



## Helen Merlene Hill

June 21, 1935 - September 27, 2019

Helen Merlene Hill, 84 of Cape Girardeau, passed away Friday, September 27, 2019 at Southeast Hospital.

She was born June 21, 1935 in Gipsy, Missouri to the late William A. and Vesta J. (Meador) Rea.

Helen married Carlton W. Hill. He preceded her in death in 2015.

Loving survivors include five sons, Sammy D. (Kim) Talley of Jackson, Missouri, Kenny D. (Mary Lou) Talley of Gipsy, Missouri and Trennis "Tooter" (Lawanda) Talley of Dexter, Missouri; Terry D. (Kristine) Sparkman of Dexter, Missouri and Mike L. (Misty) Sparkman of Cape Girardeau, Missouri; daughter, Cindy R. (Jeff) Slagley of Cape Girardeau, Missouri; one brother, Robert (Lois) Rea of South Roxana, Illinois; one sister Doris Lorene Talley of Caseyville, Illinois; 22 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren; 2 great-great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, son, James D. Talley, two brothers, one sister, two grandchildren.

Visitation will be Tuesday, October 1, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home.

Funeral service will follow at 11:00 a.m. at the funeral home.

Burial will follow at Berrong Cemetery in Gipsy, Missouri.

Memorial contributions may be given to the charity of choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Berrong Cemetery

Gipsy, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 1. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Ford - Mt Auburn  
1001 N Mt Auburn Road  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

## Service

OCT 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall

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“ I was her granddaughter. She always said id be something great when i got big. And i adored her for her love for me. She was the nicest lady i knew. Roughly, when i was about 10 or 11 we (her family) had to part with her. It was a sad day... But ill miss her. I love you grandma

-Tristan

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**Tristan** - February 25, 2022 at 07:24 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Helen Merlene Hill.



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September 30, 2019 at 04:12 PM

GA

“ Merlene was one of a kind. Always loved a good laugh. She will be missed. Prayers for the family. I will be there in spirit.

Love you all,  
Gabby



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**Gabby** - September 30, 2019 at 09:54 AM

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“ Gary and Grace Wood purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Helen Merlene Hill.



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**Gary and Grace Wood** - September 29, 2019 at 08:53 AM