



Phyllis Haefner

April 10, 1939 - October 29, 2024

Phyllis Jean Haefner, 85, Topeka, Kansas, passed away on October 29, 2024.

Phyllis was born in Topeka, April 10, 1939, to Alexander and Barbara Schoenfeldt Burghart. She graduated from Hayden High School in 1957 and attended Clark Business School. Phyllis married Frank Haefner on May 2, 1959, in St. Joseph Catholic Church. She worked for Santa Fe Railroad until retirement in 1996 as a manager in the accounting department. Phyllis was a member of St. Joseph Church, Daughters of Isabella, St. Joseph Altar Society and did volunteer work for the St. Francis Auxiliary. She loved travelling on bus trips and when she was younger she enjoyed cooking for her family.

Phyllis is survived by her sons, David (Tamera) and Steven (Carrie); grandchildren, Brett (Lindsey), Zachary (Amber), Cole (Jenna) and Lucas (Katie); great-grandchildren, Millie, Ryder, Mara, Claire, Thomas and Hallie. She was preceded in death by her husband, parents and siblings, Alexander Burghart, Jr. and Barbara Laird.

All services will be on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, at St. Joseph Catholic Church. Visitation will be at 10 a.m. Daughters of Isabella will pray the rosary at 10:30 a.m. and Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Burial to follow in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Sacred Heart-St. Joseph Parish and sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Condolences may be sent online to www.kevinbrennanfamily.com

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

801 SW Westchester Rd
Topeka, KS 66606

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
227 SW Van Buren Street
Topeka, KS 66603

Daughters of Isabella will lead the rosary

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Mass of Christian Burial

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Tribute Wall

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“ Dave, Tammy, and family, so sorry for the loss of you mom and grandma. Thinking of and keeping all of you in my prayers.

Carol and Mark Flynn - November 03, 2024 at 12:23 PM

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“ Phyllis and I shared 23 yrs. of our young lives together. Twelve years in school, and almost ten years working together at Santa Fe. She was always an upbeat personality. I haven't seen her in many years but I know those who are near to her will miss her greatly.
Mina Artzer Studley

Mina Artzer Studley - October 31, 2024 at 11:02 AM

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“ Phyllis was Mother to our Son in Law Steve and we celebrated many Birthdays and other occasions with Phyllis. She will be missed greatly. 💕💕

Duane and Sandy Dreasher - October 31, 2024 at 10:19 AM