



Jo Zoeller

April 2, 2011

Jo Zoeller, 84, Topeka, passed away Saturday, April 2, 2011. Jo was born Sept. 5, 1926, in Riley County, Kansas, the daughter of Joseph and Florence Stephens Dowling. She attended grade school at Walnut Grove in Riley County and then Sacred Heart Academy in Manhattan, KS. After high school, Jo attended business school. In 1947, Jo married the love of her life, Bob Zoeller. He preceded her in death Aug. 6, 2009. They enjoyed over 61 years together. Survivors include their children, Steve Zoeller, Wichita, Dr. Ron Zoeller, Topeka; Debbie Exley (Don), Erie, CO, and Dr. Mark Zoeller (Linda), Topeka; grandchildren, Brandon Zoeller (Heather), Nathan Zoeller, Ashley Zoeller, BreAnne Matthies (Jason), Erik Exley and Colby Zoeller (Stephanie); six great-grandchildren; two sisters, Arlene Bechtel (Don) and Rita Ruhr. She was preceded in death by her sisters, Dorothy Drury, Helen McVey, and Margery Voelker. Jo and Bob were founding members of Christ the King Catholic Church, where she was a Sacristan and belonged to the Perpetual Adoration Society. She was also a member of the Kansas Chiropractic Auxiliary. Jo was an avid reader, enjoyed cooking and raised four children. Visitation will be Monday from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd., Topeka, KS 66614, where a parish rosary will be prayed at 8 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Tuesday at Christ the King Catholic Church. Burial will follow in Mt. Calvary Cemetery. In Jo's memory, the family is requesting Masses in her name.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jo Zoeller*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Mark amd family*

*We where sorry to hear of your loss. Our prayers are with you all. Words can never truely express the hearts condolences.
Your friends*

Eustacio & Nickie Camrgo - April 07, 2011 at 03:18 PM

JA

“ To the Zoeller Family -

We just now found your mom's obituary and are so embarrassed that we missed her service. We are so sorry for your loss of your sweet mom, but happy for your folks that they are now once again a "couple"! We loved both of your folks and cherished their friendship. They were truly a wonderful example of a great marriage, and an inspiration to all who knew them.

I just happened to sit down at the computer and checked the last week's obituaries - normally I check every day or twom but I haven't been on the computer much lately. I was shocked to see your mom's name on the list tonight.

Please know we are so very sorry and that you are all in our thoughts and prayers! We would both have been there today had we known about it, but neither one of us knew it. Your beautiful memories of great times together will help you to get through the weeks and months to come. God's blessings on you all.

Love and hugs -

Linda & Jerry and family

Jerry & Linda Anderson - April 05, 2011 at 10:37 PM

MA

“ *May Gods power and my love give you strength, dry your tears and push the clouds away. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*
Maydean Swoboda

maydeanswoboda - April 05, 2011 at 09:29 AM

CF

“ Ron, Mark, Steve, Debbie and families, My sincerest sympathy to you in the loss of your mother. I know this has been a difficult year and a half but hope you find comfort in knowing that your parents are together again. I will always remember the backyard visits with your mom, dad and Babe. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.
Cindy Feagan

Cindy Feagan - April 04, 2011 at 11:33 PM

TR

“ Mark, Linda, and family. I am so sorry that your mother has passed away. She is in a better place and you know your dad met her on the other side. They are together once again in God's arms. I will always remember her smile when I would see her at the office. What a special lady. God Bless. Todd and Joyce

Todd Rogers - April 04, 2011 at 08:32 PM

LS

“ Dr. Mark and Zoeller family,

So very sorry to hear of the passing of your mother.

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Lorene and Charles E. Sprouse Sr.
Tecumseh Kansas

Lorene Sprouse - April 04, 2011 at 07:22 PM

DT

“ *Drs. Mark and Ron and entire Zoeller Family,*

So sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Zoeller, she was an outstanding lady.

May all your fond memories help you thru this sad time.

Debbie and Shandy Trekell

Debbie Trekell - April 04, 2011 at 07:20 PM

KD

“ *We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. Our thoughts are with you all.*

Keary and Peggy Donaldson - April 03, 2011 at 11:02 PM

DD

“ *Dr. Mark, I wish to extend my deepest sympathy to all of your family members. I know that you will comfort eachother through this difficult time.*

darrell dominguez - April 03, 2011 at 08:17 PM