



## Elinor Johnson

January 8, 2009

Elinor M. Johnson, 89, of Cape Girardeau, Mo. died Thursday, January 8, 2009 at St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau, Mo. She was born August 17, 1919, in Janesville, Wis., the daughter of Emil J. and Monica Mary Gagan Roesling. She and Erwin A. Johnson were married on February 16, 1942 in Janesville, Wis. Mrs. Johnson was a 1937 graduate of Janesville Senior High School. She worked at Parker Pen Co. in Janesville and was a homemaker for her family. She had also worked as a Juvenile Probation Officer for Rock County, Wis. and later as a Service Officer in the Veteran's Service Office in the Rock County Court House in Beloit, Wis. She retired in 1982. She and her husband moved to Cape Girardeau in July 2005 from Janesville. She was a member of Old St. Vincent Catholic Church. Survivors include her husband, Erwin A. Johnson of Cape Girardeau, Mo.; one son, Richard (Angela) Johnson of San Ramon, Calif.; one daughter, Mary (James) Maginel of Olive Branch, Ill.; four grandchildren, Justin (Lucia) Macklin, Troy Macklin, and Calvin & Katie Maginel; two great-grandchildren, Madisyn & Ethan DeMaria; and several nieces & nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Emil J. and Monica Mary Gagan Roesling; one brother, John Roesling; and two sisters, Margaret Ziegler and Esther Roesling. Friends may call at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home on Sunday, January 11, 2009 from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM with parish prayers at 4:00 PM. Funeral mass will be at Old St. Vincent Catholic Church on Monday, January 12, 2009 at 10:00 AM with the Rev. Tom Kiefer officiating. Interment will be at Jefferson Barracks

National Cemetery, in St. Louis, Mo. at a later date. Memorials may be made to Lutheran Home Hospice.