



Sara J. Rutter

February 2, 1948 - November 20, 2014

Sara J. Rutter, age 66, of Laurie, Missouri, passed away Thursday, November 20, 2014, at Lake Regional Health System in Osage Beach, Missouri. She was born February 2, 1948, in Abilene, Kansas, a daughter of the late Dale and Phyllis (Dentzer) Lanning.

On March 20, 1989, in Miami, Oklahoma, she was united in marriage to her surviving husband, James D. Rutter.

Sara expressed her faith through the roots of the Hebrew religion.

In addition to her husband, James, she is survived by her children, Amy Isaacs and husband David of Abilene, Kansas, Eric Dockins and wife Jennifer of Abilene, Kansas, Rita Bennett and husband Todd of Laurie, Missouri, Christopher Dockins and wife Jill of Shawnee, Kansas, Chad Rutter and wife Kim of Abilene, Kansas and Pam Rutter of Abilene, Kansas; thirteen grandchildren; her brother, Michael Lanning of Oklahoma; her sister, Susan Mattingly of Abilene, Kansas and many other relatives and friends.

A celebration of Sara's life will be held at a later date in Abilene, Kansas. Memorial contributions are suggested to St. Jude's Children's Hospital

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber

Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel.

Tribute Wall

KA

“ *Kathy lit a candle in memory of Sara J. Rutter*



Kathy - December 05, 2014 at 02:57 PM

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“ *Our deepest sympathy for Sara's family. Sara was a wonderful lady and always a pleasure to have around. She will be greatly missed by all that she touched. Derek and Kathy*

Kathy - December 05, 2014 at 02:57 PM

LJ

“ *We just heard the news and are so saddened for the entire family. We know that Sara is in a better place. It is so sad for those that loved her and will miss her the most. Monte knew Sara since High School days and I have known her for about 15 years. Such a wonderful gift of hospitality and a keen eye for decor. Loved her 'style'. I am so sorry we did not get to see her in recent months. Jim, we send you hugs. And no words can console the loss of a mother or grandmother. We will keep all of you in our prayers that the LORD will give HIS Comfort. Monte and Lin Judah, Lion and Lamb Ministries, Norman, OK*

Lin Judah - November 29, 2014 at 11:23 PM

CC

“ Greetings, Jim. I sent you a card with a travois mills address that may or may not get to you, so here's my message in case you don't get the card. Sue had given me an address but don't know if it was correct.....

Was sad to hear of Sara's recent challenge. But given her strong faith it just seemed she would probably be one of the more prepared to deal with the difficulty. Will sure miss her but have so many good memories and experiences with her. I wish you well during this sad time without her.

I read the obit in the paper last night and would love to be informed of the memorial service when you decide to do it. Bless you in the months to come. Love Cyndy constable.



cyndy constable - November 26, 2014 at 01:14 PM



“ Jim & Sara,were part of the reason we moved to Laurie. I loved Sara like a sister & she just left to soon. I will miss her terribly. I have a peace knowing she is at rest with our Father in heaven. Love to the whole family.

Kim Flynn - November 24, 2014 at 08:26 PM



“ Kim Flynn lit a candle in memory of Sara J. Rutter



Kim Flynn - November 24, 2014 at 08:20 PM

BG

“ My prayers and thoughts for Jim, Rita and family. She so much loved her family, Sara would tell me wonder stories of her family as we would ride around looking at homes. Not only was I her Realtor but we became Friends. I will sadly miss her but know she is in a very good place up there in heaven. Bev Gibson

Beverly Gibson - November 24, 2014 at 06:14 PM

DG

“ I was shocked to hear the news today from Dr. Beck that Sara had passed away!! She always made my visits to the office so pleasant and she truly cared about the patients there. She will be so missed. Heaven has certainly gained another angel. My sympathies to her family. Debbie Gauwitz

Debbie Gauwitz - November 24, 2014 at 05:53 PM

LD

“ Dear Rita, Jim and family - We share your sadness. Sara will be missed so very much. She and I (Pat) would often text in the morning over coffee. I still look at my phone when I get up in the morning or between coffees. We will miss her in our Bible studies and her infectious giggle when we would all be together. Peace be with you all. Lee and Pat Dau

Lee and Pat Dau - November 24, 2014 at 02:37 PM

TB

“ Dear Rita: We are so sorry for your loss. You are and will be in my thoughts and prayers as well as your family. Take care and have comfort in the fact that your Mother loved you so very much.

Terry Buchholtz

Terry Buchholtz - November 24, 2014 at 11:37 AM

TS

“ *My heart hurts for your entire family. Her great words of encouragement to all of the Eagle boys will always be remembered. She was such a proud Grandma and loved to share stories of Rayder and Mason (always with a smile). You could truly feel the love she had for her entire family. Heaven has gained an angel to watch over all of you. My deepest sympathy for your loss.*

Love to you all - Bill and Teresa Sinclair

Teresa Sinclair - November 24, 2014 at 08:23 AM