



Mary K. Osterberg

August 25, 1954 - May 7, 2017

Mary Osterberg, 62
Axtell resident

Mary Osterberg, 62, of Axtell died Sunday, May 7, 2017 at the Phelps County Memorial Hospital in Holdrege. Funeral Services will be 1:30 pm Friday, May 12, 2017 at the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney with the Pastor John Gosswein officiating. Interment will follow at the Kearney Cemetery. Visitation will be 4:00 to 6:00 pm on Thursday and one hour prior to the service at the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home.

Memorials are suggested to MOSAIC Bethphage Village of Axtell.

Condolences may be shared at www.osrfh.com. O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Mary Karis Osterberg was born August 25, 1954 in Wessington Springs, South Dakota to Myron and Eva (Spencer) Osterberg. She spent most of her life in Kearney before moving to Mosaic in October of 2002. Mary enjoyed collecting ribbons and Valentines, books and pencils. She loved listening to music and was singing before she could even speak. Mary new nothing but unconditional love for those she met.

Survivors include her sisters Becky (Ron) Hilligas of Fairbury and Judy

(Richard) Carver of Bellevue, NE; brother Michael (Robin) Osterberg of Kearney; nieces and nephews Heidi (Brandon) Copeland, Levi (Leanne) Hilligas, Aaron Hilligas, Luke Osterberg, Molly Osterberg; great nephew Henry Copeland; 3 aunts, 1 uncle and several cousins;

Mary was preceded in death by her parents; and an infant sister Agnes Kay Osterberg.

Cemetery Details

Kearney Cemetery

4400 Avenue I
Kearney, NE 68847
(308) 233-3244

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations
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Funeral Service

MAY 12. 1:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary K. Osterberg*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Mary will be greatly missed. I worked with her for a few years around 2006 at Mosaic. My favorite memories are sitting with her, watching the birds in our aviary. She loved telling me all of their names and what each one liked. We would read story books and act out the roles. She loved listening to music, dancing, and coloring-- anything active and creative! And church with Pastor John! Can't forget about that, she never missed a Sunday, always in the front row singing along!! Mary will always hold a piece of my heart! <3*

Jenna Josjor - May 11, 2017 at 11:39 PM



“ *Luke Kennedy Osterberg purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mary K. Osterberg.*

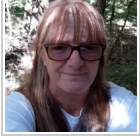


Luke Kennedy Osterberg - May 11, 2017 at 01:23 PM



“ *Our deepest sympathies to all the family of Mary. She is free of her disability and I imagine her running through fields of flowers!
RIP Mary*

Joyce L Peterson - May 11, 2017 at 12:01 PM



“ *I worked with mary for years at mosaic,she was a wonderful woman and had a gift to make everyone feel happy. She loved going to the zoo and seeing all the animals and she loved her clothes basket and helping do her own laundry. She was a breath of fresh air and i will miss her greatly. Knowing you are in Gods hands and care will hopefully bring a peace to family and all who love you Mary!*

Lucy Elliott - May 11, 2017 at 04:22 AM

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“ *It's probably been 40 years since we first met Mary in her Sunday School class at First Christian Church. We remember her quiet and sweet way of greeting us. We are sorry for your loss. Jack and Becky Wilkins*

Becky Wilkins - May 10, 2017 at 06:25 PM

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“ *Becky & family - So sorry for the loss of your beloved sister. You are in our prayers. Kim (Holmes) Sheldon*



Kim Sheldon - May 10, 2017 at 02:09 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary K. Osterberg.*



May 10, 2017 at 01:20 PM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of
Mary K. Osterberg.



May 08, 2017 at 11:17 PM