



## Kay Donna Edwards

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After a sudden diagnosis of pancreatic cancer, Kay Edwards succumbed to death in her daughter's home in Independence, Missouri 3/22/17 at 9:15am. She was born in Lawrence, Kansas to Marsden Pence and Mildred Kathryn (Katie) Kuester Pence. She was preceded in death by her parents, her brother Lawrence (Larry) Pence formerly of LA and her first grandson, Christopher (Kit) Richard Small, formerly of Independence. She is survived by Dianah Davidson of Independence, MO, Shelly Edwards of Louisburg, KS, John Daniel Edwards of Camdenton, MO, Kami Cockerline and Alicia Edwards, both of Lee's Summit, MO, 6 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Kay grew up in many places as her family moved around the country. Her favorite childhood homes were in Long Beach, Albuquerque and Peculiar, MO. She raised her children in the Kentucky Hills neighborhood in Independence followed by building a home in Lee's Summit, Missouri. In 2009, she moved to the Lake of the Ozarks. She had good memories of her years at Northeast High School where she made many lifetime friends. She was on the Kansas City Seals Synchronized Swimming Team and runway modeling for fun. She was always very active, teaching dance aerobics at the YMCA, jogging and recently swam 1 mile three times a week at the community center. Her last years were spent making friends at the lake, building her dream home at Sunrise Beach with an "out of this world" view, joining the Elks and Beta

Sigma Phi sorority. She was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Parish in Laurie. Visitation/Rosary at 11am and Mass of Christian Burial at 12pm will be held 3/27 in Sunrise Beach (Gravois Mills), MO at Old St. Pat's 810 Hwy 0, 65037 followed by a luncheon at St. Patrick's Parish 176 Marian Dr (on Hwy 5) 65038. Condolences may be sent to the Kay Donna Pence Edwards FB page or to the parish.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

St Patrick Catholic Church  
Marian Dr  
Gravois Mills, MO 65037

## Mass

MAR 27. 12:00 PM (CT)

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