



## Charlotte M. Dow

March 31, 1940 - March 20, 2018

Charlotte M. Dow, 77, a lifelong resident of Cape Girardeau, passed away Tuesday, March 20, 2018 at the Ratliff Care Center where she had been a resident for nearly 41 years.

She was born March 31, 1940 in Cape Girardeau to the late William and Mary (Parmer) Kimbel.

Charlotte grew up attending the Bend Road Church of God and had worked for V.I.P. Industries, Sunny Hill Gardens and Florist and Holiday Inn.

Charlotte enjoyed reading the Bible and listening to the Gaither's.

Loving survivors include her son, Tim (Linda) Dow of Saint Louis, Missouri; three sisters, Joyce Barrett of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, Judy Ehlers of Cape Girardeau, Missouri and Carol Sue Waldo of Hoover, Alabama; all of the loving staff at Ratliff Care Center.

She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, Billy Ray Kimbel.

Visitation will be Friday, March 23, 2018 from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Funeral service will follow at 11:00 a.m. Friday with Elijah Allen officiating.

Burial will be in Lightner Cemetery in Scott City.

In lieu of flowers donations may be given to the funeral home to help defray funeral expenses.

# Cemetery Details

## Lightner Cemetery

Scott City, MO

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Bridget Huff purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Charlotte M. Dow.*



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**Bridget Huff** - March 22, 2018 at 05:14 PM

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“ *I will always remember my mother's infinite ability to love, her infectious laughter and deeply bound faith in Jesus. She set an example of a life led by Christ through actions, and not words alone. With every obstacle in her nearly 78 years on this earth, she faced with prayer. There is little stronger than a mother's sincere prayer. And, I believe mountains would have moved if she prayed for God to move them. Her prayers were always with me, and for all those she knew and loved. Every single person she met was forever touched by a heart filled with hope, faith, compassion and love, and was never the same since. What an amazing gift God graced us with while she was here. My mother was a living testament that Jesus exists in all of us. And, now she has been called to her forever home in Heaven to spend eternity in God's presence, finally free of earthly bonds of pain and suffering. May we all pursue an equal endeavor. Now we greive momentarily, and one day prepare to celebrate eternally. Praise the Lord!*



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**Timothy Dow** - March 21, 2018 at 11:16 PM

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“Charlotte, you will always have a special place in our hearts at GA Endoscopy Center. You always had a cheerful smile & sweet disposition. It was a real privilege to be part of your care giving team.

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**GA Endoscopy Center Staff** - March 21, 2018 at 06:58 PM

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*Thank you GA endoscopy center staff for your kind words and care provided to Charlotte over the years. She was blessed to have so many wonderful caregivers.*

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**Linda Dow** - March 21, 2018 at 10:01 PM