



## Sally Ann Kozup

December 5, 1940 - September 3, 2025

Sally Ann (Davis) Kozup, 84, a beloved mother, grandmother, teacher, and friend to many, passed away peacefully on September 3, 2025, in her hometown of St. Louis, MO.

Born December 5, 1940, to Edith and Kenneth Davis, Sally grew up alongside her beloved siblings, Jean (Davis) Wagneknecht and James “Jimmy” Davis. She later married the love of her life, the late John “Jack” Kozup, with whom she built a family filled with love and laughter.

Sally was the devoted mother of Jill (Steve) Metherd and Gina Kozup-Poure. She was the cherished grandmother of Ian, Olivia, and Emily Metherd; Nicholas and Cody Poure; and step-grandmother to Gina, Natalia, and Sophia.

With a deep passion for teaching, Sally touched the lives of countless students throughout her career. She found joy in the classroom and was remembered by many for her encouragement, kindness, and enthusiasm for learning. Outside of her professional life, Sally loved spending time with her grandchildren, playing golf, and painting. She enjoyed volunteering by teaching painting to senior citizens in her spare time. Most of all, she was cherished by, and had a tremendous love for, her family.

Sally will be remembered for her joyful spirit, her unwavering optimism, and her contagious laughter. She had a unique ability to bring warmth and light into every room and to everyone she encountered.

She leaves behind a legacy of love, laughter, and creativity that will live on through her family, friends, and all those fortunate enough to have known her.

A memorial reception/service will be held at Four Lakes Restaurant (5925 Plantation Dr, Hillsboro, MO 63050), from 11am-1pm on Friday October 3, 2025. In lieu of flowers and in keeping with Sally's love of "homework" her daughters ask that you clean the bathroom or kitchen for someone you love, or simply do an act of kindness for a stranger in her name.

# Cemetery Details

## Good Shepherd Catholic Cemetery

Hillsboro, MO 63050

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

OCT 3. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Four Lakes Restaurant  
5925 Plantation Dr,  
Hillsboro, MO 63050

## Inurnment

OCT 3. 2:00 PM - 2:15 PM (CT)

Good Shepherd Catholic Cemetery  
Hillsboro, MO 63050

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I worked with Sally as a special education teacher and found her to be a loving teacher. Love to her family, Bob Sellers*

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**Bob Sellers** - September 23, 2025 at 10:23 AM