



Donna Faye Niswonger McClain

October 27, 1943 - November 21, 2021

Donna Faye Niswonger McClain, 78, of Festus, Missouri died Sunday, November 21, 2021 at Mercy Hospital Jefferson.

She was born October 27, 1943 in Cape Girardeau to James "Woody" Woodrow and Mary Belle Ford Niswonger.

She married Roger McClain. He preceded her in death.

Donna was a graduate of Cape Central High School. She had worked for Farmers and Merchants Bank and Boatmen's Bank in Cape Girardeau. She later worked in the Kansas City School System.

She was a member of First Baptist Church of Cape Girardeau.

Donna enjoyed spending time with family, especially grandkids.

Survivors include two daughters, Robin Drum of Cape Girardeau and Julie (Kevin) Upchurch of Jackson; one sister, Nancy (Bob) Gerecke of Blue Springs, Missouri; six grandchildren, Jessica Sheppard, Britni Olejarczyk, Sarah Winston, Kellsie Upchurch, Maci Upchurch and David Drum; and 13 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and granddaughter, Ashli Ayers.

Friends may call 10:00 am to 12:00 noon on Saturday, November 27, 2021 at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel.

Funeral Service will follow at 12:00 noon at the funeral home with the Rev. Kenneth Trentham officiating.

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

Memorial contributions may be given to Turner Syndrome Foundation, Inc., PO Box 726, Holmdel, NJ 07733.

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

NOV 27. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

NOV 27. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Donna Faye Niswonger McClain.*



November 25, 2021 at 12:50 PM



“ *I send my sympathy to Donna's family! I have known Donna and Nancy for many years and their parents since we all went to First Baptist in Cape together! I send my love and prayers to all!*

Jane Cooper Stacy - November 24, 2021 at 10:56 AM



“ *Robin and Julie sorry to hear about your mother. May God be with both of you and your families during this difficult time.*
Greg and Holly Ford



Greg Ford - November 23, 2021 at 07:59 PM