



Shannon Nichol

July 27, 1976 - July 30, 2022

Shannon Nichol, 46, Topeka, Kansas, went home to the Lord on Saturday morning July 30, 2022.

Shannon was born on July 27, 1976, in Larned, Kansas. She was the youngest child of John and Roberta Grant.

All her life, Shannon was a loving, compassionate soul that gave of her time and talents to all that she knew. Family meant the most to her, only second to God. Shannon was very involved in her faith, most recently at Christ the King Catholic Parish in Topeka. She was a very creative person and her hobbies included scrapbooking, card making, and crafting. Shannon stayed busy by giving herself to numerous organizations and charities. These include Greater Topeka Chamber of Commerce, Scouting BSA - Jayhawk Area Council, American Business Women's Association - Ad Astra Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi - Xi Eta Sigma, Sole Reason, American Heart Association, Sunflower Association of Realtors, Capital City Christian Chamber of Commerce - C5Alive, Birthright, Innovative Networking Group, and many more.

Shannon is survived by her husband, Eric, Topeka; sons, Grant (fiancé Katie), Overland Park and Graidon, Topeka; sisters, Rita O'Gwin (David), Larned, Evelyn Grant (Rick Morse), Portland, Oregon, Pauline Hampton (David), Larned, Margaret Grant, Larned, Lisa Grant (Tom Magliery), Vancouver, B.C.,

Doris Grant, Orem, Utah, and, Marlene Lira, Overland Park; brothers, John Grant (Monica), Adams, Oklahoma; and, Leonard Grant, Larned; 21 nieces and nephews; and 17 great-nieces and great-nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, nephew, John Zachary Grant, and sister-in-law, Cindy Grant.

Visitation will be 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, August 5th at Christ the King Catholic Church, 5973 SW 25th Street, Topeka KS 66614, where vigil service and rosary will be prayed at 7 p.m.

The family would like to welcome any of the many people impacted by Shannon to celebrate Mass at 10 a.m. Saturday, August 6th at Christ the King Catholic Church. Burial will follow in Mount Calvary Cemetery in Topeka.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or Sole Reason 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

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

Christ the King Catholic Church
5973 SW 25th Street
Topeka, KS 66614

Rosary

AUG 5. 7:00 PM (CT)

Christ the King Catholic Church
5973 SW 25th Street
Topeka, KS 66614

Mass of Christian Burial

AUG 6. 10:00 AM (CT)

Christ the King Catholic Church
5973 SW 25th Street
Topeka, KS 66614

Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Shannon Nichol



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - August 05, 2022 at 10:18 AM



“ Shannon Nichol

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ Eric and Family: My family send our deepest of sympathy to you. The loss is often unbearable but, the memories, the photos and time together sooth the heart. When I think of Shannon I think of her giving heart!! WOW she was amazing. I thanked her every time I saw her for my Christmas Cactus she hand delivered when I started working at now Berkshire Hathaway First REALTORS in 2011!! Why? Because I still have it!! She would always greet me with, "How's the Cactus?" and others in the room would look at us weird. I will Cherish it and care for it in remembrance of her. That's just who she was. Know that a little of her lives in you all and I hope her random acts of kindness give you comfort knowing she was loved by many. We will keep you all in our prayers.

Becky Hilbert Burghart - August 07, 2022 at 08:46 PM

GW

“What I loved about Shannon was her giving spirit. She was a true friend to our youth and believed in 2nd chances. She will be greatly missed. Prayers to her family.

Georgianna “George”

Georgianna Wong - August 06, 2022 at 07:57 PM

EH

“There are not enough words to describe how wonderful Shannon was.. Kind, loving, generous, warm, helpful, and intelligent are just a few. We are so grateful to have known her and we will miss seeing her beautiful smile at church and the kindness she always showed to our boys.

*With deepest sympathy,
Emily, Sean, Connor, Carter, and Christopher Hoffman*

Emily Hoffman - August 06, 2022 at 04:06 PM

JM

“We have had many good times with Shannon and her family. She will be missed, but always fondly in our memories. Love from the McNamees

John McNamee - August 06, 2022 at 10:47 AM

CH

“Shannon was a fantastic person. I was in a few business networking groups with her and she was always super positive and extremely intelligent. She will be greatly missed.

Chris Hobart - August 05, 2022 at 08:25 PM

MB

“ Although I never met Shannon, I know what a special friend she was to my daughter, Carla Spellman. May this kind soul be blessed in eternity. May God wrap His loving arms around all of her family and friends and give them Comfort and Peace.
Mary Becker

Mary Becker - August 05, 2022 at 08:07 PM

KH

“ Eric I am so sorry. I met Shannon though Beta Sigma Phi we became friends she was always trying to talk us into having the dance's agin for the charity event. We always seem to be in trouble together. Lol. She will be missed.
Kim Hines

Kim Hines - August 04, 2022 at 08:46 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Shannon Nichol.



August 04, 2022 at 02:37 PM

LC

“ I first met Shannon when she became our realtor. She did a great job and in the process, she became a friend. Shannon had a naturally caring and outgoing personality that drew people in. Her "networking" never felt business motivated, because it was so obvious that she genuinely cared about people, wanted to know about them and wanted to help whenever she could. The world is a better place for her presence.

Lori Carmichael - August 04, 2022 at 01:59 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shannon Nichol.*



August 04, 2022 at 11:26 AM



“ *Peter Bellucci Agency, Inc. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Shannon Nichol.*



Peter Bellucci Agency, Inc. - August 03, 2022 at 05:33 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shannon Nichol.*



August 03, 2022 at 04:49 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Shannon's passing. I knew Shannon thru Beta Sigma Phi sorority and served with her on our city council. She was sweet and a nice and fun sister*

Janey A Eaton - August 03, 2022 at 03:55 PM

TF

“ *The Dodge and Brown Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Shannon Nichol.*



The Dodge and Brown Family - August 03, 2022 at 01:35 PM

LD

“ *Layna and Gary Dechant purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Shannon Nichol.*



Layna and Gary Dechant - August 03, 2022 at 11:24 AM

EM

“ *I'm so sorry you have to go through this difficult time! Shannon was such a dear woman and friend with the most generous heart. I'm available if you ever need to talk. Elizabeth Marmon*

Elizabeth Marmon - August 03, 2022 at 09:50 AM

DS

“ Dearest Eric, Grant, and Graidon,
You know how Shannon always reached out to those looking lost? We first met at a KCExpo, it must have been 16 years ago, although it didn't seem like it has been that long. We immediately bonded. Both Catholic, both involved in scouts, she told me about her heart surgery (that's why I think it must have been 16 years), she said it had just been a year at that time.
You couldn't help but love her right away! Every time she came to Kansas City we roomed together after that. Do you remember the snow storm, she was going to try to drive home through? We had had a crop in Blue Springs, I insisted she stay with us. We had one “cat free room.” She was so allergic to cats. Thank heaven she didn't try to drive back that night.
And then the crops that you all did as fund raisers. I was there! Graidon, do you remember making the lattice pages? I bought some of them and they are in my Granddaughter's scrapbook. Good job my dear. You fed us Eric, and after one of the crops, Shannon wanted to take the food we had left to the homeless shelter. I went with her.
I have never had another friend or known another person like Shannon. I think I may have reminded her of her mom a little, I'm a LOT older than you all. But I have made it my goal to be more like her ever since the day we met. I remember so clearly the quote on her first Realtor calendar, “In a World Where You Can Be Anything, Be Kind.” That's who Shannon was!

Dianne Sullivan - August 03, 2022 at 08:15 AM

KE

“ Eric, Sons,
I'm the Director of Birthright in which Shannon was a volunteer and also a friend to me. She was always so helpful and did a lot to make our 50th Anniversary a success. She always had a smile on her face! She will be missed. Hold on always to the memories. Prayers to you all.
Keith & Lorraine Eggen

Keith & Lorraine Eggen - August 02, 2022 at 11:52 PM

TM

“ Eric, Grant and Grady, you have our sincere condolences for your loss. Shannon is always smiling and will be missed.

The Morrisseys - August 02, 2022 at 10:41 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Shannon Nichol.



August 02, 2022 at 09:16 PM

SB

“ Shannon oh how I will miss you! You are such a beautiful soul and I will never forget you! May God bless you in his kingdom and please God comfort Shannon's husband, boys, family and friends during this difficult time.
Stephanie Bookman

Stephanie Bookman - August 02, 2022 at 06:53 PM

TW

“ Eric and the Boys!! Everytime I asked Shannon "how's the fam?" Her face would light up and she would tell me everything you were all involved in together when the boys were little and all of your accomplishments and how proud she was of all of you!! She loved you all very much!!

Tiffany Wegele - August 02, 2022 at 02:43 PM

CF

“ Cynthia Gore & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Shannon Nichol.



Cynthia Gore & Family - August 02, 2022 at 02:34 PM

JO

“ Eric, Grant & Graidon, So sorry for the loss of your wife and mother way too soon. She was a very kind person. You are in my thoughts. Peace and love. Joyce P. (KDOT Fam)

Joyce - August 02, 2022 at 02:32 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shannon Nichol.



August 02, 2022 at 02:29 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Shannon Nichol.*



August 02, 2022 at 02:03 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shannon Nichol.*



August 02, 2022 at 01:50 PM



“ *I have known Shannon for quite a few years. She was a wonderful person! She would do anything for you! She helped a lot at my friend Ruth's floral shop. Always there when we needed her. Lost Ruth a few months ago! I am sure Ruth had a big hug for Shannon when she got to heaven! Prayers to Eric and the boys!!! She will be missed greatly!*

Sharlene Christensen - August 02, 2022 at 01:38 PM



*Shanon lives across the street from us in Garfield and was the same age as my oldest daughter Jennifer! They didnt go to The same school but they wouldn't together at each other's house and come over and swim! Praying for all the fily during tHis moat difficult time!
R. I. P. Shannon!*

Marlene Abel - August 02, 2022 at 04:33 PM

SB

“ I worked with Shannon at Lawyers Title, I got to know her well through crafting. She was always willing to help the small business owners, and most great causes. She always shared a smile, and positive outlook. She was a proud wife and mother and excited for her boys new journeys. Recently we spoke about our favorite memories at Christmas and she said with a smirk, “making paper chains, and staying up for midnight mass”, I was not surprised she included her faith in this moment. She was an amazing lady, and I will miss her dearly.



Stephanie Blaker - August 02, 2022 at 01:13 PM

LD

“ I remember when she was just a little girl, such a cutie. So sorry for your loss and many prayers for all the family and friends!

linda dill - August 02, 2022 at 01:09 PM

SS

“ Shannon was a wonderful friend. She was always there when others turned away. But she was a better Catholic. She shared God's love by what she said and what she did. She will be missed. Prayers to Erick and the family.

Steve & Judy Slough - August 02, 2022 at 12:55 PM

JC

“ Eric and Family, I am so very sorry to hear of your loss. All of my thoughts, love and prayers are being sent to you all. May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you to console you and yours in this time of grief. I will say the Holy Rosery in private in honor of a great lady. God Bless and keep you and yours. John Cukjati KDOT Family.



John Cukjati - August 02, 2022 at 12:50 PM

YF

“ Your Coldwell Banker Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Shannon Nichol.



Your Coldwell Banker Family - August 02, 2022 at 12:50 PM



“ Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Shannon Nichol.



August 02, 2022 at 12:47 PM

PH

“ Shannon's light will continue to shine within those who knew & loved her. My prayers for comfort and peace to all her family and friends. 🙏💜



Pam Hensley - August 02, 2022 at 12:32 PM

KF

“ *Kellilynn & Sydnee Feliciano KDOT Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Shannon Nichol.*



Kellilynn & Sydnee Feliciano KDOT Family - August 02, 2022
at 12:29 PM

CE

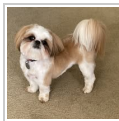
“ *Eric and sons - I was a Birthright volunteer with Shannon and I offer my sincere sympathy. She helped us so much get ready for our 50th anniversary at Birthright and she was always so willing to give that helping hand! She will be missed by many! May God hold her in His loving arms!!*

Connie Everett - August 02, 2022 at 12:15 PM

GK

“ *Eric and family
Condolences on the passing of Shannon
She will be missed
She always had a smile and was glad to see everyone.
She was fun to work with at Christ the King
Gary and Sheila Knoll*

Gary Knoll - August 02, 2022 at 11:37 AM



*Eric & Family
I want to express my sympathy for the passing of Shannon. She was always pleasant to be around and a good wife and mother. My prayers are with you and your family.*

Tom Shepard

Thomas Shepard - August 03, 2022 at 12:44 PM