



## Oleta Kay Schooley

March 2, 1945 - October 27, 2016

Oleta Kay (Hazen) Schooley, age 71, of Topeka, KS passed away Thursday, October 27, 2016 in Topeka. Oleta was born on March 2, 1945 in Chanute, KS, the daughter of Oren William Hazen and Faye Lenora (Peacock) Pruitt.

Oleta married Donald Lewis Schooley on April 19, 1963 in Chanute and they celebrated 53 years of marriage this year. Oleta loved to quilting and when she was not quilting, she was spending time with her grandkids.

She worked in the banking industry for 32 years and was with Community National Bank for 19 years as Executive VP- Cashier. Oleta was a board member and president of the Chanute Chamber of Commerce. She was one of the founding members of the Chanute Main Street and also served as president and board member. Oleta was also a member of the Chanute Rotary Club, Business and Professional Woman's Foundation and was an active member at the Church of the Nazarene in Chanute.

Oleta is survived by:

Husband:

Donald Schooley of Topeka, KS

Sons:

Derrell Schooley of Topeka, KS

David Schooley and wife Cynthia Roberts of Olathe, KS

Brothers:

Earl Pruitt and wife Carolyn of Chanute, KS

Roger Pruitt and wife Jeannette of Chanute, KS

Sister:

Earla Allen and husband Robert of Chanute, KS

Two Grandchildren:

Aaron and Tyler Schooley of Olathe, KS

Oleta was preceded in death by her parents and three siblings, Otheda Hartin, Leon Hazen and Lonnie Hazen.

A visitation will be held on Monday, October 31, 2016 from 5-7 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home Johnson Chapel on 101 N. Highland in Chanute. Funeral service will be held on Tuesday, November 1, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. at the Johnson Chapel in Chanute, KS. Interment will follow at Mt. Hope Cemetery in Humboldt, KS. Online condolences may be left at: [www.countrysidedefh.com](http://www.countrysidedefh.com). Family request memorials to the National Stroke Association or American Diabetes Association and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Services have been entrusted to: Countryside Funeral Home 16 N Forest, Chanute, KS 66720.

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Hope Cemetery

1282 Hawaii Rd.  
Humboldt, KS

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **31**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Johnson Chapel  
101 N. Highland  
Chanute, KS 66720  
(620) 431-1220  
<https://www.countrysidefh.com>

## Service

NOV **1**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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101 N. Highland  
Chanute, KS 66720  
(620) 431-1220  
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# Tribute Wall

LC

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I have fond memories of the time I work for your family with Oleta. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

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**Lisa (Morgan) Culbertson** - November 15, 2016 at 02:26 PM

RP

“ I visited Oleta when she was in the hospital and a few times at Brewster. A beautiful lady, inside and out. Sorry for your loss.

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**Roger Jackson, Chaplain Brewster Place** - November 01, 2016 at 10:24 AM

GH

“ I remember going through a Dale Carnegie class with Oleta. She was a great Christian lady!

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**Gary Hawkinson** - November 01, 2016 at 10:15 AM

CH

“ I had the pleasure of working with Oleta at the Bank of Commerce. She had a wonderful sense of humor and made every day enjoyable. Oleta was a wonderful woman who loved her family dearly. The family is in my prayers...I am so sorry for your loss.

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**Carolyn Heenan** - November 01, 2016 at 06:42 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Oleta Kay Schooley.



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October 30, 2016 at 05:57 PM

FS

“ *Oleta was a very nice lady. I worked with her and she was nice. Hard worker. She will be missed. So sorry for your loss.* ”

Francie Simmons - October 29, 2016 at 02:56 PM

DE

“ *David Elder lit a candle in memory of Oleta Kay Schooley* ”



David Elder - October 29, 2016 at 11:04 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Oleta Kay Schooley.* ”



October 28, 2016 at 11:19 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Oleta Kay Schooley.* ”



October 28, 2016 at 11:08 PM

BG

“ *Condolences and prayers for Schooley family.* ”

Beverly Gordon - October 28, 2016 at 10:39 PM