

Onaga , KS

Sharon Kay Coder Dodds, 70, of Onaga, passed away Sunday, June 24, 2012 at the Community Hospital in Onaga, after a long battle with ovarian cancer.

She was born August 18, 1941 at Manhattan, the daughter of Ralph Coder, Jr. and Lorrene B. Bryson Coder.

Sharon graduated from Onaga High School and Kansas State University. She taught kindergarten at Frankfort and Onaga Grade Schools.

She was a member of the First Congregational United Church of Christ, in Onaga, Onaga Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, Alpha Delta Phi, and a tribal member of the Citizen Band of the Potawatomi Nation.

She married Clayton G. Dodds on September 3, 1960 in Manhattan. He survives, of the home.

Sharon was preceded in death by her parents.

Other survivors include two daughters, Elizabeth Matzke (Bobby), of Wheaton, and Susan Ehrlich (Monty), of Topeka; six grandchildren, Becky Nider, Josh Boswell, Craig Boswell, Sierra Valburg, Kyle Ehrlich and Ryan Ehrlich, and seven great-grandchildren.

Cremation is planned. Memorial services will be 10:00 a.m. Friday, June 29th at the Chapel Oaks Funeral Home in Onaga. Burial will follow in the Neuchatel Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to the First Congregational, UCC, and may be sent in care of the funeral home, P.O. Box 312, Onaga 66521. On line condolences may be made at chapeloaksfuneralhome.com.