



Sandra K Surface

January 7, 1943 - April 14, 2018

Sandra Kaye Surface, daughter of Alice V. Willis and Samuel E. Crouch was born in Quincy, Illinois on January 7, 1943. She went to be with the Lord April 14, 2018.

Sandra was raised in Newark, Texas by her mother Alice V. Willis and her step-father Melvin Louis Brown. In 1990, she reunited with her biological father Samuel E. Crouch and met her half-siblings. This family reunion was a blessed event for Sandra.

In 1959, Sandra met the love of her life on a blind date arranged by her uncle. On June 4, 1960, she married Darrell Surface in Rhome, Texas. To this union were four children; Virginia Lee, Patricia Louise, D. Dean, and Marianna Elizabeth.

Sandra began her homemaking years on a ranch in Texas where Darrell was a ranch hand. She became a master of making jelly and shooting rattlesnakes with a rifle. She maintained her title of homemaker as they moved to Oklahoma and then to Kansas. In 1985, they moved to Kiowa, KS, where she was able to open her own business. Sandra was a very talented seamstress and was able to share that talent with many. She found great joy in working with her hands and teaching the next generation the art of sewing.

Sandra enjoyed working with children. For many years, she invested her time in children's ministries in her local church. After moving to Kiowa, she created the King's Club after school Bible program for elementary age students.

Through this ministry, she shared the love of Jesus and created loving

memories for all the children she came in contact with.

Sandra enjoyed several hobbies. She enjoyed playing golf with her husband and family, decorating cakes, and rooting for the Dallas Cowboys. Sandra loved spending time with her grandchildren. One of her and Darrell's favorite times of the year was Grand Week in which all the grandchildren came to visit. Fun was had for all and lasting memories were created.

Sandra is preceded in death by her husband, Darrell Surface; her parents, Alice Willis, Melvin Brown, and Samuel Crouch; mother-in-law, Hazel Surface; father-in-law, Paul Surface; brothers, Samuel Crouch and Ricky Brown; and sister-in-law, Barbara Surface.

Sandra is survived by three daughters, Virginia Immediato, and her husband, Rich, of Lyons, KS; Tricia Reiser and her husband, David, of Great Bend, KS; Marianna Farney and her husband, Brandon, of Kiowa, KS; one son, Dean and his wife, Kristi, of Owasso, OK; grandchildren, Priscilla Rose, Melissa Nicholson and her husband, Josh, Nicholas Rose, Genesis Rose and wife, Maycie, and Abigail Rose; Dillon, Bethany, and Kaylee Reiser; Devin and Jillian Surface; Shania, Brian and J.T. Farney; one great granddaughter Tilly Rose; brother, Terry Brown of Hardtner, KS; several cousins, nieces, nephews, brothers-in-law, and sisters-in-law.

Contributions may be made in her memory to Elder Care of Great Bend, KS in care of Wharton Funeral Chapel.

Cemetery Details

Alva Municipal Cemetery

1698 Flynn Street
Alva Municipal Cemetery, OK 73717

Previous Events

Family Visitation

APR 17. 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

Wharton Funeral Chapel, LLC.
1302 W. Oklahoma Boulevard
Alva, OK 73717

Funeral Service

APR 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
Alva, OK 73717

Tribute Wall



“ *Wharton Funeral Chapel created a Tribute Video in memory of Sandra K Surface*



Wharton Funeral Chapel - April 17, 2018 at 10:24 PM

BC

Thank you for sharing the video. The love of family shows through and the last picture is how I picture them when Sandra arrived in Heaven. Heaven gained a great angel 🙏. Love Becky

Becky Crouch - April 19, 2018 at 10:34 PM

PM

“ *We send our deepest condolences to your family. My God grant you comfort in your sweet memories. Sincerely,
Patti and David McClelland*

Patti McClelland - April 19, 2018 at 01:00 PM



“ 55 files added to the album Life Tributes



Wharton Funeral Chapel - April 17, 2018 at 04:11 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Sandra K Surface.



April 17, 2018 at 12:17 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Sandra K Surface.



April 17, 2018 at 12:15 PM

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“ With sincere sympathy for the entire family. Thoughts and prayers are with you!

Carla & Christen Markovich

Carla Markovich - April 17, 2018 at 11:20 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Sandra K Surface.



April 16, 2018 at 10:38 PM

DC

“ *Sandra stayed with my Mom and me about 1944 .My Mom had a rocking chair close to a window..Sandra and I would stand in the rocking chair and rock forward and spit on the window.We did this until we got caught and we had to as the window.I woke up one morning and she was gone. Dallas L Crouch*

Dallas L Crouch - April 16, 2018 at 09:50 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Sandra K Surface.



April 16, 2018 at 07:33 PM

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“ My heart goes out to all of Sandy's family & loved ones, especially my dear friend, Trish. I shall always remember the first time I met Tricia's mom, and I loved her fun-loving spirit! Offering sympathy, prayers, and hugs. May you be comforted by your memories and by the multitude of those who care deeply about you. Sending love,
Shari Ryker

Shari Ryker - April 16, 2018 at 06:58 PM