



Eleanor Jordan

June 12, 1923 - June 9, 2011

Eleanor A. (White) Jordan, 87, passed away Thursday, June 9, 2011 at a Topeka hospital. Eleanor was born June 12, 1923 in Topeka KS the daughter of Eldee and Ona L. (North) White. She married the love of her life, Cloyd Jordan, on September 26, 1945. They were happily married for over 40 years, until his death in 1986. Eleanor was a lifelong Topeka resident and a 1941 graduate of Seaman High School, where she participated in every drama production. She attended Ottawa University. Eleanor, a feisty spirit with a keen wit, was a devoted mother of six. All who knew her came to love her. An avid sports fan, she thoroughly enjoyed Kansas City Royals baseball and Kansas University basketball, even making a trip this past season for a home game at Allen Fieldhouse. She was a member of the Topeka Helena Chapter #210 Order of the Eastern Star for 50 years. Eleanor was most proud of her enormous loving family and enjoyed her last 11 years at Brewster Place where she made many new friends. Eleanor was blessed with and is survived by 3 sons and 3 daughters: Glenn Jordan, Kaye Jordan-Cain and Pam Kirk, all of Topeka; Nancy Larma, Loveland, CO; Wayne Jordan, Amarillo, TX; Walt Jordan, Lawrence, KS, 16 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild who will miss her dearly. Please join the family in celebrating Eleanor's wonderful life on Monday, June 13th at 5:30 to 7pm for visitation, at Grace Episcopal Cathedral, 701 SW 8th Street, in Topeka, and funeral service on Tuesday, June 14th at 1pm also at Grace Episcopal Cathedral. Burial will follow at Mount Hope Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests

donations to the Eleanor Jordan (Jayhawk) Memorial Fund, c/o Brewster Place Foundation, 1205 SW 29th Street, Topeka, Kansas, 66611.

Tribute Wall



“ *Eleanor Jordan*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *I first met Eleanor almost 40 years ago while playing baseball with her son Walt and coached by oldest son Glen. Eleanor was a vibrant passionate lady who loved her family and baseball very much! She always brought a smile to my face, what a pistol! Our thoughts and prayers are with her and her family...God Bless!*

Dave and Jeanie Gunn and family - June 14, 2011 at 09:49 AM



“ *My mother, Betty McHenry, became a friend of Eleanor's at Brewster Place. I got acquainted with her when I would visit my mother, and I always appreciated her cheerful outlook on life. We extend our sympathy to her family and friends.*

James McHenry Jr. - June 13, 2011 at 09:11 PM



“ *One of the most loved person in my life has left us to be in a better place.*

I will miss and keep close to my heart the many good times we spent together.

My deepest sympathy to all of her family.

*Rest In Peace,
Peggy*

Margaret Weiskopf - June 13, 2011 at 04:30 PM

LM

“ I wanted to extend my sympathy to all of Eleanor's children and grandchildren. I know she will be greatly missed. We worked together at Foster Fabrics. She was always fun to work with and boy did her face light up when she talked about her family. She loved you all so much!

Linda Swalwell Martin - June 13, 2011 at 02:59 PM

CR

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Your mom was a great lady and will be sorely missed by all who knew her. If we can do anything to help, just ask.

Charlie & Anna Reese - June 13, 2011 at 02:42 PM

MF

“ Rest in peace and pain free in Heaven Grandma Jordan, you deserve it!

May your love of life be handed down to your childrens,' childrens' children.

Michael B. Freel & Family - June 13, 2011 at 09:41 AM

LM

“ I so enjoyed having the opportunity to spend time with Eleanor on the Health Unit. She was a very special little lady who tried so hard to overcome with the help of family and friends. She knew she was loved aand that is life's greatest gift. Lea MorganLPN on Eagleridge

Lea MorganLPN - June 13, 2011 at 12:25 AM

DW

“ So sorry for your loss. Please know that you have our sympathy and prayers.

David and Ralda Wylie - June 12, 2011 at 08:45 PM

CC

“ Although I didn't know you, I feel like I did through Angie on Facebook. I know you were quite a lady. You will be missed by your family and friends for sure. Angie will carry on your humor and love of life. God rest your soul.

Carolyn Cotterill - June 11, 2011 at 10:57 PM

PL

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. She was a wonderful lady and will truly be missed by all. I will keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers.

Pug

Pug Landrum - June 11, 2011 at 02:55 PM