



Arvie Odom Jr.

May 8, 1942 - April 15, 2021

Arvie Odom Jr., 78, formerly of Cape Girardeau, Missouri passed away to his heavenly home on Thursday, April 15, 2021.

He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather.

He was born May 8, 1942 in Dyess, Arkansas to Arvie E. and Hettie V. Mabry Odom.

He and JoAnn McMahan were married June 17, 1961 at Saint Louis, Missouri.

He graduated from Bragg City High School in 1960 and worked 39 1/2 years at the Saint Louis Post Office.

He loved Jesus and served Him throughout his life. He was a faithful member of First Baptist of Jackson, Missouri.

Survivors include his wife of 59 years, JoAnn Odom of Cape Girardeau; daughter, Karen (Mark) Allen of Forest, Virginia; a son, Todd (Kendra) Odom of Cape Girardeau; son-in-law, Jason Millen of Fort Worth, Texas; nine grandchildren, Kathryn (Russ) Rodriguez, Jaclyn (Michael) Camden, Colton Allen, Jason Aaron Millen, Matthew Millen, Meagan Millen, Brady Odom, Jordan Odom, Jackson Odom; five great-grandchildren, Raegan Rodriguez,

Kiley Rodriguez, Ryder Rodriguez, Charlotte "Charlie" Camden, Hayden Camden; a sister, Dean Beardsley of Osceola, Arkansas; a brother, Wayne (Sandra) Odom of Benton, Arkansas.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three sisters, Reddie Lewis, Ruby Ross, Sylvia Ford; and a daughter, Sandra Millen.

Visitation will be 10:00 am to 11:00 am Monday, April 19, 2021 at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral service will follow at 11:00 am Monday at the funeral home with the Rev. Mark Allen assisted by Rev. Randy Riley.

Burial will be at Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery in Cape Girardeau.

Memorial contributions may be given to American Cancer Society or First Baptist Church in Jackson.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford and Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery

2315 Highway 61 North
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
(573) 334-1909
<https://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Funeral Service

APR 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ May God provide your family with the needed peace, comfort, and understanding at this time. Your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Mr. Odom was one of the kindest gentlemen I have had the pleasure to meet. He will be missed by all who knew him.

*Ken Pemberton, Jr.
Farmers Insurance & Financial Services Agent*

Kenneth C Pemberton Jr - April 19, 2021 at 10:05 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Arvie Odom Jr..



April 17, 2021 at 05:07 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Arvie Odom Jr..



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“ *To a great Neighbor and God fearing Man You fought the good fight
We will miss you. Butch and Kay Maevers*

Kenneth and Kay Maevers - April 16, 2021 at 08:51 PM