



Johanna Caywood

May 26, 1926 - February 25, 2008

Johanna Caywood, 81, Topeka, passed away Feb. 22, 2008, at Stormont-Vail Hospital. She was born May 26, 1926, at Cheney, the daughter of George and Mary (Hoelsher) Beckerman, the youngest of nine children, all of whom preceded her in death. She graduated from Fowler High School in 1944, subsequently attending Wichita Business College. She later worked for law firms in Meade, Dodge City and Hutchinson. After moving to Topeka in 1964, she worked for legislative Services, serving several years as secretary for the Senate Ways and Means Committee. She married Donald Caywood on January 28, 1950 in Fowler. He survives. Other survivors include daughter Susan Klein (Steve), Overland Park, KS; daughter Cynthia Caywood (David Hay), and twin granddaughters Jude and Abby Caywood, San Diego, CA; son Bradley Caywood (Star), grandson Clint Caywood and granddaughter Hillary Caywood, Topeka; granddaughter Tiffany Erb (Matt) and great-granddaughter Amelia Erb, Lawrence, KS; grandson Court Caywood, Chicago, IL. Family will greet friends from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday, February 25, 2008, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd Topeka KS 66614. A parish rosary will be prayed Monday at 8 p.m. at the funeral home. A Mass of Resurrection will be celebrated Tuesday, February 26, at 1 p.m. at Christ the King Catholic Church. Inurnment will be at a later date. In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial contributions go to Marian Clinic sent in care of the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Johanna Caywood*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Don and family -Sorry I could make it yesterday; however, Pauline told me that Jo had a lovely service and it was real nice to visit with you,Cindy and the rest of you family. Like all of your friends we have nothing but fond memories and take comfort in knowing that she is a better place and without pain. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Bob and Pauline

Bob and Pauline Knittel - February 27, 2008 at 11:55 AM



“ *Thinking of you and your family during this difficult time. During the years I personally (Mary) worked for you in Op Systems and remembering visiting with your wife at various functions she was always so cheerful, pleasant and beautiful! She will be missed by everyone that got to know her. Although we haven't seen each other since I saw you at AAA my last job and now enjoying retirement and a new marriage with O. E. Hiles(Gene) of three years. We live East side of Lake Shawnee and our door is always open to you. Would love hearing from you by e-mail also. May you always cherish fond memories of your loved one. Gene and Mary (Lingren) Hiles*

Mary Lingren & O.E. Hiles - February 25, 2008 at 12:51 PM

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“ Don & family,
We were so sorry to hear about Johanna.
She was such a lovely lady. She was also my sponsor for
Confirmation.
Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Don & Margie(Beckerman)

Don & Margie Downing - February 25, 2008 at 11:07 AM

GC

“ I, too, remember Mrs Caywood as being so patient and tolerant and
accepting of loud, boisterous adolescent girls!
My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Gina Riddle Cote - February 24, 2008 at 11:11 PM

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“ Blessings to all of you who loved and cared for Mrs. Caywood
during these most recent years--she finally rests--and all of you can
rest now too. I wish I could be there to help you celebrate her life--I
remember her as a welcoming neighborhood mom, riding herd on
the emotional chaos of adolescents--referree to endless bickering,
enduring giggling sleepovers, generous with cool drinks on hot
summer days, encouraging our sewing projects, and patiently
chauffering endless carloads of kids. There are so many important
people in young lives--Mrs. Caywood was certainly important in
mine!

Terri Rupert - February 24, 2008 at 10:26 PM