



Sheila Joy Dodds

January 18, 1943 - October 9, 2019

Sheila Joy (Bartel) Dodds, age 76, of Howard, KS passed away October 9, 2019 at her home surrounded by family.

Sheila was born January 18, 1943 in LaJunta, CO to Adolph and Ellen Fern (Weinbrenner) Bartel. At an early age, the family moved to Wichita, KS, where she attended school, graduating from West High School in 1961.

On March 28, 1965, Sheila married John Dodds. They spent 34 years together until his death in 1999. She worked for the City of Wichita as a secretary, retiring after 30 years.

Sheila loved to shoot guns, read romance novels, and spending time at home on the farm near Howard. She was a huge animal lover, especially dogs. She loved spending time with her family, and recently took a trip to Alaska with one of her grandchildren. Sheila didn't attend a specific church, but her Christian faith was unmistakable.

Sheila is survived by her children:

John Dodds and wife Linda of Augusta, KS

Kent Dodds and wife Danielle of Andover, KS

Lori Brown of Wichita, KS

Grandchildren:

Kari Windholz

Christopher Slater and wife Terayn

Amanda Dodds

Heather Weaver and husband Eric

Great-Grandchildren:

Jesse, Kolby, Lexi, and Gage

Brother: Lonnie Bartel of Cordes Lakes, AZ

She was preceded in death by her parents, and husband John.

Cremation has been requested, and per Sheila's wishes, no services are planned at this time.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be made in Sheila's name to the Kansas Humane Society and can be left with or mailed to the funeral home.

Online condolences can be left online at www.countrysidefh.com

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

Tribute Wall

BR

“ *Just posted a Memory but my last name should read Bob Raux*

Bob Raux - December 22, 2020 at 03:22 AM

BR

“ *I feel bad that just now I found out about Sheila's passing. We became friends through Facebook and spent many hours and late nights chatting. A delightful and independent woman with a lot of compassion.*

Her and I had a lot in common in regards to our love of early American furniture. She is the only person I know who has an identical rocking chair as mine complete with carved feet on the rockers.

Will miss you Sheila but think of you caring for all of the fur babies in Heaven.

Not goodbye, but see you later.....

Bob Raix - December 22, 2020 at 03:20 AM

MP

“ *Sheila was beautiful inside and out, very kind and welcoming (although...not so much to "country critters" that often paid her and her fur babies an unwelcome "visit"), and had a sense of humor that was out of this world!. I have referred to her as my best buddy since we met and became friends 25 years ago at work, and I'll never forget the laughs we would share whenever we met for lunch or dinner over the years. Sheila will forever have a special place in my heart, and will be very sorely missed...until we meet again.*

I love you, Buddy!

Michelle Patton - October 19, 2019 at 02:09 AM

MP

“ Michelle & Terry Patton lit a candle in memory of Sheila Joy Dodds



Michelle & Terry Patton - October 19, 2019 at 01:19 AM

DS

“ Oh, Sheila. Now the youngest(Steve) and the oldest (Shelia) of the cousins are gone. Take care of him. And say hello to everyone. Fly with the angels!

debbie seibert - October 12, 2019 at 02:43 PM



“ I'm sure there are no spiders in heaven. RIP my friend. RIP. Judie Ellis

Judie Ellis - October 10, 2019 at 11:56 PM

JB

“ Such a sweet and kind soul. RIP dear Sheila



Jan Baxter - October 10, 2019 at 06:23 PM

TB

“ *The Lunch Bunch has been blessed to have been together over 30 years since our days at City Hall. On September 23rd we visited Sheila Dodds one last time in Howard, KS. Be at peace our friend. You are loved.*



With Deepest Love

The Lunch Bunch

(Nancy Sherbondy, Maryann Crockett, Linda Stanbrough, Carla Shull, Carla Burgardt, Carrie Bridges, Becky Bouska)

The Lunch Bunch - October 10, 2019 at 06:20 PM

TB

“ *The Lunch Bunch lit a candle in memory of Sheila Joy Dodds*



The Lunch Bunch - October 10, 2019 at 05:53 PM

MM

“ *My dear twin, will miss you so much...till we meet again, then we will have some fun haunting and spooking everyone.as we planned. Love you my friend.*

Maria Macias - October 10, 2019 at 01:18 PM

CC

“ *Chip&Nancy Crum lit a candle in memory of Sheila Joy Dodds*



Chip&Nancy Crum - October 09, 2019 at 09:58 PM

MG

She was a great lady. She will be missed


Mitchell Garner - October 10, 2019 at 09:50 PM

EH

“ *You were a great co-worker and buddy. And thanks for being a great "straight man." We had a ton of laughs--way too much fun for being at work. I'll miss you.*

*Godspeed,
Elaine*

Elaine Hammons - October 09, 2019 at 09:48 PM


Rhonda
Grimes

“ *Rest in Peace dear Sheila. My heart is saddened but I know who's arms are around you now. Fly free my friend and until we meet again, know that I love you.*



Rhonda Grimes - October 09, 2019 at 07:33 PM

JH

“ *So sorry to hear that Sheila has left us. She was always fun to see and to visit with. Loved having her as a Facebook friend. She will be greatly missed. Janet Harrington*

Janet Harrington - October 09, 2019 at 06:28 PM

AC

“ *Sheila will be missed. A beauty inside and out, our world needs more kind-hearted people like her. We send our condolences to her family and friends and rejoice knowing that she will spend eternity with our Lord Jesus.*

Aimee and Steve Cook - October 09, 2019 at 05:06 PM

AC

“ *Aimee And Steve Cook lit a candle in memory of Sheila Joy Dodds*



Aimee and Steve Cook - October 09, 2019 at 04:54 PM