



Gayla Brown

January 11, 1949 - September 3, 2025

Gayla Frances Brown-Decastro, 76, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Wednesday, September 3, 2025 at Mercy Hospital Southeast.

She was born January 11, 1949 in Bonne Terre, MO to Weldon Henry and Ima Jean (Horton) Politte. They both preceded her in death.

She and Emmett Decastro were married. He preceded her in death.

She was a homemaker. She and her husband loved to sing country western music throughout the area. She was a busy crafter by building baskets, designing quilts and doll dresses. She loved to cook and bake for family and friends.

Survivors include son, Kevin (Tina) Brown of Jackson, MO; two grandchildren, Chelsea Brown of Jackson, MO, Jasmine Brown of Cape Girardeau, MO; two great-grandchildren.

No services are being planned at this time.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford & Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.