



## Emma Ellen Henson

August 23, 2012

Emma Ellen Henson, 79, of Cape Girardeau, died Thursday, August 23, 2012 at Southeast Missouri Hospital. She was born April 13, 1933 in Pocahontas, Ark. to Hazel Edgar and Emma Ellen Stokes Wantland. She and Robert Henson were married April 11, 1952 at Michigan City, Ind. Emma was a member of LaCroix United Methodist Church. She had been credit manager for Montgomery Ward in Michigan City. She had also been a realtor and was executive vice president of Link Electronics in Cape Girardeau, a business she owned with her husband. Survivors include her husband, Robert Henson of Cape Girardeau; daughter, Robin Ellen (Rodney) Payne of Willis, Texas; son, Robert Neal Henson, Jr. of Cape Girardeau; daughter, Cynthia Yvonne Sovich of Walla Walla, Wash.; six grandchildren, Michael Lee Payne, Matthew Lee Payne, and Steven Lee Payne of Willis, Texas, Amy Yvonne Manion of Chicago, Ill., Ann Marie Sovich of Walla Walla, and Robert Neal Henson, III, of Cape Girardeau; two great-grandchildren, Avery Lee Payne and Ethan Lee Payne. She was preceded in death by her parents, five brothers, and one sister. Friends may call 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Monday, August 27, 2012 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau. Funeral service will be at 10:00 am Tuesday, August 28, 2012 at LaCroix United Methodist Church in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Ron Watts officiating. Burial will follow at Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery in Cape Girardeau. Pallbearers will be Jim Timberlake, Dave Aufdenberg, Eddie Dry, and Jim Huckabee. Memorial contributions may be given to LaCroix United Methodist Church,

3102 Lexington, Cape Girardeau, MO. 63701 in the name of Emma Ellen Henson.

# Tribute Wall

BH

“ It will soon be eight months since you left me, and I still miss you reach day. Our 60 years of marriage was a bond that cannot be broken. Emm Ellen was the girl I fell in love wih, and she was the girl I wanted to spend my life with. Oh, yes we were in love and married 60 years. When I returned from the U.S. Army, we had our first child, and we were so happy. I believe you are in heaven with God, Jesus, and our loved ones. You are in good hands.

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**Bob Henson** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ Always a smile for everyone.

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**Tom Sabiston** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Emma Ellen Henson

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**Tom Sabiston** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ You will be truely missed. We loved you and Bob so much. I know you are in a beautiful wonderful place, just so save us a place next to you for Bob and us ok.

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**Jim and Toodie Moore** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Bob, our very best to you and the family. It was just a couple of weeks ago that you and Ellen called to say hello.

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**Ron and Pam Wells** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ You are all in our prayers. Sorry for your loss.

Pat King - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ We will miss Ellen. Condolences to Bob and the family.

Polly King - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ I'm so sorry for you loss, and mine. I have know Ellen for all the years she was married to Bobby. She was a lovely an caring lady. Much Love, Kay

Kay Crosby Holt - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ Robin we are so sorry to hear about your mom, our thoughts and prayers are with you, ... Love Liz, Bryan, Chris, Dylan & Dee

Liz, Bryan & Dee - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ I Love you Mother You can shed tears that she is gone Or you can smile because she has lived You can close your eyes and pray that she will come back Or you can open your eyes and see all that she has left Your heart can be empty because you can't see her Or you can be full of the love that you shared You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday Or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday You can remember her and only that she is gone Or you can cherish her memory and let it live on You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back Or you can do what she would want: smile, open your eyes, love and go on. I love you mother, always Neil

Neil Henson - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

EH

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Enjoyed knowing Ellen at LaCroix Church!*

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**Ellen Holford** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *Bob and family, We are so sorry to hear of the loss of Ellen. Please know that your family are in our prayers. Our deepest sympathy and thoughts are with you.*

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**Dallas & Betty Hickerson** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *I will think of you daily and of all the good times we have had over the past 60 years. I will love you in the morning when the sun comes up, I will love you in the evening when the sun goes down, I love you all day long, that's how much I love you....*

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**Bob Henson** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Our prayers and thoughts go out to the family of this very classy lady. You were very loved, and you will be missed by all that knew you.*

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**Jason & Wendy Beake** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *Dear Bob and family, We are so sorry to hear of the loss of Ellen. Please know that our sympathy and thoughts are with you. With sympathy, Pat and Ray*

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**Pat and Ray Bouchard** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PZ

“ Bobby, my sympathy to you and your family. I haven't seen you since high school but from your email I know Ellen was a wonderful wife and mother. Only God can give you peace and comfort and fill the empty place with his love. May God's blessing be on all your family. Sincerely, Pegg Zelman

Peggy Zelman - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Thinking of You,Robin On the Loss of Your Mother May the wonderful memories of your mother's love be with you and comfort you at this time. With Deepest Sympathy. Love Ya Dawn

Dawn Cerretani - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ I miss you so.... I love you Mama...

Robin Ellen Henson Payne - July 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ We will allways remember your lovely smile , and warm greeting when you came into Link. A loving friend we will all miss, but you will allways be in our hearts . And I know that you are watching over us, we will never forget you . God Bless Jim Timberlake

James Timberlake - April 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ Emma Ellen, I loved you so very much, words can not express the love I had for you, and will continue as long as I live. We shared our life together from the time we were married on Good Friday until the time you went to be with the Lord on August 23rd. Heaven is without sorrow, I know you will enjoy being in the presences of God, Jesus, your parents, brothers, sister, and friends. Good-bye for now until we meet again. Love Always Bob Henson

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**Bob Henson** - January 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM