



## Dorothy Jean Shoulders

December 2, 1929 - May 27, 2025

Dorothy Jean Shoulders, 95, formerly of Cape Girardeau, died Tuesday, May 27, 2025 at the home of her son in Sedgewickville, Missouri.

She was born December 2, 1929 in Memphis, Tennessee to Roy Eugene and Bertha Gertrude Haslip Ticer.

She and F.D. "Bud" Shoulders were married June 9, 1948 at Piggott, Arkansas. He preceded her in death on February 10, 2009.

Dorothy worked for International Shoe Factory for 5 years. Her main work was as a nursing assistant at Southeast Hospital for 28 years, 15 of those years in the surgical department. She retired in 1998. She also received a cosmetology license.

She was a member of Scriptural Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Dorothy liked to sew, spend time with her grandkids, and cooking, especially baking.

Survivors include her son, Roger (Annette) Shoulders and daughter, Brenda Landers of Sedgewickville; three grandchildren, LaDonna (Floriberto) Landers, Renee (Brad) Ziegler and Joshua (Kelli) Shoulders; eight great-

grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; son-in-law, Doyle Eugene Landers; one brother; three sisters; and a grandchild, Shannon Eugene Landers.

Friends may call 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm on Monday, June 2, 2025 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral Service will be at 1:00 pm Monday, June 2, 2025 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Mark Rogers officiating.

Entombment will be at Cape County Memorial Park Mausoleum in Cape Girardeau.

Memorial contributions may be given to Scriptural Evangelical Lutheran Church or American Cancer Society.

# Cemetery Details

## Cape County Memorial Park Mausoleum

2315 Highway 61 N  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 2. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home  
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Road  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

## Funeral Service

JUN 2. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

NK

“ Worked with Dorothy for years in SE OR, she loved her family, worked them as well. My best memory of her is a Christmas memory, both her and I loved Christmas, she drew my name in our dept gift exchange, she got me a wonderful Santa figurine going his list of good little boys and girls. Every year when I get that figurine out I think about her and relive all the happy memories I have of her, her wit and fer family members I got to know. Rest in peace Dorothy you did good.

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**Nancy Kranawetter** - June 01, 2025 at 03:26 PM

DS

“ I had the privilege of seeing this wonderful woman once a year for some years. - she brightened my day. She was so proud of her family and her face would light up talking about everyone as we caught up on life events. She will be missed.

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**Debbie Sutherland** - May 31, 2025 at 10:58 AM

RF

“ Roslyn, Lewis and Cleo Ticer Families purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dorothy Jean Shoulders.



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**Roslyn, Lewis and Cleo Ticer Families** - May 30, 2025 at 11:57 AM

DG

“ Dorothy and her family came to Dr. Mapes for their dental work. I believe that Dorothy would roll me down for any surgeries that I had. If Dorothy saw me in a store she would always say hi. She was a special lady. She always had a smile.

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**Dotty Gholson** - May 30, 2025 at 11:51 AM

TB

“ Trish and Bryan purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Dorothy Jean Shoulders.



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**Trish and Bryan** - May 30, 2025 at 02:10 AM

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“ Trish and Bryan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dorothy Jean Shoulders.

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**Trish and Bryan** - May 30, 2025 at 02:10 AM