



Patty Schwinn

November 12, 1937 - May 4, 2024

PATTY SCHWINN

Patricia Jean Schwinn, age 86, of Gravois Mills, Missouri, passed away Saturday, May 4, 2024 at Laurie Care Center. She was born November 12, 1937 in Leavenworth, Kansas, a daughter of the late Roy W. and Evelyn Sophia (Sacks) Wright.

On August 30, 1959 in Leavenworth, Kansas, she was united in marriage to Gene Bennett Schwinn. Together they shared sixty-three years of marriage before his passing on July 13, 2023.

She was a member of Ozark Chapel United Methodist Church where she was very active in the United Methodist Women and the Osage Community Elks Lodge #2705 both in Laurie, Missouri.

Patty was co-owner of Kaycee Knitting where they sold knitting machines, taught classes and demonstrated at knitting club events. As a youth, she was active in the Girl Scouts. She became an adult leader when her daughter was old enough to participate. She was awarded the Volunteer of the Year, which was the top volunteer award for the Girl Scouts Mid-Continent Council.

In her spare time, she loved to travel, gardening and sewing. She loved

watching birds, especially purple martins. She collected antiques of many varieties.

Survivors include her daughter, Sherry McCarty and husband Mark of Wentzville, Missouri; two grandchildren, Jennifer Willenbrink and husband Jon of Wentzville, Missouri and Matt McCarty of St. Peters, Missouri; two great-grandchildren, Delilah Willenbrink and Rosalie Willenbrink and other relatives and many friends.

Services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, May 8, 2024 at Ozark Chapel United Methodist Church, Laurie, Missouri. Visitation will be from 10:00-11:00 a.m., Wednesday at the church. Graveside services and burial will be held at 1:00 p.m., Thursday, May 9, 2024 at Mount Muncie Cemetery in Lansing, Kansas.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of the Kidwell-Garber Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel.

Cemetery Details

Mount Muncie Cemetery

1500 N. 8th Street
Lansing, KS

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Ozark Chapel United Methodist Church
305 N. Main St.
Laurie, MO 65038

Service

MAY 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Graveside Service

MAY 9. 1:00 PM (CT)

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