



Elizabeth Kanicki

June 28, 1941 - February 19, 2022

Elizabeth Barbara “Betty” Kanicki, 80, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Saturday, February 19, 2022, at her home.

Betty was born June 28, 1941, in Topeka to Casper and Catherine Gartner Meier. On July 19, 1958, Betty and Edward Kanicki, the love of her life, were united in marriage at St. Joseph Catholic Church, enjoying more than 47 years together prior to his death on May 2, 2006.

Betty was a member of American Legion, Post 400. For many years she was a talented Home Interiors consultant assisting in making homes more beautiful. But more than anything, Betty loved her family and was dearly loved in return. She will be greatly missed.

Survivors include Betty’s sons, Tim Kanicki (Ronda) and John Kanicki (Tory); grandchildren Lisa Parkhurst, Alyssa Domingos (Cameron), Michael Kanicki (Casey), Zachary Kanicki, Kai Kanicki and Mayli Kanicki; eight great-grandchildren; siblings, Kay Baker, Gene Meier, Ruth Gillgannon, George Meier and Joan Howell. Betty was also preceded in death by her siblings, Delores Christenson, Jack Meier and Vincent Meier.

The rosary will be prayed at 5 p.m. Monday, February 28, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614, followed by

visitation until 7 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Burial will be private.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Parkinson's Foundation and sent in care of the funeral home.

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

Previous Events

Rosary

FEB 28. 5:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
(785) 272-7888
info@kevinbrennanfamily.com

Visitation

FEB 28. 5:15 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
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Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
227 SW Van Buren Street
Topeka, KS 66603

Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Elizabeth Kanicki



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - February 24, 2022 at 03:15 PM

KA

Dear Family,
We are very sorry for your loss. Betty and Ed were great neighbors and friends. We shared stories, dinners and laughter for 5 great years. Always remembered and will never be forgotten ❤️.

Karen & Steve Alfrey

karen alfrey - February 25, 2022 at 10:29 AM



“ Elizabeth Kanicki

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kanicki.



February 28, 2022 at 01:58 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kanicki.*



February 24, 2022 at 08:25 PM



“ *Tim, John, and Family so sorry to here about your Mom.Betty was such a beautiful person inside and out.God Bless you all.Pam Rabe*

Pamela Rabe - February 24, 2022 at 05:08 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kanicki.*



February 24, 2022 at 12:36 PM



“ *Sacred Garden Spray was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kanicki.*



February 24, 2022 at 12:05 PM

TN

“ *What a beautiful lady Betty was. She was my Home Interiors person for many years. I ran into her a few years ago at El Mezcal. It was nice to see her again. My heart is very sad for her family. Rest in Heaven Betty you will be missed.*

Tara Merkel Nicholas

Tara Nicholas - February 24, 2022 at 08:58 AM

DS

“ *Ruth & family,*

I was sad to hear of your sister's passing.

Love & Prayers,

Diana Sutphen

Diana R Sutphen - February 23, 2022 at 03:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kanicki.*



February 23, 2022 at 12:22 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kanicki.*



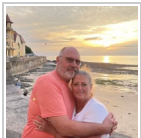
February 23, 2022 at 11:23 AM



“ *Tim, John & Family*

With our deepest sympathy, we are sadden with the lost of a long time dear friend who we loved very much. We are so blessed we had many wonderful years with the Kanicki family. Our families shared so many happy memories and good times together and those will remain in our hearts forever. Your Mother was beautiful inside and out and we will always remember her beautiful smile and laugh. Our hearts are hurting for all of you, may the memories of your Mother give you comfort in the days ahead. We love you all.

Jane & Tammy Liby - February 23, 2022 at 10:19 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I loved doing Home Interior Bingo's with Betty. She was a great decorator and loved to help others. Moreover she was a great lady. I know she loved her family and they were always #1. May your memories console you in your time of sorrow.*

Ramona McDonald

Ramona McDonald - February 23, 2022 at 08:28 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kanicki.*



February 22, 2022 at 08:30 PM



“ *Tim, John and Family. You are all in my thoughts and prayers. May God give you strength and comfort in the days ahead. Cherish all your memories and keep them close to your heart. Betty and Eddie were close friends to my Aunt Jane and Uncle Bill Liby and have some fond memories of times that our families spent together. Your Mom was a great lady and always had a smile on her face. Sorry for your loss. Deepest sympathy.*

Sue (Susie Cyr) Affotler - February 22, 2022 at 07:00 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kanicki.*



February 22, 2022 at 06:33 PM



“ *Betty loved her bingo at the Post 400. We all enjoyed her company. She will be missed dearly.*

Linda Shull - February 22, 2022 at 12:02 PM

MC

“ John and Tori and Family, may God heal all your pain and suffering in the passing of your Mother/Grandmother. Charlotte and I wish you peace and comfort but know she woke to a lovely sunrise in the arms of God family and friends in heaven. No more sadness no more pain she is free of her earthly chains and flying high. She will be missed.

Michael and Charlotte Cole and Family

Michael Cole - February 22, 2022 at 11:21 AM

CC

“ Ronda and family -
So sorry to hear of the passing of Betty. She was so lucky to have such a caring family to be there for her during her final days/years. I have some fond memories of when I would be at my Uncle/Aunt's house across the street, Herschal and Annie Bauer. They loved the Kanicki family just like their own and always had some good stories to share.
God Bless you all and may your memories sustain you in the days ahead.

Cathy Bauer-Clark

Cathy Clark - February 22, 2022 at 09:58 AM

EA

“ We were shock to hear about Betty passing. She was very special to everyone, and always had a smile, and a good listener, and always helpful with good advice, and an excellent interior decorator. Her home was beautifully decorated, inside and out. We had good times when we would go to Home Interior Conventions. We also have many good memories when we would visit with Betty, and Eddie at their home. They are a perfect couple. Now they are together, and no more suffering. We will all miss her, especially her family. They were all so close, and she was close to her grandkids too. She loved them all with all her heart. Betty was so beautiful!! Rest In Peace Betty. We are thankful to have met Betty, and Eddie, and their family. Our prayers go out to each and everyone of you. Eddie and Laura Arredondo



Eddie and Laura Arredondo - February 21, 2022 at 11:21 PM

RC

“ To John and Tim. Sorry to read about the passing of your Mother. I have a lot of memories when your parents lived on Winfield street next to my Aunt and Uncle Jane and Bill Liby. On Friday or Saturday night our parents would play pitch at either Betty's home or Aunt Janes home. One thing that I will never forget is the raccoon the boys had as a pet. Your Mother was a very Special Lady, she touched a lot of peoples lives. Your Families are in our thoughts and prayers in this difficult time in life. John and Tim, your Mother is now that SPECIAL ANGEL watching over all of us. Your Mother will not be Forgotten.

Rick Cyr - February 21, 2022 at 09:59 PM

DK

“ *Tim and Family: So sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. She and your dad were a great couple. Such a pretty lady. Thinking of you and your family at this time.*

Denise Kneisler - February 21, 2022 at 07:10 PM

SB

“ *I hadn't seen her in years, but I had several Home Interior parties with her. What a nice woman, and so pretty. I'm sorry for your loss. Cherish your memories.*

Shari Brandenburgh - February 21, 2022 at 03:46 PM