



## Karen Sue Foster

May 24, 1952 - January 16, 2012

Karen Sue Foster, 59, passed away Monday, January 16, 2012 at Freeman Health Systems, Joplin, MO. Karen was born May 24, 1952 in Independence, KS. Karen was the daughter of T.W. McCullough and Elna Lorene Stark. She was a longtime resident of Carthage and had been residing in Corpus Christi Texas since 2006. Karen worked for the Faberge Corporation in California for 11 years. She enjoyed being a Mary Kay consultant, an avid reader, traveling, computer games and most of all spoiling her Grandkids. For the past 6 years she was the president of the R&K builders in Corpus Christi Texas. Karen attended the Assembly of God church in Cherryvale, KS. Karen was married to Richard Foster October 17, 1970 in Cherryvale KS. He survives. Karen is survived by one son Michael R. Foster of Corpus Christi, TX, one daughter Kerri Deanne Frizzell and husband Chuck of San Antonio, TX., two grandchildren Christian and Lauren, two sisters Judy Ann Foster of Cherryvale, KS. and Patricia Kinney of Independence, MO. Graveside services will be 2:00p.m. Friday, January 20, 2012 at Ozark Memorial Park Cemetery in Joplin, Mo. Visitation will be 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Thursday, January 19, 2012 at the Ulmer Funeral Home Chapel in Carthage, Mo. Contributions can be made to the American Heart Association C/O Ulmer Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall

JG

“ *Mr. Foster  
I am very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our prayers.*

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**James Granger** - January 23, 2012 at 09:01 AM

LI

“ *Richard, So sad to hear about your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts & prayers. PMay peace be with you*

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**Laury Ivy** - January 20, 2012 at 03:48 PM

JW

“ *You are in our Prayers and Thoughts in this time of loss. know that your faith is strong, and I want to encourage you to hold on to it. Faith is the evidence of things unseen. Even though we can't see a reason for what has happened, we can have faith that there is a reason in His plan*

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**John M Watson** - January 19, 2012 at 05:55 PM

SE

“ *Richard, My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I pray that God's peace will be with you all during this sad time.*

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**Susan Evans-Mueller** - January 19, 2012 at 09:39 AM

DA

“ We are so sorry to hear about Karen's sudden departure. We will always remember her determination and spirit. I have fond memories of her from my visits over the years. We will miss Aunt Karen.

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you,  
Jackie Atkinson (Don and Justin)*

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**Don, Jackie and Justin Atkinson** - January 18, 2012 at 06:20 PM

MR

“ *With all our deepest sympathies. Martha and your many friends at Driscoll Children's Hospital.*

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**Martha St. Romain** - January 18, 2012 at 04:45 PM

SD

“ *Richard,  
I am so sorry to hear of Karen's passing. I recall the times we spend together at various Sodexo conferences. I enjoyed being with her and getting to know her on some level.*

*Our thoughts are with you during this time of transition.*

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**Sharon Dikes** - January 18, 2012 at 10:46 AM

GD

“ *We have many fond memories of time spent with Karen over the past few years. Our thoughts and prayers are with you now and in to future days. We will miss her.*

*Grace and Peace to all.*

*Glen and Sharon Dikes Sodexo KUMED*

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**Glen and Sharon Dikes** - January 18, 2012 at 10:09 AM