



## Rex T. Vinette

September 15, 1951 - January 12, 2024

Rex T. Vinette passed away in Topeka, Kansas on January 12, 2024.

Rex was born September 15, 1951 in Winfield, Kansas to Darrel H. Vinette and Helen Thornton. He graduated from Howard High in 1969. He graduated from Emporia State University with a teaching degree, but worked as a carpenter. On September 20, 1980, he married Jane L. Vinette. Together they had a daughter, Rachael Vinette Parris and one granddaughter, Elizabeth “EJ” Parris.

Rex has three sisters, Mary Elliott, Jeanne Bjorklund and Janet Vinette. He has one niece, Ann Marie Riccomini and four nephews, Danny Stauffer, Mark Stauffer, Jonathan Stauffer, and Taylor Lapardo. Rex also has great nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father Darrel Vinette, his mother Helen, two brothers Darrel and Robert Vinette, a brother-in-law Mike Elliott, a son-in-law Stuart “Matt” Parris, as well as other family members.

Funeral services for Rex will be held at 10:30 AM on Thursday, January 18, 2024 at Countryside Funeral Home in Howard, KS. The family will receive friends at visitation from 9:30 to 10:30 AM prior to the service.

Due to weather conditions, the family requests not to go to the cemetery for interment.

In lieu of flowers, you can donate in Rex's name to the NRA (National Rifle Association) or Shawnee County Helping Hands Humane Society in Topeka, and they may be mailed to or left with the funeral home.

Services entrusted to Countryside Funeral Home, 206 E. Washington, PO Box 1233, Howard, KS 67349

# Cemetery Details

## Grace Lawn Cemetery

Howard, KS 67349

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 18. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Howard  
206 E. Washington  
P.O. Box 1233  
Howard, KS 67349  
(620) 374-2381

## Service

JAN 18. 10:30 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

AF

“ *I have many fond memories of Rex as a friend and classmate. Condolences to his family.* ”



Ava DeLong Farid - January 18, 2024 at 10:34 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Rex Service video ”



Countryside Funeral Home - January 18, 2024 at 03:36 PM

PR

“ *Space does not allow the times Rex and Robert and myself had coffee/chat at Toots. I definitely will miss his presence. Prayers for the family and his sisters* ”



Pastor Robin - January 17, 2024 at 05:23 PM

DK

“ *Debra K. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Rex T. Vinette.* ”



Debra K. - January 17, 2024 at 05:18 PM

DK

“ Debra K. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rex T. Vinette.

Debra K. - January 17, 2024 at 05:18 PM

BF

“ Bill Ames & Family purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Rex T. Vinette.



Bill Ames & Family - January 17, 2024 at 03:50 PM

SA

“ To a great carpenter, hunter, fisherman and most of all a trusted friend. I will always remember those days in Howard. Rest in peace brother.

Steven Alfrey - January 17, 2024 at 01:52 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Rex T. Vinette.



January 17, 2024 at 10:46 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Rex T. Vinette.*



January 16, 2024 at 08:41 AM



“ *Kaye Yates lit a candle in memory of Rex Vinette*



**Kaye Spurrier Yates** - January 15, 2024 at 11:20 PM



“ *Your loving sisters and families purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Rex T. Vinette.*



**Your loving sisters and families** - January 15, 2024 at 07:51 PM



“ *A wonderful person and friend. You will be missed.*



**Robert Nungesser** - January 15, 2024 at 07:01 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rex T. Vinette.* ”



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January 15, 2024 at 06:04 PM