



## Pamela Delores Kelch

October 14, 1948 - February 20, 2022

Pamela Delores Kelch, 73, of Bowling Green, passed away Sunday, February 20, 2022 at her home.

Cremation rites are under the direction of Bibb-Veach Funeral Homes & Crematory.

Pamela was born October 14, 1948 in Louisiana, Missouri to Robert and Helen Orf Leake. She was united in marriage to Leslie Eugene Kelch on September 28, 1968 at St. Joseph Church in Louisiana, as St. Clement Church was under construction. Les survives.

Also surviving are children Nichelle Fehr (Bill) of St. Louis, Rob Kelch of St. Louis, and Janelle Stepetin (Tony) of O'Fallon; grandchildren: Taylor, Emily, Branden, Jayce, Jordyn, Mackenzie, and Quinn; sisters, Pat Kerns (Bill) of Hannibal and Carolyn Rathburn (Bob) of Bowling Green; along with many nieces and nephews.

Pamela was preceded in death by her parents; and a nephew, Thadd Kerns.

Pamela grew up in St. Clement and attended St. Clement Elementary School. She graduated Bowling Green High School in 1966. Pamela lived in Pike County most of her life. Pamela worked in energy and therapy. She was a

member of St. Clement Catholic Church.

# Tribute Wall

SO

“ I am so sorry Les. Pam was someone, although we didn't cross paths frequently, we had an instant connection always. She is one of the wisest women I've met. She helped me heal many parts of my brokenness. She was truly a woman of God. I am so grateful to have been blessed to call her friend. You will all be in my prayers. --  
Sarah O'Brien

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**Sarah Obrien** - February 28, 2022 at 06:52 AM

PP

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of Pam's family. She was a an excellent nurse and a wonderful nursing instructor at PLTC. Her legacy will live on in all the lives she has touched.  
Paulette and Tom Powelson

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**Paulette Powelson** - February 25, 2022 at 04:35 PM

JA

“ So sorry to hear of your loss of Pam. May the Lord bless and keep you through this difficult time. Blessing to you and your family Les.  
John and Sandra Allen

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**John & Sandra Allen** - February 25, 2022 at 11:32 AM

FG

“ We are so sorry to hear of Pam's passing. Les and the whole family are in our prayers

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**Fred and Crystal Graver** - February 24, 2022 at 09:28 PM

KK

“ *Kathy Kelch lit a candle in memory of Pamela Delores Kelch*



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**Kathy Kelch** - February 24, 2022 at 11:23 AM

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*Prayers for the family*

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**Kathy Kelch** - February 24, 2022 at 11:24 AM

GB

“ *Gail Branstetter lit a candle in memory of Pamela Delores Kelch*



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**Gail Branstetter** - February 22, 2022 at 10:56 PM

DA

“ *Dennis And Barb Allison lit a candle in memory of Pamela Delores Kelch*



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**Dennis and Barb Allison** - February 22, 2022 at 07:13 PM

CR

“ *Candy Reading lit a candle in memory of Pamela Delores Kelch*



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**Candy Reading** - February 22, 2022 at 07:04 PM

CK

“ *Charlotte Koch lit a candle in memory of Pamela Delores Kelch*



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**Charlotte Koch** - February 22, 2022 at 02:23 PM

MC

“ *I was friends with Nichelle in high school so I definitely knew Pam. My prayers are with her family and friends during this difficult time.*

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**Marsha Collins** - February 22, 2022 at 01:17 PM

CG

“ *Mrs Kelch was one of my instructors at Pike Lincoln in the LPN class...she was an amazing teacher..!! Reading the nurses who have posted on here ...makes me think of the many lives she has touched through the nurses she taught.!! Prayers to the family..and thank you for sharing her with us.!!*

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**Cathy Griffith** - February 22, 2022 at 09:42 AM

KB

“ I am so sorry to hear this. I was a 1989 graduate of the Pike Lincoln Technical Center LPN program. She was the lead Nursing instructor. I learned so much from her that I went on to use in my career at the Truman VA Hospital. She was a great lady. Sending prayers of comfort for the family.

Kelly J Blankenship - February 22, 2022 at 12:55 AM

VR

I am sorry to hear this, I have thought about Mrs. Kelch over the years. I also was a 1991 Pike Lincoln Technical Center LPN graduate. She was an amazing instructor. And a great person. Prayers for her family

Vanessa Runser - February 22, 2022 at 04:57 AM



“ Gale Knight lit a candle in memory of Pamela Delores Kelch



Gale Knight - February 21, 2022 at 01:01 PM



So sorry for your loss. Prayers for the family

Gale Knight - February 21, 2022 at 01:02 PM

JS

My heart breaks. Many a summer was spent at Aunt Helen and Uncle Bob's with Pat, Pam & Carolyn. Treasured Memories. Rest in peace sweet cousin. 🥹🙏❤️

Janice ( Orf) Seeley - February 21, 2022 at 01:36 PM

GT

“ *Mrs Kelch was one of my nursing instructors. I learned a lot from her. My sympathy to the family. Rest in peace Mrs Kelch ,I will always remember what you taught me about nursing.*

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**Golda Turner** - February 21, 2022 at 12:54 PM

GT

“ *Golda Turner lit a candle in memory of Pamela Delores Kelch*



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**Golda Turner** - February 21, 2022 at 12:52 PM