



Leola "Sally" DeGraff

January 31, 1921 - November 24, 2010

Leola M. "Sally" DeGraff, 89, Auburn, passed away November 21, 2010 at Stormont-Vail Hospital. Sally was born January 31, 1921 in Bigelow MO the daughter of John and Lizzie (Goolsby) Chaney. She was the youngest of 10 children. During WWII Sally worked in California as a welder. She married Howard Grundy and from this union had a daughter, Sue. They later divorced. In the 1950's Sally moved to Kansas. She married Don DeGraff and from this marriage had a daughter, Kimberly. She was a devoted care giver working as a nurse's aide for many years retiring in 1983 from Memorial Hospital. She enjoyed fishing, bingo and in her later years enjoyed bird watching. Sally loved and doted on her grandchildren. Survivors include her daughters, Sue Neff (Bill), Graham MO and their children, Pamela, Jeffery, Gregory and Todd; Kimberly Fellows (Robert), Auburn KS and their children, Robert Shane and Dallas; great grandchildren, Eric, Ryan, Haley, Matthew, Taylor, Laura, Steven, Taegan, Alea and Sabryn; nieces, nephews and their families. She was preceded in death by her parents, and nine siblings. Visitation will be Wednesday from 1 to 2 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd., Topeka KS 66614. Funeral service will follow at 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be at Auburn Cemetery.

Tribute Wall



“ *Leola "Sally" DeGraff*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *I was saddened to see in the paper about Sally. I worked with Sally at Memorial Hospital when she was a nurses Aide. I was a registered nurse who was in charge of this floor and Sally was my aide. She was very well liked and the patients adored her. She was very sensitive and served her patients with compassion. I often wondered and thought about Sally through all these years as I lost contact with her since Memorial. Love and prayers go out to the family of Sally. Love Betty Johnson*

Betty Johnson - November 22, 2010 at 01:31 PM



“ *We were all very saddened when we received the news about Aunt Sally. We will miss her so much! We loved her dearly. All of you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Love always,
Brenda,Linda and family,Mark and family and your Aunt Mildred*

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