



## Sherri Banks

March 19, 1955 - August 10, 2018

Sherri Banks, 63  
Kearney resident

Sherri Banks, 63 of Kearney died Friday, August 10, 2018 at her home. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held 10:30 am Thursday at St. James Catholic Church. Father Joe Hannappel will officiate. Interment will follow at Kearney Cemetery. A Rosary will be held 4:30 pm Wednesday at the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home followed by a vigil/prayer service beginning at 5:00 pm.

Sherri was born March 19, 1955 to Eddie and Evelyn (Lonowski) Gappa. She was raised in Ravenna and graduated from Ravenna High School in 1973. Sherri went on to earn a business management degree from the University of Nebraska-Kearney.

Sherri was united in marriage to Stan Banks on January 19, 1975 at Lady of Lords Catholic Church, a marriage which lasted 43 years. She had worked for several business in Kearney. Her favorite job for many years was Target. Sherri enjoyed attending her many activities with family and her grandchildren. She also enjoyed attending church and was active in several different committees including prayer group. Sherri will be remembered for her sense

of humor and style of playing cards and her love for life. She was a very devoted wife, mother and grandmother.

Sherri is survived by her husband Stan; daughter Misty Banks Cleary and husband Mike and their three daughters Meghan, Madison and Mackenzie; son Nathan Banks; mother Evelyn Gappa; brother Ken Gappa and wife Dorothy, Howard Gappa and wife Monica, Danny Gappa and wife Beth; as well as many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Sherri was preceded by her father; three nephews, a niece and her grandparents.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the Head and Neck Oncology Team at Methodist Hospital. Condolences may be shared online at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com). Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

# Cemetery Details

## Kearney Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Vigil / Prayer Service

AUG 15. 4:30 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations  
4115 Ave N  
Kearney, NE 68847  
(308) 234-3500  
info@osrfh.com  
<https://www.osrfh.com>

## Mass of Christian Burial

AUG 16. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. James Catholic Church  
3801 Avenue A  
Kearney, NE 68847

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sherri Banks*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Bernie And Brenda Johnson-Judd lit a candle  
in memory of Sherri Banks*



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**Bernie and Brenda Johnson-Judd** - August 13, 2018 at 07:36 PM



“ *We will miss you Sherri especially when it come to you playing  
cards. You and Grsndpa Pete and your Grandma are probably play  
already. You were always so positive and so very strong. Peace be  
with you and love you. Ray and Donna*

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**Donna McLaughlin** - August 13, 2018 at 04:56 PM