



Kay Lynn Boatman-Sampson

July 31, 1938 - January 9, 2024

Kay Lynn Boatman–Sampson, 85, passed away on Tuesday, January 9, 2024, at Witham Memorial Hospital. She was born July 31, 1938, in Logansport, Indiana, a daughter of the late Herbert and Ruth (Dietz) Groninger.

On September 20, 1957, she was united in marriage to James Morrow Boatman and spent 38 loving years together; James passed away in 1995. She then met Richard Allen Sampson Sr. and united in marriage in 1998. They shared 18 years together before Dick passed away in 2017.

She was a 1956 graduate of Lebanon High School. She was the mailroom supervisor at Meridian Mutual Insurance in Indianapolis. Kay was also a supervisor at BMG in Indianapolis from 1993 until she retired in 2000.

Kay was a member of Otterbein United Methodist Church. She was a member of their women's round table, taught Sunday School, and she was a Vacation Bible School Teacher. Kay was an active Tri Kappa Sorority member. She enjoyed playing bridge in her free time and was a member of several card clubs. She also enjoyed solving crossword puzzles and was an avid reader. Kay was a beloved wife, mother and grandmother who will be greatly missed.

Survivors include, her children, Karen Lynch of Lebanon and Steve Boatman of Wylie, Texas; grandson, Andrew Lynch of Florida; brother, Sam (Marianne)

Groninger of Nashville, Tennessee; sister, JoAnne Sutter of Elkhart; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents and first and second husband, Kay was preceded in death by her sister, Suellen Edens and brothers-in-law, Leslie Sutter and Forrest Respass; and Sister-in-Law: Nancy Respass.

Memorial Services are planned for 3:00 p.m., Monday, January 15, 2024, at Myers Mortuary, 1502 North Lebanon Street in Lebanon, Indiana. Visitation will be held from 1:00 p.m. until the time of services. Boone County Crematory has been entrusted with her cremation arrangements.

In Lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in her memory to the Lebanon Public Library, 104 East Washington Street, Lebanon, Indiana 46052.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 15. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ While serving Otterbein church, Kay would regale me with many stories from the church's history and its importance in her life. I was thankful for the way she had invested her time and care in the community. Now both she and the church are gone, but the impact upon lives continues.

In her loss, may God grant you peace and hope in the resurrection of Jesus Christ, the one who laid down his life for Kay and for us in order that though we die, we may still live (John 11).

Rev. Seth Neckers - May 07, 2024 at 03:22 PM

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“ So sorry to see that Kay has passed. We were good friends in her insurance days. She was always happy and a very positive person. My thoughts and prayers are with Steve and Karen. Heaven has gained an angel.

Eva Trump-Robinson - February 12, 2024 at 11:22 AM

BH

“ Karen and Steve - I am so sorry for your Mom's passing. We spent several years together carpooling with Dick and Janet Self along with David Padgett. She always had a big smile for everyone. You will be in my prayers.

Barb Shumate Hendry

Barb Shumate Hendry - January 13, 2024 at 01:29 PM

KM

Steve and Karen, I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. I enjoyed our time together when we met over the years. Hugs and prayers as you celebrate her life and remember all she was to you. Never forget you still have each other and she and your Dad are watching over you now. God bless!

Kris Morris

Kristine Morris - January 14, 2024 at 07:52 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Kay Lynn Boatman-Sampson.*



January 13, 2024 at 12:58 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Kay Lynn Boatman-Sampson.*



January 11, 2024 at 07:31 PM