

## Kay Frances Rowden

March 12, 1937 - November 29, 2022

Kay Frances Rowden, daughter of the late Francis D. Vance and Dollie (Head) Vance, was born March 12, 1937, in St. Louis, Missouri.

Kay was blessed with three children: Terry, Steve, and Kathy. She loved them dearly and took great pride in providing for them. She drove a school bus for at least 45 years and still came home every day and put a home-cooked meal on the table for her family.

In her spare time, Kay was an avid quilter and enjoyed making quilts for her family and friends. She also loved to plant flowers and she put out a vegetable garden every year.

Kay passed away Tuesday, November 29, 2022, in St. Luke's Hospice House in Kansas City, Missouri having attained the age of 85 years. She will be sadly missed, but fondly remembered by all those that knew and loved her.

She leaves to cherish her memory, her three children, Terry Rowden (Sheryl) of Kansas City, MO, Steve Rowden of Marshalltown, IA, and Kathy Rowden of Kansas City, MO; seven grandchildren: Kristin, Travis, Maggie, Katie, Booklyn, Patrick, and Andrew; eight great-grandchildren: Justice, Know, Chandler, Nola, Camden, Cecilia, Aston, and Declan; a number of nieces and nephews; as well as a host of other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents, Kay was preceded in death by two brothers: John and Roy Vance, and one sister: Juanita Rowden.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 7, 2022, in the Memorial Chapel of Richland with Wayne Anderson officiating. Kay's granddaughter also shared her special memories of her beloved grandmother. Serving as escorts were Terry Rowden, Steve Rowden, Travis Rowden, Patrick Devero, Andrew Devero, and Randy Vance. Burial followed in the Oaklawn Cemetery of Richland.

Services were under the care and direction of Memorial Chapel of Richland.

Contributions in memory of Kay Rowden can be made and left at Memorial Chapel.

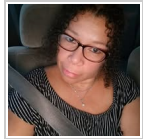
Online condolences can be sent at [www.memorialchapelsandcrematory.com](http://www.memorialchapelsandcrematory.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Kay Frances Rowden*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *Odell Nicole lit a candle in memory of Kay Rowden*



**Odell Nicole** - December 05, 2022 at 12:19 PM



“ *Pulaski Camp Gideons lit a candle in memory of Kay Rowden*



**Pulaski County Camp Gideons** - December 05, 2022 at 10:52 AM