

# Saundra Eve (Dudley) Earhart

**December 24, 1948 - October 25, 2024**

It's with great sadness we announce the passing of Saundra "Sandy" Eve Earhart, age 75, Springfield, MO, on Friday, October 25, 2024 at the Solace House in [Joplin, MO](#).

Sandy was born on December 24, 1948, in Pasadena, CA, daughter of the late Kenneth Norman Dudley and Juanita Evelyn (McCoy). Dudley and was married to Joseph Earhart ('66-'90).



Sandy grew up in [Joplin, MO](#) and graduated from Joplin High School ('66). Sandy was a Christian and attended several churches over the years and was currently a member of the Sac River Cowboy Church in Springfield, MO. She loved people and wanted them to love Jesus. She didn't know a stranger and knew how to engage people in fun. Sandy spent her life loving her family and friends and was known for her laughter and smile. She loved music and could be found singing often, at home, in the car, or in a choir. Sandy was full of adventure and looked forward to her final adventure in heaven. She will be greatly missed by many.

In addition to her parents, Sandy was preceded in death by two brothers, Wayne Dudley and Rodney Dudley, and her beloved grandfather, Lewis McCoy.

Survivors include her four children, Chad & Rafika Earhart of Kansas City, MO, Melia Earhart & Keith Ksansnak of Lafayette, CO, Michelle Greenwood-Earhart of Merced, CA and Melissa & Eric Lang of Arcola, MO; many grandchildren, Jate Earhart, Grace & Samuel Allison, Meg & Jackson Page, Piper Earhart, Isabella Burns, Tanner & Lynn Syed, Konner Syed & Mannon Frykholm, Davis Greenwood, Dillon Greenwood, Kylee & Kyle Good, and Tucker Lang; two great-grandchildren, Nora Page and Jordan Syed.

Sandy was the life of the party and would want to be remembered for putting the "fun" in funeral. Please join us for the celebration of life service to be held on Tuesday, November 26, 2024 at 12:00 Noon in Thornhill-Dillon Mortuary Chapel with her son, Chad Earhart officiating. Inurnment will follow in Osborne Memorial Cemetery. There will be a dinner with the family, details announced at the service.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you make a donation to Solace House of the Ozarks, 2425 Mina Ave, [Joplin, MO](#) 64804 or at <https://solacehouseoftheozarks.com/support/>.

Cremation arrangements are under the direction of Parker Mortuary, Joplin, Missouri. Online condolences may be posted at [parkermortuary.com](http://parkermortuary.com)