



Charlotte May Ellison

August 4, 1955 - May 22, 2025

Charlotte May Ellison, 69, of Chanute, Kansas, passed away peacefully at Diversicare on Thursday, May 22, 2025. Born August 4, 1955, in Topeka, Kansas, to Lewis and Mary (Yockey) Oneslager, Charlotte's life was a testament to her unwavering strength, compassion, and devotion to her family. Charlotte graduated from Santa Fe Trail High School in Overbrook, Kansas, in 1973. On November 8, 1986, she married the love of her life, Larry Eugene Ellison, in Chanute, Kansas. Their 19 years together were filled with love and happiness before his passing on July 14, 2006.

Charlotte dedicated many years to caring for others as a CNA and CMA at Heritage Healthcare and Diversicare of Chanute. Following her retirement from nursing, she opened and successfully operated a daycare for nine years, further showcasing her nurturing spirit. Family was always her utmost priority; she was the unwavering rock and pillar of strength for her loved ones.

A member of the Verdigris Valley Christian Church in Altoona, Kansas, Charlotte found solace and community in her faith. In her leisure time, she enjoyed the quiet pleasures of crocheting and making crafts of all kinds.

Charlotte was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Larry Ellison; her daughter, Beatrice Ellison; and her parents, Lewis and Mary Oneslager. She leaves behind a legacy of love and kindness that will forever be cherished by her children: James (Ana) Ellison of Urich, MO; Lewis (Lorissa) Ellison of Neodesha, KS; Roxanne (Rick) Maloney of Bronson, KS; and Cindy Bass of Walnut, KS; her 14 grandchildren; and her brother, Gary Oneslager of

Lawrence, KS.

Visitation will be held at Countryside Funeral Home on Tuesday, June 17th, with the family greeting friends from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, June 18th at Memorial Park Cemetery in Chanute at 10:00 am.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 17. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Johnson Chapel
101 N. Highland
Chanute, KS 66720
(620) 431-1220

Graveside Service

JUN 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

Memorial Park Cemetery
E.. 14th St.
Chanute, KS 66720

Tribute Wall



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Countryside Funeral Home - June 16, 2025 at 10:24 AM



I'm so sorry about your mother Lewis. I had no idea.

Melissa Colston - June 16, 2025 at 09:54 PM

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My prayers are with the family during this difficult time. God bless you all.

Victor Luedke - June 17, 2025 at 09:11 AM

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“ *I worked with Charlotte and so did my mom Emily bowker at heritage health care..she was always fun to be around...haven't seen her I. Years but remember her well...I loved working with her...so sorry for the family's loss...*

Evelyn ewing - May 28, 2025 at 11:02 PM