



Tudi Brichacek

October 7, 1948 - June 22, 2019

Sue Ann “Tudi” Brichacek, 70, Topeka, Kansas, passed away Saturday, June 22, 2019.

Tudi was born October 7, 1948, in Blackwell, Oklahoma to Archie and Charlene Kriter McAlister. She attended Blackwell and Lindsay schools, graduated in 1966 from Healdton High School and attended Oklahoma City Beauty College. In 1972, Tudi married Johnny Fizer. To this union two children were born. She later married Russell Brichacek. They enjoyed more than 31 years together prior to his death, two months ago, April 20, 2019.

Tudi worked as a beautician for many years in Oklahoma. She also worked in the oil fields in the Dowell Oil Services office in Healdton. She held several positions after moving to Topeka in 1987 and retired as the administrative secretary for the Kansas School Board Association.

Tudi was “Booma” to her grandkids whom she loved dearly and who returned that love. They loved being with her. She was so much fun! She made friends everywhere she went and was known for her crazy sense of humor that just naturally drew people to her. If you had encountered Tudi you were a fan.

Grateful to have shared her life are her children, Jennifer Fizer-Neal (Clay Neal), Topeka and Jeff Fizer (Chasity), Meriden; grandchildren, Clayton Fizer,

Mayci Fizer, Maddie Neal, Mollie Neal and Kinley Fizer; great-granddaughter, Emerie Fizer; her mother, Charlene McAlister, Healdton, OK; and niece, Jami Wilson. Tudi was also preceded in death by her father and her sister, Marcy Wilson.

Tudi's family will greet friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. A Celebration of Tudi's Life will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Cremation will follow.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation in her memory to Helping Hands Humane Society or to Midland Care Hospice, sent in care of the funeral home.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **26**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home
2801 SW Urish Road
Topeka, KS 66614
(785) 272-7888
info@kevinbrennanfamily.com

A Celebration of Life

JUN **27**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Tudi Brichacek



Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home - June 27, 2019 at 01:35 PM



“ *Tudi Brichacek*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Tudi became my niece when she and Russ got married and added two more grandchildren to the family. She was such a joy to be around her, just didn't see them often enough. Our love and sympathy to Jennifer and Jeff and their families. I'll miss her wonderful sense of humor. Miss both her and Russ. Della and Hugh Hendrickson and family*

Della Hendrickson - June 27, 2019 at 01:19 PM



“ *Tudi was a great second Mom to me when I needed it the most. She will be missed. I'm praying for your family!*

Jennifer Walker - June 27, 2019 at 11:32 AM

GM

“ After 58 years of friendship with Tudi there are far too many memories to try to share just one. Suffice it to say Tudi was one of a kind!!

Gemma Meador - June 26, 2019 at 02:01 PM



“ I worked with Tudi at United Way. She was one in a million! Rest in peace, Tudi.

JoLana Dietz Pinon - June 26, 2019 at 07:58 AM

WC

“ With Love Forever, Mouse & Clinton purchased the Rose Garden Heart for the family of Tudi Brichacek.



With Love Forever, Mouse & Clinton - June 25, 2019 at 09:22 PM

VH

“ I worked with Tudi at United Way in Topeka. She was so much fun to be around. I have great memories of the funny things she said. We eventually moved to Oklahoma. I felt like a part of her was still there. It was comforting, since we didn't know a soul. Rest in peace sweet friend.

*Velma House
Norman, Oklahoma*

Velma HOUSE - June 25, 2019 at 06:19 PM

JA

“ Tudi visited Dillon's on 29th and Urish almost every night. I work out in the fuel center and for almost 2 years she came to visit, ask how me and my children were doing, and we got to know each other. My shift has not been or never will be the same without Tudi. She will be missed, My condolences to her family and friends.

Jamie - June 25, 2019 at 05:30 PM

AS

“ I had the honor of working with Tudi at the Kansas Association of School Boards for several years. She had a wonderful sense of humor, an infectious laugh, and went above and beyond to make sure that every one of our members calling for help got it as soon as possible. I miss our chats very much, and I can only imagine what kind of a void her passing leaves for your family. Thank you so much for sharing Tudi with us, and please know we are all thinking of you and Tudi in the days and weeks to come.

Sincerely,
Angie Stallbaumer

Angela Stallbaumer - June 25, 2019 at 03:20 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tudi Brichacek.



June 25, 2019 at 02:26 PM

JF

“ Jennifer,
I am so very sorry to hear this news. I will keep you and your family
in my prayers.
Joyce Fergel

Joyce Fergel - June 25, 2019 at 09:43 AM

SM

Jennifer and Jeff, so sorry for your loss. Tudi was so much fun and
vibrant, she be missed by all who knew her. You and your families are
in my prayers.

Shari Monroe - June 25, 2019 at 04:58 PM

PG

“ I worked with Tudi. She was a joy to be around. May she Rest In
Peace. Shanti...

Paul Getto - June 25, 2019 at 08:05 AM

CK

“ I am sad this happened. She had a real love for her
family, friends, and life. She now lives on through her
kids, grandkids, and friends. She has touched so many with her since
of humor and kindness.

carol kimery - June 24, 2019 at 02:04 PM

CH

“ Tudi's family and mine were life long friends all the way back to our grandparents living close together on their farms outside of Blackwell. We grew up together closely until Tudi had to move to Lindsey and we were crushed! Tudi being Tudi quickly made lots of friends , we never lost touch and almost twenty years later, we moved to Okla. City together to go to beauty college.. What fun we had!! Tudi could always make me laugh and feel better no matter what. I have some wonderful memories that span 70 years!! I regret that we weren't in touch enough these last few years. I will miss her every day as I'm sure you all will too. I loved her dearly, she was the sister I never had! I will be thinking of all of you! May God comfort you now Candice Pennington Harraman

Candice Harraman - June 24, 2019 at 11:35 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Tudi Brichacek.



June 24, 2019 at 10:06 AM

NK

“ Tudi and I were great friends in Healdton. The only problem was she and I used to get a “crush” on the same boy's, until I lucked out and she started having a crush on my brother, Ted, who has also passed away! She was truly a funny, witty and , most of all, GREAT friend. I loved her very much. God bless her family. Sincerely,
Nancy Gosney Kendig

Nancy Gosney Kendig - June 24, 2019 at 01:48 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Tudi Brichacek.*



June 23, 2019 at 08:58 PM