



Dawna Marie Covington-Kent

March 28, 1948 - September 2, 2006

Dawna Marie Covington-Kent, 58, Larned (formerly of Topeka) passed away Saturday, September 2, 2006 at Midland Hospice House, Topeka. Dawna Marie was born March 28, 1948 in Russell, Kansas, the daughter of James Donald and Dorothy Bogue Holt. She graduated from Topeka High School in 1966, earned her BBA from Washburn University in 1974, and was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority. She completed her doctorate in psychology in 2002 at Cappella University in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Dawna Marie was employed at Jostens, sold real estate, and was State Farm's first female insurance agent in Topeka. She began counseling at Everywoman's Resource Center and then established her own private practice, Relapse Prevention Counseling. Most recently Dawna Marie worked as a psychologist at Larned State Hospital with long-term patients. Survivors include her parents, Don and Dottye, her siblings, Jim Holt, and his wife, Karen, Valley Center KS, J.D. Holt, and his wife, Christy, Bellingham WA, Susie Atha, and her husband, Al, Topeka, and Carita Hoover, and her husband, Kreg, Topeka; 11 nieces and nephews and 7 great-nieces and great-nephews. Family will greet friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka KS 66614, where Dawna Marie's life will be celebrated with a service of remembrance at 7 p.m. Funeral service will be Friday at 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Cremation will follow. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Heartland Cancer Center in Great Bend and Midland Hospice Care sent in care of the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dawna Marie Covington-Kent*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Don and Dottie, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during your loss of your daughter May God Bless you and your family.*

terri and geri schwalie - September 08, 2006 at 02:33 PM



“ *Don and Dottie,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. Although we did not know Dawna personally, your sharing about her life made us feel like we had known her. We share in your loss.*

Craig and Debbie Carter - September 07, 2006 at 03:19 PM



“ *Dawna Marie Covington-Kent*

September 07, 2006 at 08:21 AM



“ *All of you have my smpathy. I know what it is like to lose someone. My brother died young. I am thankful for knowing Dawna for such a short while here in Larned. It was my privilage to get to take Father Felix to see her. She spent some time with him when I was able to take him there. My prayer are with all of you. Pat Schartz*

Pat Schartz - September 06, 2006 at 06:17 PM

IT

“ Dear Susie & Commander: I hope this message brings a little light to you. Barb and I extend our most sincere sympathies to you Susie. Things are hectic I'm sure and we wish you much strength and understanding in the passing of Dawna. Our prayers and thoughts are with you at this time. God Bless to all.

Ian and Barbara Turner - September 05, 2006 at 04:55 PM

AE

“ She was my cousin, a woman of beauty. A person set in a world of trials and tribulations only to become a Phoenix of strength and of courage to overtake her harms to benefit others in despair. She could fill a room with light, as she will now be a star in the heavens as she takes on the work of the Lord. He has groomed her in her life to make her the best Angel in Heaven. He has a lot planned for Bunny, and right now she has that beautiful smile as she takes on the next part of her journey with the Lord. May you Rest in Peace. Love forever. Your cousins, Amber & Emerald

Amber & Emerald - September 05, 2006 at 11:57 AM

BS

“ *My heartfelt sympathy to the entire family. Having so recently lost a close family member I pray for each of you and the deep ache and loneliness you feel. Be good to yourselves. Take care. Dawna Marie would want you to do so as well -- such was the caretaker she was.*

Dawna Marie will be remembered as a strong woman, a kindred spirit of mine and others, a testament to the human spirit and that of a courageous woman. A strong yet caring professional. A colleague that was one in a million. We've been blessed to have her part of our lives.

*Blessings.
Beth Sikora*

Beth Sikora - September 05, 2006 at 11:12 AM

JD

“ *My deepest heartfelt sympathy to your entire family, Susie, for the loss of your sister. You know you are in my heart, and I'm praying God will wrap His arms around you and give you His peace during this time and the time to come...*

With love, Julie

Julie Dillingham - September 05, 2006 at 10:45 AM

DE

“ At times like this
It's sometimes hard
To find the words to say
My thoughts and prayers
Are with you now
While the skies seem so gray.
A time to weep my friend
For the light of love will ease the pain
Time will heal the sorrow.
Loving memories will remain
With deepest sympathy!!
Know that I am with you now
And my heart will never change.

Dawna Marie touched the lives of each and every person she came in contact with. She will be greatly missed, but never forgotten, as she will live in our hearts forever. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Deb

Deb - September 05, 2006 at 10:06 AM