



Marianna C. Vargas

October 8, 1951 - February 28, 2011

Marianna C. Vargas, 59, of Kearney died Monday, February 28, 2011 at her home. Memorial services will be Friday, March 5, 2011 at 10:30 a.m. at St. James Catholic Church in Kearney. Father Joe Hannappel will officiate. Visitation is planned Thursday from 5:00 ? 7:00 p.m. at Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services in Kearney. Burial will be at the Kearney Cemetery. Memorials are planned to the family for designation at a later date. A message of condolence, tribute or memory can be left at www.hlmkfuneral.com Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services in Kearney are in charge of arrangements. She was born October 8, 1951 in National City, CA to Oscar and Leatrice (Brown) Vargas. She grew up in Hermosa Beach, CA and then graduated from Mira Costa High School. She then moved to Kearney to further her education at Kearney State College. She graduated from Kearney State College with a degree in Psychology and obtained her Masters Degree in Counseling from K.S.C. On March 8, 1985 she married Tom McCarty in Cleveland, OH. She worked at the Kearney Police Department in the victims/witness unit for 15 years before retiring for health reasons and to concentrate on raising her family. She was a member of St. James Catholic Church and early on volunteered her time at the S.A.F.E. Center as well as many other organizations and later gave her time to Kearney Catholic High School parents group. She is survived by her husband Tom McCarty of Kearney and daughter Sara McCarty of Kearney. She is also survived by a sister; Alicia Withrow and brothers; Billy and Larry Vargas, a

niece; Jenifer Withrow along with other nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her mother and a special uncle; Bill Rankan.

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“ *Marianna C. Vargas*

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