



Anna "Kay" Szafranski

October 4, 1938 - March 20, 2024

Anna "Kay" Szafranski, 1938 – 2024, died on March 20, in Maumelle, AR. She was preceded in death by her parents, Deane and Thelma Allen; her sister Shirley Jacob of Elaine; and her husband Harry Szafranski of Searcy. She is survived by her brother Bob Allen of Council Bluffs IA. She is also survived by her children: Peggy Cromwell (Liz Adams); Rick Cromwell (Kim) of Gulf Shores AL; and Michael Cromwell (Kelly) of Oklahoma City OK; Michael Szafranski of Searcy; Cathi Bennefield (Wesley) of Ray City GA; John Szafranski (Doris) of Cabot; Karin Griffin of Valdosta; Beth Strackbein (Travis) of Valdosta; Debbie Moore (Steve) of Cabot; Jennifer Minton (Jason) of Searcy. Kay had 13 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren all whom she dearly loved.

Kay was retired from the Social Security Administration and the White County Health Department. She was a long-serving member of the Gum Springs Volunteer Fire Department in Searcy and a member of the White County Hospital Auxiliary. For many years, Kay and her "Sweet Baboo" Harry would travel the country for bowling tournaments and following the Arkansas Razorback football and basketball teams. Kay never met a stranger and was kind, loving, and welcoming to everyone she met. Nothing made her happier than being with her family and friends.

Funeral will be held at Powell Funeral Home in Searcy on Monday, March 25, at 11:00 am; Visitation will precede the service beginning at 10:00 am.

Entombment to follow at White County Memorial Gardens. Memorials may be

made in Kay's memory to your favorite charity.

Arrangements are entrusted to Powell Funeral Home of Searcy. www.powellfuneralhome.net

Cemetery Details

White County Memorial Gardens

Eastline Road and Park Avenue
Searcy, AR 72143

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services (Searcy)
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Funeral Service

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Entombment

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Tribute Wall



“ Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Webcast in memory of Anna "Kay" Szafranski



Powell Funeral Home & Cremation Services - March 25, 2024 at 10:16 AM

MM

“ *Mariaha M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Anna "Kay" Szafranski.*

Mariaha M. - March 28, 2024 at 04:02 PM

SD

“ *Peggy/Liz and family -*

Kay was a joy to know. She was so proud of her family. Prayers for peace and comfort. - Sharon Davis/Debbie Thomas

Sharon Davis - March 25, 2024 at 09:21 AM

RM

“ Dear Peg, Liz, and Family,

*What a brave, dedicated, delightful, and determined lady and spirit-
a treasure and an example for us all!*

*Blessings, honor, and love for her well-lived life, and for her service
above self to her family, her community, and God. The Lord bless
and keep you with peace and grace.*

With deep appreciation for Kay's legacy,

Rita Mitchell

Rita Mitchell - March 24, 2024 at 12:29 AM

CP

“ Calvin and Sam Patterson purchased the Enchan
ted Cottage for the family of Anna "Kay"
Szafranski.



Calvin and Sam Patterson - March 21, 2024 at 09:28 PM

CP

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Szafranski.

Calvin and Sam Patterson - March 21, 2024 at 09:28 PM



Joyce
Gregory

“ GK will be missed by so many. What a kind loving person. She always treated us as family. Our prayers and love go to all the family. RIP Kay, you are home at last. Steve and Joyce Gregory and family.

Joyce Gregory - March 21, 2024 at 07:14 PM

KO

“ Peggy - I'm so sorry to hear this news - May God be with and I know he is!

Kathy D Okelley - March 21, 2024 at 01:44 PM



Peggy -
My heart is with you, so sad to lose your mom. She was so friendly and seemed to never know a stranger. Grateful that I had the privilege to meet her before her passing. It may be in memories only now, but she will always be with you. Take care, prayers with you always, Beverly Roachell

Beverly Roachell - March 25, 2024 at 12:41 PM

DK

Peg - My heart goes out to you, as I know the grief you are going through. Take comfort in knowing that I also hold the grief in my heart, for the loss of such a wonderful person. Thank you for sharing her with me and all the friends she touched! Just know there are many wonderful memories that will last forever!

In loving memory,
Debbie Kent

Debbie kent - March 27, 2024 at 09:00 AM