



Sheri Lee

May 26, 1959 - January 25, 2026

Sharon Diane “Sheri” Lee, 66, Topeka, Kansas, a highly awarded RN and loving wife, mother and grandmother, passed away Sunday, January 25, 2026, at her home.

Sheri was born May 26, 1959, in Topeka, the daughter of Frank Reeb, Jr. and Shirley Schank Reeb Brown. She attended St. Joseph and Assumption Grade Schools, graduated from Hayden High School in 1977 and earned a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree from Baker University. On June 26, 1982, Sheri and James Lee were united in marriage at Assumption Church, enjoying more than 43 years together.

Sheri entered the nursing profession at Stormont Vail HealthCare before joining Cotton O’Neil Digestive Health Center for the rest of her career, retiring in 2024. Sheri was caring and kind to her patients, earning the high honor of a Daisy Award, and was honored professionally with the Nursing Excellence Award.

She enjoyed bowling on a league and traveling to warm places. A cheerleader at activities of her children and grandchildren, Sheri loved being with her family. She loved them dearly and will be greatly missed.

Survivors include Sheri’s husband, Jim Lee; daughters, Jennifer Gould and

Megan Terrel (Cory); grandchildren, Cathryn, Mollee, Kai and Olivia; and her brother Frank Reeb (Rachel).

Sheri was preceded in death by her parents, stepfather, Jerry Brown and her son-in-law, Marshall Gould.

Visitation will be from 10 to 11 a.m. Saturday, January 31, at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Funeral service will follow at 11 a.m. at the funeral home. Burial will be in Mount Calvary Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Helping Hands Humane Society, 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

JAN 31. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Sheri Lee



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - January 26 at 04:50 PM

AG

My heart goes out to her loved ones, knowing she will be missed by many. Praying for the comfort of Jesus. Sheri was a dear person.
Agnes G

Agnes M Gosselin - January 27 at 10:17 AM

LS

Jim and the Lee Family ... I am so sorry for your loss. Sheri had a great smile and was always fun to be around. Wishing you comfort to face the days ahead and loving memories to hold in your heart.

Loretta Shelley - January 27 at 04:48 PM

MI

Sheri was a great friend and colleague.

Mike - January 29 at 01:28 AM

CM

Jim sending my condolences to you and your family. I will keep you all in my prayers. Carol Main

Carol Main - January 29 at 09:32 AM

SW

I thoroughly loved the work interaction with Sherri as she was so much fun & ornery, but always maintained true professionalism with her nursing. Her eyes just sparkled with a zest for life & her heart was filled with helping others in need of quality healthcare. I was truly saddened to learn of her passing as she was taken too soon, but I'll always cherish how beautiful & fun she was to be around. Fly high, my friend, & be assured, I'll watch for your signs.

Susie Whalen - January 29 at 11:07 AM

DO

“ *Jim, Jennifer and Megan, Steve and I are so very so for your loss! Keeping you all on our thoughts!*

Dorothy Overbey - January 31 at 01:05 PM

RP

“ *Shocked and saddened to hear of Sheri's passing. Sending heartfelt sympathy and prayers to her family and friends.*

Renee Steinlage Paulman

Renee Paulman - January 30 at 08:16 PM

NF

“ *North Topeka Fabrication purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Sheri Lee.*



North Topeka Fabrication - January 30 at 01:32 PM

MJ

“ Mike, Lydia, Bobby, Megan, Angie, Jake purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Sheri Lee.



Mike, Lydia, Bobby, Megan, Angie, Jake - January 30 at 10:50 AM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Sheri Lee.



January 29 at 02:35 PM



“ Paige, Jami, Brooke, and families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sheri Lee.

January 28 at 10:04 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Sheri Lee.



January 28 at 10:04 PM

JH

“ Jim so sorry to hear of Sheri’s passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

John Hanson - January 28 at 05:35 PM

KP

“ To the family - The opportunity to work with Sheri for many years was a fun ride - she touched so many lives. Patients quickly trusted and appreciated her and would rather talk to her than me! And her dry humor was so deeply funny. Coworkers loved her. She helped everyone around her - answered other nurse's phones and quick to help other doctors. And she was also unflappable no matter what. I thoroughly enjoyed working with her. She was a great Nurse and person - thinking of all of you. Kent Palmberg

Kent Palmberg - January 28 at 11:34 AM

SA

Jim I'm so sorry to read about Sherrie. She was a lovely lady. Hugs to the girls.
Love Sarah

Sarah - February 02 at 06:38 PM

KW

“ Sheri was the best nurse ever! I was a patient of Dr. Ricci for over 40 years, so I spoke with her and saw her a lot. She was so kind, caring, knowledgeable and fun loving. Loved our visits and wonderful chats! She will be so missed. God Speed, Sweet Sheri, God Speed ♡

Kathy Wade-Gordon - January 28 at 07:11 AM

BB

*Sheri was my co-worker for 25 years.
Her patients loved her and her co-workers admired her.
We had the best times over the years, lots of laughs.
She never hesitated to help fellow workers
I will miss her greatly. Thinking of
Of Jim, Jennifer, Megan, and the grandchildren.*

Becky Byrd - January 31 at 11:29 AM

DH

“*Sheri and I ran around together for years. Many stories of driving to Valley Falls, Hoyt, or Meriden to go to college classes at night. She always made me laugh. Working with her made the time go by quickly. Many Cotton Oneil parties, and going to the Dutch Goose after work. I hadn't seen her in years, but thought of her often. She will be missed. Sheri, rest in peace! You will sadly be missed.*

Debbie Heaney

Deborah Heaney - January 27 at 10:41 PM

AM

“*To the family of Sheri. I grew up with Sheri, my mom and Shirley were very good friends. We lived in the downstairs apartment and they lived in the upstairs apartment. We all did family things together and had family cook outs. We went to the Assumption School together. One would say we always were around each other. From her picture she looks the same as she did as a child. I recently found a picture of Sheri and it was just by chance that I found it. That picture brought back my childhood memories of Sheri. I will keep her and your family in my prayers. May the Perpetual Light Shine Upon You.*

Annette Munoz - January 27 at 08:43 PM

JL

“ So very sorry to hear this about Sheri. My heart goes out to her family and friends. I worked with her for a short period time and ran into her occasionally during dinner at Viking but still remember how funny she was... a bright light in the room always.

Jo Lorson - January 27 at 03:09 PM

MR

“ I worked with Sherri when she worked for Dr. Palmberg plus our daughters went to assumption the same grade always enjoyed Sherri. Very nice very kind. It was funny. We had a lot of good times. She will be missed by all.



Mary Ramirez - January 27 at 05:49 AM

DK

“ Sheri was the very best nurse - always friendly, patient, and kind. She made visiting the doctor an easier time. My condolences to Sheri's family, for your loss of a great woman. Heaven gained a true angel. Diane Keith

Diane Keith - January 26 at 10:06 PM

FD

“ It was so fun to work with Sheri & also have her as a friend. Always a smile. Always willing to help. You are going to be missed by so many. Rest in Peace now - fly high with the angels. Fran Delfs-Langer

Fran Delfs-Langer - January 26 at 08:35 PM

MM

“ I worked with Sheri for many years as a nurse and Although she worked in a very busy office she always answered the phone without letting it go to voicemail mail which says a lot about her integrity and compassion . She really cared about her patients and coworkers . May she Rest In Peace

martha monaghan - January 26 at 08:10 PM

DS

Oh so many wonderful memories about Sheri! We were friends and coworkers. Many laughs and fun times together. She was a great nurse always caring and supportive to all her patients. She will be dearly missed by all who knew her. Will always remember her warm and funny personality she would always make me chuckle whenever I talked to her. Rest in peace my friend!

Debby S - January 26 at 11:02 PM

KW

Sheri was my favorite nurse ever!! She always made me feel important. Being a patient of Dr. Ricci for over 40 years, I saw and talked to her a lot. She was do kind, caring , knowledgeable and fun. We laughed and joked at every visit I made. I am so very sorry for your loss of this incredible woman. I was so lucky to have her in my life. God Speed, Sweet Sheri, God Speed♥

Kathy Wade-Gordon - January 27 at 08:21 AM

LM

“ Love the WOW and the MOW planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Sheri Lee.

Love the WOW and the MOW - January 26 at 06:21 PM



“ *Love the WOW and the MOW purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Sheri Lee.*



Love the WOW and the MOW - January 26 at 06:21 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Sheri Lee.*



January 26 at 05:58 PM