



Rebecka "Becky" Gerety

August 20, 1947 - April 3, 2018

Rebecka Ann "Becky" Gerety, 70, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Tuesday April 3, 2018, at the House at Midland Care.

Becky was born August 20, 1947, in Overbrook, Kansas, the daughter of Charles and Grace Bond Bright. She attended Van Buren Grade School, Crane Junior High and Topeka High School, graduating in 1965. On November 5, 1965, Becky and Michael John Gerety were united in marriage, enjoying over 40 years together before his passing on January 8, 2006.

Becky was employed by the Secretary of State, scheduled events for a campaign and was a receptionist for Payless Shoe Source. She was an active member of Most Pure Heart of Mary Church, belonged to the St. Vincent's Guild and was a member of the Woman's Club of Topeka.

Becky leaves to cherish her memory her children, Michael Thad Gerety (Kim), Wade Scott Gerety, and Heather Dawn Gerety; three grandchildren, Ashlee Anno (Joe), Amanda Vanderbogart (Spencer) and Spencer Gerety; two great-grandchildren, Alivia and Jade and two foster great-grandchildren, Jett and Myah. She was also preceded in death by her sister, Wilma "Billie Jo" Stitt.

Family will greet friends from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Most Pure Heart of Mary Church. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Friday at the

Church. Burial will follow in Mount Hope Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the House at Midland Care or Most Pure Heart of Mary Church.

Cemetery Details

Mount Hope Cemetery

4700 SW 17th Street
Topeka, KS 66604

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Mass of Christian Burial

APR 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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3601 SW 17th Street
Topeka, KS 66604

Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Rebecka "Becky" Gerety



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - April 04, 2018 at 02:22 PM




“ Rebecka "Becky" Gerety

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ I was so sad to learn your Mom has passed!!!! I went to Crane, Topeka High, and your Dad was my friend before he married your Mom. I was there when all you kids were born, and saw you until I moved from Topeka. So many fun times we had as young parents! Your mom was so very PROUD of all of you!! My thoughts and prayers are with each of you!!

Donna Johnson Littleton, Colo - April 12, 2018 at 04:16 PM

 Nancy Reddy

“ We worked with Becky at the Secretary of State's Office years ago and have many fond memories of her. We also enjoyed seeing her at the Collins Park 4th of July parade and catching up. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Mark and Nancy Reddy

Nancy Reddy - April 05, 2018 at 07:58 PM

LT

“ Sweet, funny lady. Condolences to family and friends. Larry Tenopir

Larry Tenopir - April 05, 2018 at 03:29 PM

DH

“ Even though it has been some years since I last visited with your mother, I always will remember her laugh. Her and your father were such a great couple. Cares & prayers to you all and your family.

Dianne Heinen

Dianne Heinen - April 05, 2018 at 03:06 PM

SR

“ Heather and family,
I am so sorry to hear of your mothers passing. I always enjoyed our time together and our visits even if it was during her treatments. She always brought a smile and was a very courageous lady. I know she will be missed, so hold your memories close to your heart. Sending warm thoughts and many prayers to your family.

Sherrye Robertson - April 05, 2018 at 09:05 AM

SM

“ So sorry for your lost Heather and family. My prayers are with you all.

Sheila McDonald - April 04, 2018 at 11:58 PM

MA

“ Heather and Wade,
I am so sorry for your loss may you and your family take comfort in all the memories you have . Prayers for each and every one of you.

Marlee Gilbert

Marlee - April 04, 2018 at 09:45 PM

JS

“ Prayers to your family .

Jerry & Rhonda Stithem - April 04, 2018 at 07:12 PM

CB

“ Heather,
Prayers and condolences for you and Family with the loss of you mother.

Charles

Charles Baars - April 04, 2018 at 04:55 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Rebecka "Becky" Gerety.



April 04, 2018 at 04:17 PM

KW

“ *Heather, I am so sorry for your loss. I know how this feels. Please know that you are in our hearts and prayers.*

Kay & Mike Watson

Kay Watson - April 04, 2018 at 01:08 PM

NM

“ *I am so sorry about the loss of your mother Becky. Mike and my husband Kip Myers worked together at Goodyear for many years and became very good friends. Mike would ride his bicycle over to our home and visit many times. I had no idea that Becky was ill, as we had lost contact with each other after Mike died and Kip died two years ago, but I thought of her often. My prayers are with all of you in your loss. Parents are like the sky above, we don't really miss them until they are no longer around to share memories, as they have always been there for us. God Bless all of you.*

Fondly,

Nancy Myers

Nancy Myers - April 04, 2018 at 11:57 AM

DE

“ *Heather/Wade,
I am so sorry for the loss of your mom. I will keep you and your family in my prayers.*

Debbie Fitzgerald

Debbie - April 04, 2018 at 10:52 AM

CL

“ *What a wonderful mom and grandma! I always enjoyed chatting with Becky when she came to visit my shop. She was always so upbeat and fun.
I'm sorry for your loss, but thankful to celebrate that she is reunited with her family in heaven. We are keeping your family in our thoughts and prayers.*
Carrie, Gladys and Ian Law

Carrie Law - April 04, 2018 at 10:37 AM

 Lisa Simpson

“ *I remember her smile. She was always so happy.*

Lisa Simpson - April 04, 2018 at 10:33 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rebecka "Becky" Gerety.*



April 04, 2018 at 07:29 AM

CH

“ *Mrs. Gerety there are no words other than thank you for being an angel of God. You accepted us as your own and the hugs proved it. This is not goodbye because I am certain I will be in your presence again one day. Until then know critter and family loves you immensely.*

Chris Hammer - April 03, 2018 at 09:25 PM