

Keith & Laura
And Family

Renita

Sonia

Keitha

Eugene

Asalea



Keith Age 5



Keith Rex

Keith & Rex



Keith Age 20



Keith Age 8



Keith Wilam + ginger

Keith & Ginger



Keith & Laura 2005



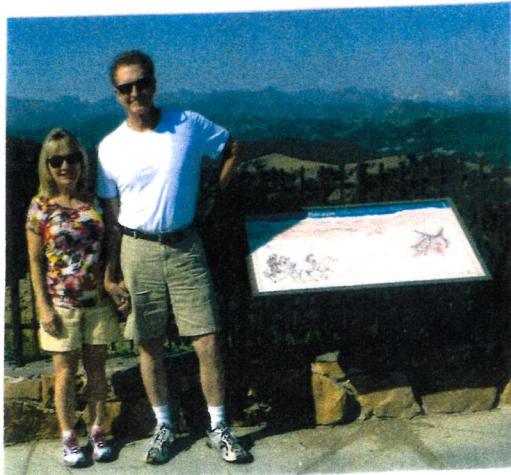
Keith & Laura Wedding
February 20, 1953



FR: Keith, Laura BR: Eugene, Renita, Keitha, Sonia, Asales



FR: Steve, Asalea, Laynie, Sydney BR: Steve Jr., Melissa Cole (friend),
Trey, Morgan, Krista, Martin, Mazie, Jordan, William, Harper.



Sonia & Tomas

Comments by Keith

My earliest memories are of living at Waldron, Kansas. I was told that the old troll lived under the bridge between our house and the school house. (I really believed this) but it didn't keep me from running off. I went the opposite direction to Mary and Dad Swiggart's place. Later I learned that Mary would hang a tea towel on the clothes line to let Mother know that I was over there. When Mary would bake bread, she would make a small loaf for me.

We went to Dalton Valley one time (I don't know why) and a dirt storm came up. We headed for home and the car died up on the hill. Daddy took the chains out of the car and laid them somewhere on the car. The car finally started. We turned around and went back to the school. We spent the night there with several other families.

Daddy and Uncle Guy Fullmer were putting up prairie hay. I was playing in the hay loft and fell out onto a mound of hay. I ran about 1/4 of a mile, to ask them if the fall would kill me.

When Uncle Ralph worked for the Hineman farm. A Negro couple by the name of Bill and Ethel Brisco also worked for them, and would bring Uncle as far as our place. Later Dean decided he wanted a Negro brother and painted me black with either stove black or soot. I think to say Mother was unhappy is an understatement.

Just Mother and I went hunting one day. She shot a rabbit. As I ran to get the rabbit, Mother shot again - about 3 feet in front of me lay a rattlesnake. Mom's shot had killed it.

On Sunday Daddy would make biscuits and gravy for breakfast. Then we all went to church. We had to really be sick to miss church.

I remember the day Mother got a gas-powered Sears washing machine (her first machine). It was exciting. When it broke down Mother would order the parts and I would help her fix it.

A red fox had a den across the draw and up on the flat east of the barn. If the fox was out early in the morning eating, Daddy would say there will be a storm today. The fox was always right. If the fox was out eating in the evenings we would have a storm at night. Daddy and the fox were always right.

THE LAST 50 YEARS By Laura

I gained employment with Ma Bell (Telephone Company) 3 weeks before we graduated. Married Keith February 20th of '53. I had a car wreck July 3rd of '53. The doctor didn't expect me to survive the first two weeks. The ordeal left me with one leg shorter than the other.

Our children came in rapid succession, (five in six years) along with raising them. I joined an E.H.U. Group, taught Sunday School, Bible School, and was Sunday School Secretary.

Thirteen years into our marriage we went into business for our self. I became the secretary, bookkeeper & gopher. Soon after cooking for 8 hired men was added to my duties.

On December 13th of '72 Keith had a heart attack & was completely disabled for 18 months. He also became a diabetic during this time.

In 1990 the Dr's were successful in operating on the back side of the heart & Keith had a quadruple bypass.

Somewhere along the way I learned to upholster and refinish furniture. I knit, crochet & quilt (self-taught). Helped with March of Dimes & headed up St. Jude's Walk-A-Thon.

In looking back over the last 50 years, I'm glad I took this roller coaster ride with all curves, valleys & hills. It has been a good and happy 50 years. God has blessed me with a full and hectic life.

My children are Renita, she has given us 2 grandchildren and is a dietitian at Hamilton Co Hospital. Sonia is a cosmetologist and lives in Lake Hauasu, AZ. Keitha has 3 children and is bookkeeper for Dr. Dozing in Dighton. Eugene has 2 children and is Assistant City Manager, Fire Chief and First Responder in Dighton. Asalea has 3 children and is an EMT and works as a Paraprofessional at Dighton Grade School.

Our ten grandchildren have been a constant joy & inspiration to us with 8 of them living in Dighton and the other 2 of them just a two-hour drive away. We have had the pleasure of watching them grow up and being involved in their accomplishments and problems.

It is hard to believe that 50 years have slipped by, and I've missed out on the thrills and sorrows of each of your lives. Also, I've lived just 25 miles from the old school. I've lost contact of all of you & was so shocked to learn that so many of us are already gone.

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF BIRTH

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE
3103

1. County of Gove STATE OF KANSAS

Township of Jerome 41st

City of Shields, Kans.

2. Full Name of Child Keith Eugene Wilson

3. Sex male

4. Date of Birth 7-14-33

5. Full Name of Father Carl Andrew Wilson

6. Full Name of Mother Consuelta Fuller

7. Residence (usual place of abode) Shields, Kans.

8. Residence (usual place of abode) Shields, Kans.

9. Color of race white

10. Color of race white

11. Birthplace (city or town) Phillips Co. Kans.

12. Birthplace (city or town) Gove Co. Kans.

13. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as cabinet maker, machinist, etc.

14. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as housewife, seamstress, clerk, etc.

15. Industry or business in which work was done, as mill, sawmill, bank, etc.

16. Industry or business in which work was done, as mill, sawmill, bank, etc.

17. Date (month and year) last engaged in this work

18. Date (month and year) last engaged in this work

19. Total time (years) spent in this work 5 yrs.

20. Total time (years) spent in this work

21. Number of children of this mother (at time of the birth and including the child) (a) Born alive and now living 3

22. If stillborn, period of gestation

23. Cause of stillbirth

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE

I hereby certify that I attended the birth of this child, who was born alive on _____ 1933 at _____ (City or town) _____ (State or county) _____

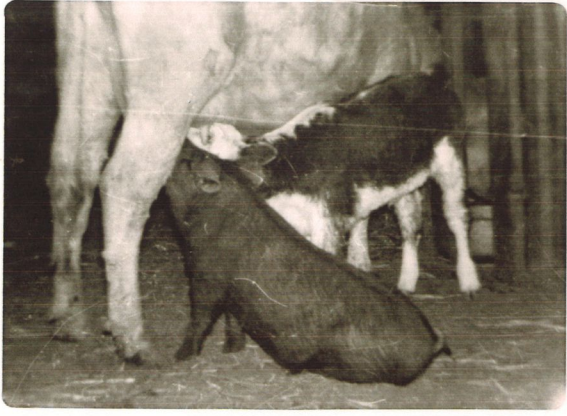
When there was no attending physician or midwife, then the father, householder, etc., should make this return.

These names added from a supplemental report.

(Signed) Edwin P. ...
Address Dighton, Kans.
Date Sept 15 33 Harry ...

Keith's Teachers were?

1939-40			1 st gd.
1940-41	Gove City	Eva Evans	2 nd gd.
1941-42	Gove City	Margaret Fantiss	3 rd gd.
1942-43	Jerome Sc	Carl Wilson	4 th gd.
1943-44	Jerome Sc	Carl Wilson	4 th gd.
1944-45	Jerome Sc	" "	5 th gd.
1945-46	" "	Consuelta Wilson	6 th gd.
1946-47	" "	Carl H.	7 th gd.
1947-48	" "	Beula Bellion	8 th gd.



a 4.H. pig getting her
tinner along with the calf.

(Wave Goldie)

The Pig.

age 14 years

Keith Wilson's 4.H. pig.

Shields Kans

R.R. 67874.

Keith's 4-H pig was quite a pet.
When he + his brother went to the
barn to milk, Keith's pig "Wave Goldie"
would follow him, He started
squirtting milk at the pig.

Wave Goldie soon found out
it was good and at first
was content licking up the squirts.

But before long she discovered
she might as well help the calf
out, "as no one objected".

The cow locked in the stanchion
eating her grain - Cared less.

Wave Goldie took first place
at the County fair.

3. Keith Eugene Wilson
 Birth: July 14, 1933
 Place: Gove Co., Kansas (farm)
 Death: May 16, 2007
 Cemetery: Dighton, Kansas
 Married: February 20, 1953; Scott City, Kansas
 Children Born To This Union:

Renita Jean	June 17, 1954
Sonia Lynn	November 9, 1955
Keitha Marie	August 11, 1957
Eugene Keith	March 12, 1959
Asalea K.	September 29, 1960

Laura Pauline Stewart
 October 7, 1934
 Grigston, Kansas
 May 31, 2016

A. Renita Jean Wilson
 Birth: June 17, 1954
 Place: Garden City, Kansas
 Death:
 Cemetery:
 Married: May 3, 1975; Dighton, Kansas
 Children Born To This Union:

Ryon Keith	May 24, 1974
Michelle Elizabeth	September 24, 1975

Michael Sturgeon MN
 January 7, 1955
 Manhattan, Kansas Dodge, Kansas

Divorced:
 Remarried: Albert Lowrance Mase
 Birth: August 1, 1952
 Place: Garden City, Kansas
 Death:
 Cemetery:
 Married: June 28, 2013

B. Sonia Lynn Wilson
 Birth: November 9, 1955
 Place: Garden City, Kansas
 Death:
 Cemetery:
 Married: March 25, 1978; Cimarron, Kansas
 Divorced

Kent J. Lang
 February 5, 1954
 Ft. Collins, Colorado

Remarried: Thomas Charles Boyd
 Birth: September 28, 1949
 Place: Kansas City, Missouri
 Death:
 Cemetery:
 Married: July 7, 2007

- C. Keitha Marie Wilson Darrel Lynn Schwartz
 Birth: August 11, 1957 August 6, 1957
 Place: Scott City, Kansas Garden City, Kansas
 Death: July 8, 2004 July 8, 2004
 Cemetery: Dighton, Kansas
 Married: July 22, 1978; Dighton, Kansas
 Children Born To This Union:
 Nelson Bryce October 10, 1980
 Darlyn Kay December 19, 1983
 Devin Lee October 1, 1985
- D. Eugene Keith Wilson Annette Mary Svoboda
 Birth: March 12, 1959 April 8, 1963
 Place: Scott City, Kansas Marion Co., Kansas
 Death:
 Cemetery:
 Married: November 23, 1984; Dighton, Kansas
 Children Born To This Union:
 Kimberely Renee January 28, 1985
 Keith Eugene February 6 1989
- E. Asalea K Wilson Steven Carlson Boone Sr.
 Birth: September 29, 1960 April 10, 1958
 Place: Scott City, Kansas Scott City, Kansas
 Death:
 Cemetery:
 Married: November 18, 1978; Dighton, Kansas
 Children Born To This Union:
 Steven Carlson Jr. April 13, 1979
 William Garret April 2, 1980
 Krista Nicole July 10, 1984

Keith & Laura Wilson



Name: Keith Eugene Wilson

Birth: July 14, 1933

Place: Gove Co., Kansas

Death: May 16, 2007

Cemetery: Dighton, Kansas

Married: February 20, 1953; Scott City, Kansas

Children: Renita, Sonia, Keitha, Eugene, & Asalea.

Laura Pauline Stewart

October 7, 1934

Scott City, Kansas

May 31, 2016



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Keith Eugene Wilson

DIGHTON -- Keith Eugene Wilson, 73, died Wednesday, May 16, 2007, at his home in Dighton. He was born July 14, 1933, in Gove County, to Earl A. and Consuella Fullmer Wilson. He attended grade schools in Gove County and attended Dighton High School.

Mr. Wilson worked at Farmers Co-op Oil & Supply for 12 1/2 years before becoming a self-employed general contractor. He was a member of Bible Fellowship Church of Dighton. His special interest was his grandchildren's activities, and he also enjoyed hunting, fishing and woodworking.

On Feb. 20, 1953, he married Laura Stewart in Scott City. She survives. Other survivors include one son, Eugene Keith Wilson of Dighton; three daughters, Renita J. Braddock and Sonia L. Lang, both of Garden City, and Asalea K. Boone of Dighton; two brothers, Dean Wilson of Shields, and Rex Wilson of Marion; two sisters, Amy Jewell Wills of Warsaw, Mo., and Janie Johnston of Dighton; two stepbrothers, Dwight and Forrest York, both of Healy; a stepsister, Maxine Wilson of Healy; nine grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; his stepfather, Henry York; a daughter, Keitha Schwartz; a sister, Delila Speer; and a grandson, Ryon K. Sturgeon.

Funeral will be 2 p.m. Monday at the United Methodist Church, Dighton, with the Rev. Ed Groover officiating. Burial will be in Dighton Memorial Cemetery.

Visitation hours are noon to 8 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at Boomhower Funeral Home, Dighton. Condolences may be sent to garnandfh@sbcglobal.net. Memorials are suggested to Bible Fellowship Church or Dighton High School Woodshop, both in care of the funeral home.

Obituary of Laura Wilson

Laura Wilson, age 81, passed away on Tuesday, May 31, 2016 at the Lane County Hospital in Dighton, Kansas. She was born on October 7, 1934 in Grigston, Kansas, the daughter of Thomas Jefferson and Mildred Mae Payton Stewart. She was a homemaker and was a resident of Dighton, Kansas since 1953 moving from Scott City, Kansas.

She was a member of the Bible Fellowship Church and EHU both of Dighton, Kansas.

On February 20, 1953 she married Keith Eugene Wilson in Scott City, Kansas. He passed away on May 16, 2007 in Dighton, Kansas.

Survivors include her One Son - Eugene & Annette Wilson of Dighton, Kansas, Three Daughters - Renita & Albert Mesa of Garden City, Kansas, Sonia & Thomas Boyd of Garden City, Kansas, Asalea & Steve Boone of Dighton, Kansas, Four Brothers - Jimmy Stewart of Garden City, Kansas, Guy Stewart of Scott City, Kansas, Preston Stewart of Colorado Springs, Colorado, Dean Stewart of Elkhart, Kansas, One Sister - Faye Ghan of Ulysses, Kansas, Nine Grandchildren and Fourteen Great Grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her Parents, Husband, One Daughter - Keitha M. Schwartz and Son In Law - Darrel Schwartz, One Grandson - Ryon Sturgeon, Three Brothers - T.J. Stewart, Darrel Stewart and Robert Stewart, Two Sisters - Hazel Reinhart and Anna Hopkins.

Funeral Services will be held at the Bible Fellowship Church in Dighton, Kansas at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, June 4, 2016 Darrin Hammond presiding.

Interment will be in the Dighton Cemetery in Dighton, Kansas.

Darrel & Keitha Schwartz

Name: Darrel Lynn Schwartz

Birth: August 6, 1957

Place: Garden City, Kansas

Death: July 8, 2004

Cemetery: Dighton, Kansas

Married: July 22, 1978; Dighton, Kansas

Children: Nelson, Daryl, & Devin.

Keitha Marie Wilson

August 11, 1957

Scott City, Kansas

July 8, 2004



Keitha Marie Schwartz

DIGHTON - Keitha Marie Schwartz, 46, died July 8, 2004, at Scott City.

She was born Aug. 11, 1957, at Scott City, the daughter of Keith E. and Laura P. Stewart Wilson. She graduated from Dighton High School in 1976. A resident of Dighton, she worked as a nurse's aide at Scott County Hospital, as an EMT for Lane County EMS Service, and as head of house-keeping and bookkeeper for her family's Comfort Inn, Garden City.

She belonged to Bible Fellowship Church, Dighton, Rags and Ruffles EHU and Lane County 4-H.

On July 22, 1978, she married Darrel Lynn Schwartz at Dighton. He died July 8, 2004.

Survivors include: two sons, Bryce and Devin, both of Dighton; a daughter, Darlyn, Dighton; her parents, Dighton; a brother, Eugene Wilson, Dighton; and three sisters, Renita Braddock, Sonya Lang, both of Garden City, and Asalea Boone, Dighton.

Funeral will be at 2 p.m. Monday at United Methodist Church, Dighton, with Pastor Ed Groover and the Rev. Carl Helm presiding. Friends may call from 1 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Boomhower Funeral Home, Dighton. Burial will be in Dighton Memorial Cemetery.

Memorials may be sent to the Schwartz Children Education Fund, in care of the funeral home.

Darrel Lynn Schwartz

DIGHTON - Darrel Lynn Schwartz, 46, died July 8, 2004, at Scott City.

He was born Aug. 6, 1957, at Garden City, the son of Nelson L. and Elvera M. Koester Schwartz. He graduated from Dighton High School in 1976 and he attended Garden City Community College, studying welding and auto mechanics. A resident of Dighton, he was a farmer/stockman in Lane County and was also an owner and operator of DKS Dozing, Schwartz Trucking Co., Triple S Welding of Dighton and Comfort Inn, Garden City.

He belonged to Bible Fellowship Church, Dighton.

On July 22, 1978, he married Keitha Marie Wilson at Dighton. She died July 8, 2004.

Survivors include: two sons, Bryce and Devin, both of Dighton; a daughter, Darlyn Schwartz, Dighton; his parents, Dighton; a brother, Elwin, Garden City; and two sisters, Marsha Evans, Austin, Colo., and Marletta Fox, Waxhaw, N.C.

Funeral will be at 2 p.m. Monday at United Methodist Church, Dighton, with Pastor Ed Groover and the Rev. Carl Helm presiding. Friends may call from 1 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Boomhower Funeral Home, Dighton. Burial will be in Dighton Memorial Cemetery.

Memorials may be sent to the Schwartz Children Education Fund, in care of the funeral home.



Ryon Keith Sturgeon

SYRACUSE— Ryon Keith Sturgeon, 29, died Wednesday, Dec. 24, 2003, in Dighton.

He was born May 24, 1974, in Dodge City to Michael and Renita (Wilson) Sturgeon. He graduated from Syracuse High School in 1993.

He attended a fiberoptics school in Montana and was a former member of the National Guard. He was the maintenance person at the Comfort Inn in Garden City.

Survivors include his mother and stepfather, Renita and Dan Braddock, Syracuse; his father and stepmother, Michael and Debbie Sturgeon, Hillsboro; a sister, Michelle Thomas, Hays; and grandparents, Keith and Laura Wilson, Dighton, Larry and Liz Sturgeon, Fowler, and Beulah Braddock, Syracuse.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Sunday at the United Methodist Church, Dighton; burial in Dighton Memorial Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday and from 9 a.m. to noon Sunday at Boomhower Funeral Home, Dighton.

Memorials are suggested to the Ryon Sturgeon Memorial Fund.