



## Elizabeth Kim Bowen

August 17, 1967 - March 12, 2023

Elizabeth Kim Bowen was born August 17, 1967, in Rolla, Missouri to James and Beverly Jean (Wood) Bowen. She grew up in Salem and graduated from Salem High School with the class of 1985. Kim received a bachelor's degree in business administration from Drury University in 1991.

Kim married Steve Shults in June 1988. Their greatest blessing, Megan, was born to this union. Kim's proudest accomplishment and greatest joy was being a mother to her daughter.

Kim was an excellent insurance agent and worked with Farmers Insurance for several years. She enjoyed helping people and made many friends during her years as an agent. Kim went on to become a successful business partner in Everything Cinema. With her hard work and capable, confident, strong, determined spirit, Kim was able to achieve her career goals.

Kim loved spending time at Lake of the Ozarks. She was a great host and always welcomed friends and family with open arms. Kim always had her fridge stocked with Coke and fried chicken, and there was sure to be lots of snacks. She was a very giving person throughout her life and upon her death, she became an organ donor. Kim was her parents' pride and joy and her daughter's very best friend in the world.

Kim is survived by her loving daughter: Megan Shults of Salem, MO; parents: Jim and Jeanie Bowen of Salem, MO; as well as a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives, and dear friends.

Preceding her in death, grandparents: Arley and Irene Bowen, Henry and Sarah Wood; and many aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Kim was beautiful inside and out. She will be remembered for her sweet, kind personality and the smile she always had on her face. Kim was loved by many and will be forever missed.

Funeral Services for Elizabeth "Kim" Bowen were held Saturday, March 18, 2023, in the Wilson Mortuary Salem Chapel with Ron Norris officiating. Special Music was provided by Janet Ellis singing "Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone" and additional song selections played were "When I Get Where I'm Going", "In My Daughters Eyes", and "Go Rest High On That Mountain". Serving as Pallbearers were Steve Wofford, David DeMand, Jason Parker, John Gibbs, Mason Roper, and Brian Martin. Honorary Pallbearers were Steve Shults, Luke Lucas, Reed DeMand, Larry Gibbs, Jim Wood, Doyle Swindell, Matt Woolf, and Mike Wood. Burial was in the Cedar Grove Cemetery. Arrangements were under the direction of Wilson Mortuary of Salem, Missouri.

Memorial Contributions may be made in memory of Kim Bowen to the LovePack BackPack Program and left at Wilson Mortuary. Memorial Envelopes will be available.

Online Condolences may be entered at [www.wilsonmortuary.com](http://www.wilsonmortuary.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Cedar Grove Cemetery

Salem, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 18.** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Wilson Mortuary - Salem  
1000 West Scenic Rivers Blvd.  
Post Office Box 45  
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# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Wilson Mortuary** - March 23, 2023 at 11:58 AM

CS

“ *Carol Ann Stephens lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Kim Bowen*



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**Carol Ann Stephens** - March 18, 2023 at 05:55 AM

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“ *Jim & Jeanie, I am so very sorry about your loss of Kim!! Sending deep sympathy to you and Megan! You continue to be in my thoughts and prayers! Carol Ann (Frits) Stephens*

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**Carol Ann Stephens** - March 18, 2023 at 05:54 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kim Bowen.*



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March 17, 2023 at 07:36 PM



“ 120 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



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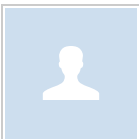
**Wilson Mortuary** - March 17, 2023 at 06:11 PM



“ *Jim and Jeannie, We are all saddened by your loss, my heart goes out to you at this difficult time, I pray GOD comforts you as only He can. I was amazed how much Kim looks like aunt Irene, brings back memories .*

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**DAVID AND SHIRLEY WILSON** - March 17, 2023 at 04:53 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kim Bowen.*



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March 17, 2023 at 11:48 AM

SB

“ We are sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in your memories. You all are in our prayers.



Steve & Sheryl Birdsong - March 17, 2023 at 10:27 AM

Beth Sherrill

“ I have such wonderful memories of Kim. I wish I could find the photo of the two of us in our SHS flag uniforms. I love the picture ❤️ Rest in peace sweetie 🙏



Beth Sherrill - March 17, 2023 at 10:11 AM

JH

“ Jerry Higgins lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Kim Bowen



jerry higgins - March 16, 2023 at 05:23 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kim Bowen.



March 15, 2023 at 11:09 AM

Randy Barton

“ Graduated with Kim in high school. Very sweet person. She will be missed and always loved. Prayers for the family

Randy Barton - March 14, 2023 at 10:47 PM

BC

“ My sincere condolences to all of Kim’s family.

Bobby Camden - March 14, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kim Bowen.



March 14, 2023 at 01:28 PM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Elizabeth Kim Bowen.



March 14, 2023 at 12:05 PM

CC

“ Charlie & Betty Carmack lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Kim Bowen



Charlie & Betty Carmack - March 14, 2023 at 01:17 AM

CC

“ *We. didn't know Kim but have known her parents for years. We're deeply sorry about the loss of your lovely daughter, Kim. Sending our sincere Sympathy. You're in our thoughts & Prayers.*

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**Charlie & Betty Carmack** - March 14, 2023 at 01:16 AM