



Mary Lou Kent

May 24, 2014

Mary Lou Kent, age 57, of Frankford, passed away Saturday, May 24, 2014 at her residence surrounded by her family. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 pm on Wednesday, May 28, 2014 at the Mudd-Veach Funeral Home in Bowling Green with Rev. John Birkhead officiating. Burial will be in the Fairview Cemetery in Frankford. Visitation will be held from 4:00 pm until 7:00 pm on Tuesday, May 27, at the funeral home.

She was born June 10, 1956 in Hannibal, the daughter of William E. and Nelda Ruth Harlinger Rogers Baker. She married Donald Gene Kent April 28, 1973 at the Salt River Christian Church.

Survivors include her parents Bill and Ruth Baker of New London; husband Donald Kent of Frankford; son Ryan Kent and wife Leisha of Bowling Green; daughter Alaina and husband Joe Lawrence of Bowling Green; 8 grandchildren, Landon, Haydon, Layne, Malia, Gentry and Avila Kent, Jack and Tessa Lawrence; brother Bruce Baker and wife Bettye of University City, FL; sisters Lois Swon and husband David of New London, Pam Matson and husband Larry of New London and Penny Nesbitt and JD Overstreet of Hannibal; special Aunt, Joan Klise and husband Billy Joe of New London; numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by an infant daughter, Elizabeth Renay Kent.

Mary was born and raised in New London, graduating from Mark Twain High School. She worked as a graphic artist for Golden Eagle Distributing. She was a Christian, enjoyed reading, shopping and working on cross word puzzles. She loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers will be Greg Ellis, Gregg Kent, James (Willie) Willis, David Houchins, Enoch Matson and Steve Houchins. Serving as honorary pallbearers will be her grandchildren Landon, Haydon, Layne, Malia, Gentry and Avila Kent, Jack and Tessa Lawrence.

Memorials may be made to the Community Loving Care Hospice.

Tribute Wall

JW

“ prayers for all, Mary now has her wings, she is pain free and smiling, RIP

joy weiss - June 25, 2015 at 02:28 PM

LE

“ Our lost is Heavens gain she will truly be missed by all, she loved her family with all her heart .Memories will keep us strong until we meet again rest in peace sweet lady !!

Lora Emmons - June 25, 2015 at 02:28 PM

BB

“ You all are in our thoughts and prayers.

Bonham and Joyce Bibb - June 25, 2015 at 02:28 PM

CM

“ I am so sorry to hear about Mary. I have a lot of fond memories of her and I. She always had a way of making you smile and laugh when you were around her. My prayers are with you and your family.

Cheryl McMillen - June 25, 2015 at 02:27 PM

CF

“ So sorry for your loss ! Your family is in our prayers.

Curt Foster - June 25, 2015 at 02:27 PM

TH

“ We are very sorry for your loss, your entire family is in our prayers.

Tammy & Bob Hogan - June 25, 2015 at 02:27 PM

GM

“ *Your family is in our prayers. She had a way of lighting up a room with her smile, especially when watching her grandkids.*

Greg and Missy - June 25, 2015 at 02:27 PM

TW

“ *Donald, Ryan and Alaina - We are so sorry for your loss. Mary was one of the most caring and fun-loving people we have ever known. Take comfort in knowing that she is now free from pain. Praying for God to help ease your pain now.*

Ted & Terri Welch - June 25, 2015 at 02:26 PM

DI

“ *Donald, Ryan and Alaina, I was sorry to hear of Mary's passing. She was a wonderful lady and I know she will be greatly missed. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers!!*

Deb Ireland - June 25, 2015 at 02:26 PM

TS

“ *Donald, you are in my thoughts and prayers. God bless you.*

Talley Saucier - June 25, 2015 at 02:26 PM

TT

“ *So sorry for your loss*

Tonya Teasley - June 25, 2015 at 02:26 PM

DR

“ Donald & Family -
Sending heartfelt sympathy ... all of you are in our hearts and
prayers.
Donna Willis Reich & Family

Donna Willis Reich - June 25, 2015 at 02:25 PM

CL

“ We are so sorry for your loss.
Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers

Clarence & Marilyn Lucas - June 25, 2015 at 02:25 PM

BF

“ Donald, I am so very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers
are with you and your family.

Billie Fohey - June 25, 2015 at 02:25 PM

KL

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Mary. I didn't know her well,
but from what I did, she was a wonderful, fun-loving person. I met
her about 45 years ago, through my cousins, the Parson's. I am
sure she will be greatly missed. May God wrap His loving arms
around you at this time!

Kathy Nemes Locke - June 25, 2015 at 02:25 PM

JS

“ SORRY FOR THE LOSS YOU AND THE FAMILY ARE IN OUR
PRAYERS

JOE STOVER - June 25, 2015 at 02:24 PM

RC

“ Donald and family, and Bill and Ruth,
So sorry for your loss. Mary Lou and I had a lot of good times as
kids. It was only a few short weeks ago that I saw you, Bill and
Ruth. Know that we are praying for you and asking for the Lord
Jesus to provide the peace that only He can provide.

Roger and Dana Carter - June 25, 2015 at 02:24 PM

BH

“ Donald, you and your family have my deepest sympathy at this
time. I join in with all those who are praying for you and your family.

Becky Hamilton - June 25, 2015 at 02:24 PM

SG

“ Donald, so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you
and your family during this time.

Sherry Givan - June 25, 2015 at 02:24 PM

AT

“ I’m Free”

*Don’t grieve for me, for now I’m free
I’m following the path God laid for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call:
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day,
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way.
I found that peace at the close of the day.*

*If my parting has left a void,
Then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss;
Oh yes, these things I too, will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow;
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow;
My life’s been full, I’ve savored much;
Good friends, good times,
a loved one’s touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief.
Don’t lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts and share with me
God wanted me now, He set me free.*

Ann Hawkins Thomas - June 25, 2015 at 02:24 PM

DK

“ Many Prayers for all of you. May the Grace of God bring peace and comfort to each of you.

Dwight Klise - June 25, 2015 at 02:23 PM

BC

“ Donald, Ryan, Alaina & family,

Sorry to hear about Mary. It's never easy. My prayers are with you and your family.

"What we have once enjoyed, we can never lose. All that we love deeply becomes part of us." -Helen Keller

Bob Hudson, Pueblo, Colorado - June 25, 2015 at 02:23 PM

CR

“ Kent Family-

We are so sorry to have learned about Mary's passing. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. May you find peace knowing that she is no longer in pain and is at rest. She will be missed.

-Kent, Crissy (Riesenbeck) & Lainey Spratt

Crissy Rlesenbeck-Spratt - June 25, 2015 at 02:23 PM

MT

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. My mother (Shirley Fox) adored Mary and will watch for her I am sure. Godspeed Home Mary...no more pain and struggle.Keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.*

Mel Turner - June 25, 2015 at 02:20 PM

BO

“ *Donald, I am so sorry for your loss. the path isn't easy, but you can do it!*

Becky Schindler Orr - June 25, 2015 at 02:20 PM

SW

“ *I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I went to school with Mary.
Prayers for your family.*

Susan Williamson - June 25, 2015 at 02:20 PM