



## Lana Davis

April 24, 1948 - April 9, 2011

DAVIS, Lana K. (Cunningham), 62, of Kearney died Saturday, April 9, 2011, at Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney. Memorial services will be at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, April 16, 2011, at Family of Christ Lutheran Church in Kearney with Pastor John Gosswein officiating. Interment will be at a later date. Memorials are suggested to Family of Christ Lutheran Church on behalf of the Steven P. and Lana K. Davis Memorial Fund. Arrangements are being managed by O'Brien - Straatmann Funeral Home of Kearney. Online condolences or personal reflections may be submitted at [www.osafh.com](http://www.osafh.com). Lana Kay Davis was born April 24, 1948, in Grand Island, Nebraska, to Ivan and Shirley (McCray) Cunningham. Lana, the eldest of eight children, grew up on a farm outside of Fullerton, in Nance County, Nebraska. She graduated from Fullerton High School in 1966 and was united in marriage on January 17, 1970, to Steven P. Davis in Columbus, Nebraska. She graduated from Kearney State College in 1970 and that same year became a Kearney Public Schools teacher at Bryant Elementary for 35 years, until her retirement in 2005. She was an active member of Family of Christ Lutheran Church. She enjoyed being a foster parent, tutoring children in reading, and expanding her collection of giraffe figurines. Thank you to the family, friends, students and foster children who touched and were touched by Lana's life. Survivors include her son, Phil, and daughter-in-law, Jennifer, of Fort Smith, Arkansas; her son, Seth, daughter-in-law, Kathleen, and grand-daughter, Freya, of Saint Louis; her mother of Fullerton; brothers James of Kearney, Jeffrey of San

Diego, California, and Matthew of Fullerton; and, sisters Carol of Elkhorn, Jeanne of Kearney, and Julia of Alma. Her father, sister, Mary, and husband preceded her in death.

# Tribute Wall



“ Lana Davis

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ Dear Phil, Seth and familiy relatives, I was saddened to hear of your mother's passing. I was hoping to pass through there on a trip to Iowa later this year. It is hard to fine words.... but I will you all the best adapting to your loss. Sincerely, Larry Nelson 303-537-5126 (I moved to Denver)

Larry Nelson - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. She was a wonderful, patient woman who gave her heart to others. Please know that I am thinking of you and those who were close to her,

Jill Stump - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ Dear Lana's Family: I worked with Lana & Steve for many years as their foster care social worker. They were exceptional people, tolerate and caring of the many foster families whose children were placed in their home. They had unique characteristics and abilities and shared some of them with me thru the years. God Bless the loved ones they left behind. May you fine comfort in the memories you shared with Lana and Steve.

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