



Roxy Nightengale

August 11, 1945 - June 29, 2023

We invite your presence in celebrating our Roxy, a warm, engaging and loving shining star.

Roxy's family will greet friends from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Thursday, July 6, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614, followed by Roxy's Celebration of Life at 10:30 a.m. Her Celebration will be livestreamed on the funeral home Facebook page. Burial will be in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

Roxy Lee Nightengale was born August 11, 1945, in Topeka, Kansas, the daughter of Andrew and Margaret McRae Lineberry. She attended Topeka High School and graduated from Hayden High School in 1963.

On April 15, 1967, Roxy and Laurin Nightengale were united in marriage at Holy Name Catholic Church, enjoying 56 years together.

Roxy attended Stewart's Beauty Academy which launched her career as a beautician. She was a hairdresser for many years at Menninger's and was beloved and appreciated by her clients. She had a business in her home offering wedding invitations for sale. When her success made it difficult to meet those demands, she helped another woman start her own business. That was Roxy, always ready to encourage and lend a hand.

Roxy was an avid bicycle enthusiast and could be seen heading to Potwin Elementary School to volunteer in the library, doing her grocery shopping, or going to work. As a child she had a rooster which she loved and would carry him around in her bicycle basket. Roxy enjoyed attending Zumba classes at the YMCA and was a member of a wonderful Bunco group who met for decades. She moved to Texas from 1996 to 2010, and on her return they were delighted to enthusiastically welcome her back.

Grateful to have shared her life are her husband, Laurin; daughter, Kelly Nightengale; sister, Gale Elliott; brother, Steve Lineberry, mother-in-law, Marcella G. Nightengale; and many nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

Roxy was preceded in death by her parents, her son, Brian September 17, 1988, and her stepmother, Veronica Mulcahy Lineberry.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association, sent in care of the funeral home. Condolences may be sent online to www.kevinbrennanfamily.com.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

801 SW Westchester Rd
Topeka, KS 66606

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 6. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Roxy Nightengale



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - July 06, 2023 at 09:26 AM

NR

“ Nick Reilly & Mamie Reilly planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Roxy Nightengale.

Nick Reilly & Mamie Reilly - July 07, 2023 at 11:18 AM

CB

“ Family & Friends of my childhood friend, Roxy, Please accept my heartfelt sympathy for your loss. I'm so saddened that the World has lost a free spirit ! Roxy & I met at Randolph Elem.School in the 1950's. She was like a 4th. of July sparkler, always on fire with her smile & energy. I spotted Roxy & met Laurin a few years ago, when I sat behind them at Spiritfest at Lake Shawnee.That was such a fun reunion !!!! I cherish that memory*** Be comforted knowing Roxy will rest in peace.

Chrystal Brim - July 05, 2023 at 04:41 PM

PA

“ So sorry to hear about Roxy. We so remember your family as you lived behind us for several years and we enjoyed seeing your children growing up. You are in our prayers. It has been several years but think of you often and wondered about you. Your friends of a while back. Joe and Pat Abbey

Pat Abbey - July 05, 2023 at 12:04 PM

LF

“ Love your TRCA Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Roxy Nightengale.



Love your TRCA Family - July 05, 2023 at 09:51 AM

LF

“ Love your TRCA Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Roxy Nightengale.

Love your TRCA Family - July 05, 2023 at 09:51 AM

LF

“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Roxy Nightengale.



July 04, 2023 at 05:29 PM

AV

“ Laurin, Kelly, and family. Please accept our condolences and sympathy in the loss of Roxy. I remember Roxy as one who always had a positive attitude, a great smile, and treasured her family. One impression that Roxy made on Kaye and I was her positive, caring, and loving attitude toward Aunt Marcella. Allen & Kaye Voth

Allen Voth - July 03, 2023 at 06:32 PM