



Celeste Obermiller

October 10, 1920 - August 28, 2018

For Celeste Obermiller of Cape Girardeau, Missouri the day of her birth in the Kingdom of God was Tuesday, August 28, 2018 at 6:57 a.m. at Chateau Girardeau Health Center.

She was born October 10, 1920 in Cape Girardeau daughter of William and Norma Perkinson. On March 14, 1946 she married Jack M. Obermiller of Jackson, Missouri. They moved from Cape Girardeau in 1950. As an Army wife she lived in Missouri, Japan, Texas and Virginia.

She was a graduate of Goddard College, Plainfield, Vermont; received her Masters in Special Education from Central Missouri State University in Warrensburg, Missouri and Masters of Divinity from Central Baptist in Kansas City, Kansas.

For 25 years she was a teacher in schools in Camp Springs, Maryland, Hickman Mills, Missouri and Stuart, Florida.

She was a member of St. Mary Cathedral, serving in the choir and as Lay Eucharistic minister. She saw herself as a child of God, wife/mother and teacher. She enjoyed singing, drama, swimming, jogging and all exercise.

Loving survivors include two sons, Brad (Ellen) Obermiller of Cape Girardeau,

Missouri and Gary (Anita) Obermiller of Cookeville, Tennessee. Grandchildren are Adam (Kristin) Obermiller, Lynne (John) Roth, Katie Obermiller, Julie (Creighton) Byrnes, Eric Obermiller, Brinn Obermiller (Clay Cornwell), and Kristy (Garry) Sullins. Great-grandchildren are Stella, Locke, Amelia, Henry, Duke, Hana, Isaac, Andrew, Olivia, Dexter, and Abby.

Celeste was preceded in death by her husband, Jack and son, Jeff.

There will be no visitation.

A funeral Mass will be at 10:00 am Friday, August 31, 2018 at St. Mary Cathedral in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Allan Saunders officiating.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be given to Chateau Girardeau Foundation or St. Mary Cathedral School.

Cemetery Details

Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

AUG 31. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary Cathedral
615 William St.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63703