



2024 KFDA Convention

April 28 - May 1

Hotel Topeka at City Center

Topeka, KS

Monday, April 29

- 8:15 a.m. **Registration**
Maner Conference Center
- 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. **Mishmash of Useful
Information for Your
Funeral Home (1.5 CE)**
- Loss & Risk Management in
Funeral Homes**
Garrett Baker
**KPERS Lump-Sum Death
Benefit**
Marais Johnson-Herl
**Burial in Leavenworth
National Cemetery**
Omil Carrasquillo
- 10:50 - 11:50 p.m. **Support for Another Kind of
Loss: Pets & Their Humans**
Coleen Ellis (1 CE)
- Noon - 1:15 p.m. **Networking Lunch**
- 1:30 - 2:45 p.m. **Marketing Housekeeping:
Easy Updates for any Level**
Kylie Schildt (1.5 CE)
- 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. **Every Life is Worth
Remembering--Ceremonies
for Today and What
Celebrants Can Do for You**
Glenda Stansbury (2 CE)
- 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. **Grand Opening of Exhibits ***

(*Exhibits - 1 CE total)

Tuesday, April 30

- 7:30 a.m. **Registration**
Maner Conference Center
- 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. **KFDA Annual Meeting
and Service of Remembrance
(1 CE)**
- 9:30 -12:00 p.m. **Exhibits***
- Noon -1:15 p.m. **Installation and
Awards Luncheon**
- 1:30 - 2:45 p.m. **Masters in Funeral Directing**
Brad Walker (1.5 CE)
- 3:00 - 3:50 p.m. **Evaluating Your 3rd Party
Cremation Provider (1 CE)**
- 4:00 - 4:55 p.m. **Something Went Wrong...
You've Been Sued...
Now What**
Mike Nicodemus (1 CE)
- 5:30-7:30 p.m. **785 Beer Company Event**

Wednesday, May 1

- 7:30 a.m. **Past Presidents Breakfast**
- 8:30-11:30 a.m. **Explaining Embalming to
Everyone**
- Doing Our Part in
Restorative Art**
John Hill (3 CE)

*All seminars pending approval of the
Kansas State Board of Mortuary Arts.*