



Kathryn E. Sandberg

August 28, 1927 - October 12, 2021

Kathryn (Kay) E. Sandberg, age 94, passed away peacefully at the Russell and Fern deGreff Hospice House on Tuesday, October 12, 2021.

Kay was born in Saint Charles, Missouri. She graduated from Soldan High School, St. Louis in 1945. She attended the University of Missouri, Columbia. An independent spirit, Kay relocated to New York, after college. She worked as a secretary in the Empire State building, when an unexpected introduction brought an enticing offer to model, in the Wholesale Garment District. Kay's passion for clothing turned into her dream job, modeling designer evening wear and furs, for department store buyers and others. Dancing to Big Band music in downtown nightclubs, and attending the latest Broadway shows with her friends were memories that she cherished.

Kay returned to St. Louis where she met and married Donald Sandberg, of Fond du lac, WI, on June 6, 1953. They relocated to Kansas City and started their family in the new Post-War development of Prairie Village. Together, they raised four children. Raising a family took skill, creativity, a very good sense of humor, and lots of love. Many lifelong friendships were enjoyed with wonderful neighbors and friends.

After 25 years, work relocated them back to Chesterfield, MO. Kay was an active Bridge player. She played in several groups and treasured the

friendships she made. She also played the piano for enjoyment, loved to shop, and was an avid reader who enjoyed a good mystery.

Kay was the beloved wife, of 32 years, to the late Donald A Sandberg. Cherished mother to Craig (Kathy), Marsha, Kirk (Debbi) and Patricia (Jeff) Craig. Loving grandmother to Christina and Nick Sandberg, and Haley (Garett) Roop. Dear Aunt, cousin, and devoted friend.

Family and friends will be received from 10:00am to 11:00am on Wednesday, October 20, 2021 at ORTMANN-STIPANOVICH Funeral Home located at 12444 Olive Blvd, Creve Coeur, MO 63141. Service to follow at 11:00am. Interment will be held at Bellerive Gardens Cemetery, 740 N Mason Rd, Creve Coeur MO 63141.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to Mercy Hospice South - deGreff Hospice House, 10024 Kennerly Rd, St. Louis, MO 63128

Arrangements are under the direction of Ortmann Stipanovich Funeral Home, 12444 Olive Blvd, Creve Coeur, MO. Online condolences may be made at www.osfuneralhome.com Phone: 314-514-1111

Cemetery Details

Bellerive Gardens Cemetery

740 North Mason Road
St. Louis, MO 63141
(314) 434-3933
info@bellerivegardens.com
<https://bellerivegardens.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **20**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Service

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