



## Lorraine Schwartz

January 1, 1929 - October 1, 2023

Lorraine Louise Schwartz, 94, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Sunday, October 1, 2023, surrounded by her family.

Lorraine was a lifelong Topekan, born January 1, 1929, the daughter of Elbridge and Ella Reser Locke. Lorraine and Clyde Schwartz, Jr. were united in marriage in 1945 enjoying 59 years together prior to his death in 2004.

Lorraine retired from Capper Publications with 31 years of service. Family was everything to Lorraine; she was an excellent cook and loved spoiling them. She will be greatly missed.

Grateful to have shared her life are her children, Sharon Gray (William), Sheila Sloop, Larry Schwartz (Theresa) and Cindy Schwerdt (Mark); 10 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; and her sister, Delores Hamlin. Lorraine was also preceded in death by three brothers and a great-granddaughter, Jennifer Abbey.

Family will greet friends from 6 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, October 4, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Thursday at Most Pure Heart of Mary Church. Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Lorraine loved the work of the Salvation Army and asked that memorial contributions be made to the Topeka Salvation Army and sent in care of the funeral home.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Memorial Park Cemetery

3616 SW 6th Street  
Topeka, KS 66606

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 4. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home  
2801 SW Urish Road  
Topeka, KS 66614  
(785) 272-7888  
[info@kevinbrennanfamily.com](mailto:info@kevinbrennanfamily.com)

## Rosary

OCT 4. 7:00 PM (CT)

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2801 SW Urish Road  
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## Mass of Christian Burial

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OCT 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

Most Pure Heart of Mary Church  
3601 SW 17th Street  
Topeka, KS 66604

# Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Lorraine Schwartz



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**Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home** - October 04, 2023 at 06:54 PM



“ Grandma, I will always cherish the memories I have of you and Grandpa and no doubt about it you both were the very best. I loved coming to see you and Grandpa and waking up early to you both at the kitchen table having coffee and reading the paper and the Grandpa would make breakfast. I will always remember Christmas presents piled to the ceiling and Grandpa's spaghetti. I loved the way you said ohhhhhh when you saw something you liked and always spilling down your shirt! I think I inherited that from you! I'm glad you are back with Grandpa and until I see you again I will think of you everyday. I love you with all my heart! Amy



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**Amy Gillum** - October 05, 2023 at 12:15 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Lorraine Schwartz.*



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October 04, 2023 at 09:51 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lorraine Schwartz.*



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October 03, 2023 at 10:40 PM

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“ Grandma, you were one of a kind. I will forever cherish our drives in the car and all the fun stories you would tell me. The laughter that would ensue when we would pass a trucker and you would signal to them to blow their horns. You lived a very genuine life and I am grateful for all the lessons you taught me. I will miss being able to say a proper goodbye so this will have to be the best that I can do. I know you are wrapped in the arms of Grandpa now where you will forever be safe and loved. Give him a big hug from me. Until we meet again in heaven, watch over us and keep us safe and protected. I am sad that my grandchildren will not have a memory of you, but you better believe I will make sure they know where their family came from and I hope that I can pass on the love you showed everyone. I also hope to perfect your biscuits and gravy and vegetable soup for them. Rest peacefully Grandma, I will love you forever.

*Love, Your Granddaughter*

*Lori Ann*

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**Lori Luttmann** - October 03, 2023 at 06:30 PM