



Ms. Sylvia Kelly

July 27, 1955 - August 26, 2024

Sylvia Denise Kelly, 69, passed away on August 25th, 2024, at Providence Medical Center in Kansas City, KS. She was born on July 27th, 1955, in Kansas City, KS to John and Betty (Tollett) Sherman.

Sylvia grew up in Kansas City, MO. She graduated from Central High School in Kansas City, MO in 1973.

She attended Penn Valley Community College in Kansas City, MO where she received an associate's degree. She began work for Community Blood Center as Lab Technician and later Quality Assurance Specialist. She retired in 2021 after 40 years.

She was a member of Centennial United Methodist Church where she served on the Nominations and Finance Committee. She was also a member of United Women of Faith. She also served on numerous committees and boards over time.

Sylvia married Willie Kelly in 1983 in Kansas City, KS. They were happily married for 22 years.

She enjoyed traveling, going to the movies, and hanging out with family and friends.

Sylvia was preceded in death by her husband, Willie L Kelly, parents Betty and John Sherman, and a sister Minta Sherman.

Sylvia is survived by her daughters Michelle Kelly, LaTisha Donker (Kelly) and a stepdaughter Teresa Kelly sisters Priscilla Daniels, Mary Sherman-Lambert both of Kansas City and Sandra Watson (Regal) of San Bernardino, CA grandchildren Quentin Kelly, Isaiah Cole, Jacob Jones, and Hayven Donkor and a host of nieces and nephews. She will be missed dearly by her best friends Sharion Hardge, Rosita Cason, and her classmate Terry Pierce

Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, September 7, at 11:00am at Centennial United Methodist. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens KCK. Visitation from 10:00am-11:00am at the church. Services conducted by Lawrence A. Jones & Sons Funeral Chapel. Condolences may be shared on our website.

Cemetery Details

Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens

701 N. 94th Street
Kansas City, KS 66112

Previous Events

Funeral Service

SEP 7. 11:00 AM (CT)

Centennial United Methodist Church
1834 Woodland Ave.
Kansas City, MO 64108

Tribute Wall

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“ *A Beautiful, Caring, devoted Mother, Sister, Grandma, Wife and friend. She was funny, witty, and could bring you out of a slump to reality with a calming affect. We will miss her. Thank you for sharing Sylvia with us. With sympathy. Alicmarie and Vivienne Johnson.*

Alicmarie Franklin Johnson - September 30, 2024 at 12:53 PM

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“ *My thoughts are with the family. I worked with Sylvia for years. I loved to work and laugh with her. Prayers for peace and comfort!*
Patsy Shipley

Patsy Shipley - September 07, 2024 at 04:18 PM