



## Marie Lilian Anderson

May 12, 1934 - December 7, 2014

Marie Lilian (Savory) Anderson, 80, of Topeka, passed away peacefully at The Midland House after a brief illness, on Sunday, December 7, 2014. Marie was born on May 12, 1934, in Norwich, Norfolk, England, the daughter of Cyril Gordon and Amelia Richenda Mary (Steward) Savory. She met her husband, Lawrence John Anderson, in England in 1951, while he was serving in the United States Air Force there. They returned to the States and were married in Riverside, California, on June 22, 1953, where they resided for a year before settling in Topeka, Kansas, Lawrence's home state. Lawrence preceded her in death on February 13, 2005. Marie worked at Hallmark's in Topeka for a short time and was a bookkeeper for her husband's tax and accounting business for many years. She was a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and homemaker, raising nine children. She also was a childcare provider in her home for many years and provided childcare to many of her grandchildren. Marie was a member of Mater Dei Catholic Parish, previously Holy Name Catholic Church. She also was a long-time member of the British Wives Club and Laugh A Lot Sewing Club in Topeka. She was a talented seamstress, making many dresses for her daughters when they were young and later making many beautiful quilts and blankets which were donated to community outreach programs for young mothers. She was very creative and made many crafts and florals for her children over the years. She also enjoyed crocheting and knitting and created many beautiful blankets for her grandchildren. She is survived by her nine children, Mary (Randy) Clinton

of Arlington TX; Kathy (Jim) Brooks of Keller, TX; Linda (David) Kaberline of McKinney, TX; Lawrence Anderson of Aliso Viejo, CA; Dr. Deborah Anderson of Topeka; Cheryl (Ernie) Wood of Topeka; Tammy (Randy) Guffey-Morgan of Topeka; Janel (Niles) Brandstoettner of Topeka; Danette Wood of Topeka; and her 28 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her two sisters, Kathleen Joan (Glendon) Klossner of St. James, MO; Teresa (Jimmy) Dye of Norwich, Norfolk, England; sisters-in-law, Marilyn Savory of Norwich, Norfolk, England; Joan Frost of Merseyside, Liverpool, United Kingdom; and many nieces and nephews. She was also preceded in death by her parents, Cyril & Amelia Savory; her brothers, Michael Savory of Norwich, Norfolk, England; Peter Frost of Merseyside, Liverpool, United Kingdom. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. on Thursday, with a parish rosary at 6 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 S.W. Urish Road, Topeka, KS 66614. Mass of Christian Burial will be 1:00 p.m. Friday at Mater Dei Holy Name Catholic Church, 1114 SW 10th Ave, Topeka, KS 66604. Interment will follow at Mount Calvary Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Parkinson Foundation of The Heartland, 8900 State Line Rd #320, Leawood, KS 66206; Midland Hospice House, 200 S.W. Frazier Circle, Topeka, KS 66606; or to Mater Dei Parish.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Marie Lilian Anderson*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM

Mary Clinton

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Mary Clinton - April 14, 2016 at 11:18 PM

Mary Clinton

“ *miss you mom.....*

Mary Clinton - April 14, 2016 at 11:14 PM

RP

“ *I am so sorry for the loss of your Mum and grieve with you. Marie was a wonderful friend and I have many fond memories. She looked after Philip and Elizabeth. They loved going to her house to play with her grandchildren. She was so vivacious and we laughed a lot. We all will miss her very much. Much love to you all. Ros Pepperdine*

Ros Pepperdine - December 11, 2014 at 05:47 PM

VB

“ Dr Anderson,

*I am so very sorry for your loss. Your mother was very beautiful. And from reading about her I am sure she was beautiful inside and out. May God comfort you at this time of sorrow. There is another angel in heaven.*

*God Bless*

*Vicky*

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**Vicky Baer** - December 11, 2014 at 05:06 PM

BC

“ Dr. Anderson,

*Please know that Bill and I are thinking of you during this time of sorrow. Please remember your Mom's caring heart and treasure the good memories. Time does heal, but there is nothing better for the soul than the comfort our Heavenly Father gives freely to those who ask. We sincerely pray that this comfort will be yours.*

*Bill and Peggy Caton*

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**Bill & Peggy Caton** - December 10, 2014 at 09:12 PM

JF

“ (Revelation 21:3, 4) *With that I heard a loud voice from the throne say: “Look! The tent of God is with mankind, and he will reside with them, and they will be his people. And God himself will be with them. 4?And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.”*

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**JF** - December 10, 2014 at 07:10 PM

GH

“ Linda, Cheryl and Mary, I am so sorry to see your mom passed. I know the sadness you are feeling now. Loosing your mom is awful. Please know she is in a better place watching over all of you. May God wrap his arms around all of you and the rest of your family. Please know that your entire family is in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Gina Herman** - December 09, 2014 at 07:08 PM

CW

“ Dr. Anderson, Sorry for your loss. Please find comfort knowing your mom is in a better place. Cherish the memories you have with your family. Thinking of you at this time. What amazing Dr. you are. I am sure your mom was proud of you.  
Carla Wilson

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**Carla Wilson** - December 09, 2014 at 06:19 PM

MD

“ Debbie, I am so sorry for your loss! I will keep you and your family in my prayers.  
Mary T

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**Mary T. Schnellbacher- Decker** - December 09, 2014 at 10:06 AM