



## Lisa Marie Gomez

October 3, 1977 - September 16, 2024

Lisa Marie Gomez, 46, Topeka, Kansas, free spirit and loving daughter, sister and aunt, passed away Monday, September 16, 2024, following a sudden illness.

Lisa was born October 3, 1977, in Topeka, the daughter of Steven and Iris Seitz Gomez. She attended Holy Name Grade School, Hayden High School, graduated from Topeka High School in 1996 and attended Kaw Area Vo-Tech studying auto mechanics. She was employed by Expert Tire/Firestone, and Home Depot. She was a Master Gardener, part of K-State's Master Gardener program assigned to Shawnee County. She had an entrepreneurial spirit and was the owner of Lisa's Landscaping.

A unique, loving, passionate woman, Lisa was an advocate for those in need. "Truckhenge" was her every Sunday destination for her peace of mind. She was a long-time and well-loved "Bramily" member of the Brass Rail Tavern in Oakland. Lisa was a forever friend and cared deeply for those she loved.

Grateful to have shared Lisa's life are her parents, Steve and Iris Gomez; her sister, Krista Gomez (Angela); her brothers, Nicholas Gomez, Justin Gomez (Jordan) and T.C. Gomez (Rebecca); nieces and nephews, Zoii, Coen, Jordyn, Quentin, Braelynn, and Paityn. Lisa is also survived by a daughter whom she lovingly gave up for adoption.

Family will greet friends from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday, September 20, at Mater Dei Holy Name Church, 1114 SW 10th Street, Topeka, where Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m.

Lisa's cremains will be buried on her birthday, October 3, Thursday, at a Celebration of Lisa's Life at The Lessman Farm & Truckhenge, 4124 NE Brier Rd, Topeka, KS 66616. The time will be announced soon. Please check back here where it will be posted as soon as available.

Memorial contributions to help defray funeral costs may be made to Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614.

Condolences may be sent online to [www.kevinbrennanfamily.com](http://www.kevinbrennanfamily.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Mater Dei Holy Name Church  
1114 SW 10th Street  
Topeka, KS 66604

## Mass of Christian Burial

SEP 20. 11:00 AM (CT)

Mater Dei Holy Name Church  
1114 SW 10th Street  
Topeka, KS 66604

## Celebration of Life

OCT 3. 6:00 PM (CT)

The Lessman Farm & Truckhenge  
4124 NE Brier Road  
Topeka, KS 66616

*Lisa's cremains will be buried and her life celebrated on her birthday, October 3.*

# Tribute Wall

NH

“ Iris, so very sorry for your family's loss 😞

Nancy Hewitt



Nancy Hewitt - October 03, 2024 at 04:50 PM

DL

“ Iris and Steve and family, I'm so very sorry for your loss.....

Donna Lytle - September 30, 2024 at 01:48 PM

JC

“ Iris and Steve I was so sad to learn of Lisa's passing. She was such a lovely young lady with energy plus and so lovely to visit with. She made a fall garden for me that is growing wonderfully. A wonderful tribute to her and a great reminder to me of her gift. I loved visiting with her while she worked. She also cleaned up a tree that had fallen in my back yard. I couldn't believe she could do that but worked for two days and had everything cleaned up. I did visit with her at your reception and she asked how my garden was doing. I am so sorry for the pain your whole family must be experiencing but know that all of us that knew her are praying for your family. My prayers are with you. Janet Creager

Janet Creager - September 30, 2024 at 09:04 AM

JR

“ Hugs and prayers for you all. We are so sad to hear this. Lisa was a beautiful person. Know she will be missed.

Jan and Charlie Reichenberger - September 27, 2024 at 12:02 PM

PO

“ Dear Iris, Steve, Krista, Nick, Justin, TC, and families...

*We are so saddened with the news of Lisa's passing and are holding you all in our prayers. May her lovely, happy spirit always be with you and fill your hearts with hope and peace. God bless you all.*

*Peg O'Connor, Jordan Young, Melissa Farnum, Megan Drewry, and their families.*

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**Peg O'Connor** - September 25, 2024 at 04:09 PM

JC

“ Iris, Steve and family,  
*I am so deeply sorry to hear of Lisa's passing. Although she was several years younger than me, I do remember her from my brother Shane Martinek, and I know how tough this must be for your family . I am praying for you and please know you Al are in my heart . All my love and sympathy- Jennifer Pomeroy-Gain*

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**jennifer Cain** - September 23, 2024 at 10:47 PM

HK

“ *My heart is breaking for your family. Lisa and I attended Holy Name together and were friends, however lost track of each other when we had to go to two different high schools. We only reconnected again in the last year via social media. She will be missed.*

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**Heidi Kelsch** - September 23, 2024 at 10:39 AM

AB

“ *My prayers are with you, Gomez family. ❤️*  
*- Amy (Crevoiserat) Bauer*

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**Amy Bauer** - September 22, 2024 at 06:46 PM

KM

“ Iris, Steve & family, I am so sorry to hear of Lisa’s sudden passing. It seems like Lisa packed a lifetime of friends and experiences into 46 short years. Praying for Lisa, you and your family in this difficult time.

*Kathy & Don McCaffrey.*

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**Kathy McCaffrey** - September 21, 2024 at 01:16 PM

CN

“ Lisa helped myself and my husband with various yard projects. I talked her into sharing a beer with us the last time she assisted us. She was a lovely soul. Cindy Noble.

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**cindy noble** - September 21, 2024 at 09:23 AM

RJ

“ Iris and Steve I am so very sorry to hear this sad news. Prayers and positive thoughts are being sent to you. May Jesus’s comforting arms hold you close and give you strength and comfort during this extremely difficult time

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**Ruth Jenkins** - September 20, 2024 at 09:22 PM

AJ

“ I love you my beautiful friend. I will cherish all of the time I was able to spend with you. I was definitely one of the lucky ones. ❤️



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**Amanda Jeffrey** - September 20, 2024 at 01:59 PM

KM

“ I'm so sorry for the family and friends such a loss, Lisa was a beautiful soul. I met Lisa one morning walking my dog Piper we stopped at the bar. And the first thing Lisa did was reach in her bag and gave Piper a biscuit. Friends forever. Piper was always happy to see Lisa She always had a biscuit for pipe. We're going to miss you Lisa 🐾



Kim Marack - September 20, 2024 at 01:55 PM



“ Michelle Johnston lit a candle in memory of Lisa Marie Gomez



Michelle Johnston - September 20, 2024 at 09:39 AM

TM

“ 7 files added to the album Lisa



Tamara McGinnis - September 20, 2024 at 06:34 AM

TM

*Lisa, I will miss you every day. You had such a Beautiful Soul and a Genuine heart, I will cherish our friendship. Zumba will never be the same... Rest in peace, my Buddy. Heartbroken, T*

**Tamara McGinnis** - September 20, 2024 at 06:41 AM

RN

“ *Richard Negrete lit a candle in memory of Lisa Marie Gomez*



**Richard Negrete** - September 20, 2024 at 12:02 AM

KS

“ *Lisa was a highly regarded member of our Shawnee County Extension Master Gardener (SCEMG) organization. She will be remembered for her collegiality, her eagerness to lend a hand, and her unique talent for innovation and ability to think outside the box.*

*A passionate evangelist for pollinator conservation, Lisa was an active member of our Native Plant Garden Committee and served for many years as the Chair of our Green Team Committee, whose goal is to empower and inspire our community to help preserve and restore our environment through education.*

*Lisa's Master Gardener friends were stunned and deeply saddened by her sudden and untimely passing. On behalf of all the members of our Native Plant Garden Committee I offer sincere condolences to her family and friends.*

**Kevin Siek** - September 19, 2024 at 08:03 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lisa Marie Gomez.*



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September 19, 2024 at 04:31 PM



“ *Shelby Peek lit a candle in memory of Lisa Marie Gomez*



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**Shelby Peek** - September 19, 2024 at 03:42 PM



“ *Steve and Iris,*

*So sorry for your loss. We are all thinking of you here at the office.  
Peace be with you.*

*Dr Mark Hall and staff.*

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**Mark K Hall DDS** - September 19, 2024 at 03:38 PM



*Steve and Iris, so very sorry for your loss of Lisa. Prayers to you and your family at this time.  
Dee Karleskint/Drost*

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**Dee** - September 19, 2024 at 05:43 PM

DF

*I only remember Lisa as the cute little girl next door. Reading about her makes me appreciate what a bright light she was to her family and those around her. I pray you will find comfort in fond memories and support from others. She was taken way too early.*

**Diana Frownfelter** - September 20, 2024 at 04:14 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Lisa Marie Gomez.*



September 19, 2024 at 12:19 PM

MS

“ *Michael Sanders and Marissa Shell purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Lisa Marie Gomez.*



**Michael Sanders and Marissa Shell** - September 19, 2024 at 11:56 AM

MS

“ *Michael Sanders and Marissa Shell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lisa Marie Gomez.*

**Michael Sanders and Marissa Shell** - September 19, 2024 at 11:56 AM

TJ

“ Tony Jensen lit a candle in memory of Lisa Marie Gomez



Tony Jensen - September 19, 2024 at 11:15 AM

SB

“ Steve & Iris & Family - I'm so very sorry to hear about Lisa. God has a new angel to tend to his beautiful garden. You and all your family are in my prayers. Sally Brooke

Sally Brooke - September 19, 2024 at 11:05 AM

JP

“ Lisa worked in the kitchen alongside her Mom and me. She was serious, passionate and had her own sense of humor. She walked this earth at her own pace and everything unique about her made her fascinating person. Her family loved her dearly and Mater Dei Catholic Church and school is one big extension of that family. I can only imagine what Heaven is like with her there. Your cat is missing you and we will keep an eye on it while it's on its many adventures. 💔



Jaye Parkerson - September 19, 2024 at 10:02 AM

LW

Steve and Iris, please know you are in my thoughts and prayers for comfort and healing. Lisa was such an asset to our Master Gardener organization with her ideas and enthusiasm. I will be out of town for her services but will be there in spirit. Hugs.

Lynn Weaver - September 19, 2024 at 11:14 AM

ES

“ Lisa's bright smile and even brighter spirit will be missed by so many, on Earth... I hadn't seen her, in years; but, she and I made MANY lasting memories within the Glotzbach house. And, she built the MOST beautiful outdoor oasis, for me; after my MS got too bad for me to do my own planting and gardening. We'd lost touch... as life has a tendency to get in the way of friendship. But, I KNOW heaven has gained a beautiful angel...

Emily Smail - September 19, 2024 at 08:47 AM

AP

“ Lisa was very nice to me and helped me a lot at my home. I am very sad to lose such a good young woman. Rest in peace, Lisa.  
Alan

Alan Powell - September 18, 2024 at 10:39 PM

KI

“ Lisa could do anything, and if she couldn't she would find a way. She was a real woman! And took charge. She was admired for that by so many, men included! She will forever be remembered. We love you Lisa ❤️👍 my deepest condolences to her family.



kimmi - September 18, 2024 at 07:35 PM

MC

“ Maria Chavez lit a candle in memory of Lisa Marie Gomez



Maria Chavez - September 18, 2024 at 07:09 PM

AA

*Godspeed Lisa....you helped make the world better. Stevie, Iris and family, Adrian and I send our prayers for comfort and peace.*

**Adrian & Tish (Padilla) Alcalá** - September 19, 2024 at 10:10 AM

CH

*May prayers be with your family. Lisa was a beautiful soul and a great friend back in grade school.*

**Charlie** - September 19, 2024 at 10:38 AM

KM

*Steve and Iris and Family, Wishing you peace and condolence for your loss. I believe Lisa was at Holy Name between a couple of our kids and then at Hayden also.*

**Klarilee A Meseke** - September 19, 2024 at 02:16 PM

BL

*Steve and Iris and family, Lisa was my mentee in Master Gardeners. She was so fun and full of enthusiasm! We also kept her beautiful creations of bird houses here on our farm until they were sold. She will dearly be missed but we gained a special angel to watch over us.*

*Barb Leeper*

**Barb Leeper** - September 19, 2024 at 03:17 PM

CJ

*Steve, Iris and family: Lisa was my gardening mentor for Shawnee County Master Gardeners this year. She always shared her sunny smile and she had a ton of energy! It didn't take long to figure out Lisa knew a lot about gardening. She also knew just which questions to ask when someone needed help. I was surprised to learn Lisa was a talented painter as well as a master gardener. Lisa cherished our planet and she made the world better.*

**Cathy Jones** - September 19, 2024 at 07:28 PM

CS

*Lisa was a friend and fellow Shawnee County Master Gardener. Her knowledge was extensive, her energy and willingness to help with nearly any project amazing. She was given some scrap lumber and turned it into about 200 birdhouses for various Kansas birds that she helped paint along with others. The birdhouses resulted in a profitable fundraiser for the group and additional nesting opportunities for the whole community. She was always exactly in-tune with nature and all ceatures great and small. Sincere sympathy is extended to all of Lisa's family and those lucky enough to call her their friend. She will be greatly missed but never forgotten.*

*Carol Sook*

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**Carol Sook** - September 19, 2024 at 11:40 PM

DS

*Iris & Steve, Thoughts & Prayers,  
Diana Sutphen (Mater Dei)*

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**Diana R Sutphen** - September 20, 2024 at 05:45 PM

KS

*Steve & Iris,*

*We all so sorry to hear about Lisa passing. You and your awesome family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Kevin , Stephen, Isabel, Mary & Claire Schmidt*

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**Kevin V Schmidt** - September 22, 2024 at 01:14 PM