



Mary Elizabeth "Mary Beth" Desch

July 13, 1938 - March 28, 2011

Mary "Mary Beth" Elizabeth Desch, 72, passed away Monday, March 28, 2011 after a battle with cancer. She was born July 13, 1938 in Frankfort, Kansas the daughter of Leroy Perry and Agnes Lierz. Mary married Pete Desch on September 20, 1958 in Frankfort, Kansas. She retired after 41 years from Santa Fe Railroad. Mary was a member of Santa Fe Women's Club. She enjoyed sewing, crocheting, gardening, cooking and spending time with her puppies. Survivors include her husband, Pete Desch; daughters, Tami (Kevin) Hayek, Lori Desch (David Ranallo), Sheri Desch (Bubba Morway); granddaughters, Danielle Packer, Trey Miller, Mollie Miller, Kaylee Simmons, Misty Scheele; brother, Henry Perry; many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her brother, Albert Perry. Visitation will be Thursday, March 31, 2011 at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd. Topeka, KS 66614, from 6 to 8 p.m. with a rosary at 6:30 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial will be 1:00 p.m. Friday at Most Pure Heart of Mary Church, 3601 SW 17th St., Topeka KS 66604. Burial will follow at Mount Calvary Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the church.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Elizabeth "Mary Beth" Desch*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *DEAR TAMI/KEVIN, INCREDIBLY SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT THE DEATH OF YOUR MOM. I KNOW HOW MUCH FAMILY MEANS TO YOU. YOU HAVE BEEN A BLESSING IN YOUR MOM'S LIFE, & SHE IN YOURS...LOVING PRAYERS ARE FLOWING OVER YOU ALL
FRANNI & STEVE*

FRANNI & STEVE MILLER - April 01, 2011 at 10:26 AM



“ *Tami, I was so sorry to hear of your loss. May the Good Lord comfort you and your family and may your hearts soon be filled with wonderful memories, replacing your sorrow. God Bless!*

Cheryl (Colahan) Lister - March 30, 2011 at 06:57 PM



“ *Pete, I'm so sorry about Mary. I still remember the good times we had at "Razzle Dazzel" and bowling every Tuesday morning. Although, Mary was always a quiet person, we had fun bowling together, even when we had lousy days. Our little "gossip" group on Fridays always kept us laughing that half of the time we forgot "You are up". We didn't care how much money we made, we had fun and that was what brought us back every week. "Mary, may you rest in peace and I will miss you, especially your smile. It was fun bowling with you." My Condolences to you Pete, you kids and grandkids.*

Elga Ray - March 29, 2011 at 02:42 PM

GR

“ Tami, Lori, and Sheri - I'm so sorry about your mom. We always loved visiting you guys as kids and your mom was so fun, kind, and patient with us. I'm sure we were a handful but she handled the whole thing with grace. We will miss her.

Gretchen - March 29, 2011 at 09:21 AM

KC

“ Sheri,

I'm so sorry about the passing of your mom. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you, your sisters and dad.

Kara Cavender - March 29, 2011 at 08:48 AM

CS

“ Sheri,

I am so very sorry for your loss. Keeping you close to my heart and in my thoughts.

Carol Stormer - March 28, 2011 at 10:48 PM

KH

“ Sheri and Family,

Our hearts go out to you, we are so very sorry for your loss...you are all in our thoughts and prayers.

From the Staff of Drs. Kohake, Deutscher and Hefner

Kohake, Deutscher and Hefner - March 28, 2011 at 04:09 PM