas. I am so sorry to not be there. Your mom was such a special person and she will be missed by us all.*

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**Charyti Reiter** - July 18, 2007 at 12:12 PM

CM

“ Dear Josh, Debra & Tanner,  
We are so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. We hope you can find a bit of comfort in knowing her long struggle is over. We all will miss seeing her at Tanner's events & we were blessed to know both her & your dad.

*Kevin, Cinnie, Scott & Allan McFarland*

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**Cinnie McFarland** - July 17, 2007 at 07:06 PM

LK

“ Adam and Amanda, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and love are with you both.

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**Lauren Kaiser** - July 17, 2007 at 05:14 PM

JG

“ I wish to extend my heartfelt sympathy at this time in your loss. Clara was a classmate of mine at Luckey High and I remember so much of how wonderful and warm a person she was and how her smile was just so beautiful and would light up a room. The Class of '63 is having a mass said in her honor at Seven Dolores Church where we would meet every morning before class. She will always be in our mind, hearts, and souls! There is no pain where she is now, nothing but happiness and love. j15ph

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**Joseph Giles** - July 17, 2007 at 11:54 AM

KD

“ Adam & Amanda,  
I am so sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. I love you both!

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**Kadee DeVries** - July 17, 2007 at 09:38 AM

SD

“ Please accept my condolences and prayers. Clara was a terrific lady.

*Clara was my classmate and friend at Luckey High School. We were cheerleaders together our senior year. We were going to meet for a small reunion earlier this year in Lawrence but Clara was too sick to come. I wish we could have visited with her.*

*Redondo Beach, CA (visiting) I live in Colorado Springs*

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**Sharon Drury** - July 16, 2007 at 06:41 PM

KA

“ Adam and Amanda,  
*My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. I am so sorry for your loss.*

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**Kacee** - July 16, 2007 at 03:07 PM

SK

“ To the Asbury family,

*Your mom and I were colleagues and friends from the Waldenbook days and were all part of that Waldenbooks gang that we called a "book club" but was mostly visiting and going to movies. I loved your mom--she was so sparky and funny. I remember her and your dad fondly. We will remember her and you all in our prayers.*

*Sara Keckeisen  
Topeka, Kansas*

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**Sara Keckeisen** - July 16, 2007 at 10:48 AM

FS

“ Adam and Family:

*My family and I are thinking of you all. We have such beautiful memories of your mom. She was kind to all in need of love and care, people and animals alike.*

*Fanny Stein  
Flagstaff, Arizona*

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**Fanny Stein** - July 15, 2007 at 06:20 PM

GW

“ Adam and family,

*We are so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Gretchen (Cordill), Jerry, and Zoey Wallock** - July 15, 2007 at 12:39 PM

BS

“ Adam & Amanda -

*May warm memories surround you and bring you comfort.  
Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Bryan, Jill & Landon Sulser** - July 15, 2007 at 10:09 AM

BA

“ Adam and Amanda,

*Our deepest sympathy to you both. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Jim and Jean Basgall*

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**Basgall's** - July 15, 2007 at 09:07 AM