



Lola Akerstrom

October 7, 1908 - January 6, 2010

Lola was born October 7, 1908 in Alma, KS the daughter of William and Pearl Davis Kraus. She spent her childhood in the Alma, KS area. She married John R. Akerstrom and they resided in Topeka until retirement. After retirement they resided in Ozawkie for several years until John's death. Lola returned to Topeka in 1994. Survivors include her daughter, Karen Senogles, Raleigh, NC; sons, Mick (Liz) Akerstrom, Larry (Karen) Akerstrom, both of Topeka; many grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband; children, Shirley Jean, Carolee, Jerry and Bob; grandchild, Brad Akerstrom; brothers, Floyd (Doris) Kraus, Ivan (Dorothy) Kraus; sisters, Vera (Tom) Comfort, Clarice Bomgartner French, and Evelyn Lew. Lola enjoyed gardening, knitting, crocheting, sewing and cooking for her church activities. Visitation will be held Wednesday, January 6, 2010 from 10 to 11 a.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home. Celebration of Lola's 101 years will be 11:00 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Burial will follow at Mt Hope Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Peggy Kelly House, 1800 SW Fairmont Rd., Topeka, KS 66604.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lola Akerstrom*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Larry and family*

I was real sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. Losing a love one is never easy. my thoughts and prayers will be each of you in the coming days. Always, your distant cousin in S.C. (Patricia Kraus daughter) (Ivan Kraus, Lola's Brother was my grandfather)

Renita Coleman - February 24, 2010 at 03:46 PM



“ *What a privilege it was to have had both Lola and John as neighbors. Lola had such a love for gardening, especially her peonies. A cherry tree grows where she put cherry pits.*

I'll never forget how she gave me a 'grand tour' of a new car she purchased. She was enthralled with the button that opened the trunk.

I know you will miss her. We have thought of her often over the years and missed having her for a neighbor.

Everyone should be so blessed as to have a Lola in their lives.

Larry and Sandi Goetz - January 05, 2010 at 10:18 AM



“ *Tammy, Larry and Karen: We are very sorry for the loss of your Mother and Grandmother. She was a very special lady who lived a long and happy life. I know my Dad (and the other residents of Thornton Place) enjoyed her. Find peace in the many special memories.*

Janice and Taylor Wolfley - January 03, 2010 at 02:04 PM