



Becky Illers

December 9, 1928 - May 2, 2024

Vera Rebecca "Becky" Illers, 95, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Thursday, May 2, 2024 at The Lutheran Home.

She was born December 9, 1928 in Cape Girardeau to Edwin Paul and Vesta Slinkard Schlegel.

She and Harold Wilson Illers were married May 1, 1949 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Cape Girardeau. He preceded her in death on August 30, 2020.

Becky was a graduate of Cape Girardeau Central High School.

She was an operator for Southwestern Bell Telephone. After raising her children, she worked at Sears in the Hardware and Draperies Departments.

She was a member of Grace United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a son, Greg (Linda) Illers of Cape Girardeau; daughter, Lisa (Tim) Kerr of Jackson; seven grandchildren, Cliff (Lindsey) Illers, Kacie (John) Kirk, Clay (Kaci) Illers, Talor (Josh) Ly, Tucker (Aleisha) Thrower, Claire (Luke) Moll, Cianna (Trenton) Thompson; 13 great-grandchildren, Kaylin Stroud, Weston Stroud, Mila Kirk, Jaida Ly, Scout Ly, Kason Illers, Stella Illers, Hudson Moll, Keller Illers, Huntley Thompson, Jace Thompson, Ryder

Thrower and Jett Thrower.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; two brothers, Charles and Larry Schlegel; four sisters, Rosemary Soehlig, Betty May Johnson, Margie Schlegel and Helen Maintz.

Friends may call 10:00 am to 11:00 am on Saturday, May 11, 2024 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral service will follow at 11:00 am Saturday, May 11, 2024 at the funeral home with the Rev. Donny Ford and Pastor Tucker Thrower officiating.

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

Memorial contributions may be given to a charity of your choice.

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

MAY 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

MAY 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *The Welkers, Gloria, Debbie & Keith purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Becky Illers.*



The Welkers, Gloria, Debbie & Keith - May 06, 2024 at 07:20 PM