



## Horace Hitt

April 7, 1935 - October 1, 2019

Horace C. Hitt, 84, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Tuesday, October 1, 2019 at Lutheran Home.

He was born April 7, 1935 in Cape Girardeau County to Harry and Lillian Rau Hitt.

He and Frances Hennecke were married April 4, 1959 at Pocahontas, Missouri.

He served in the National Guard.

He farmed in Cape Girardeau County all of his life and belonged to several farming organizations.

He loved to fish, hunt and was a self taught accomplished welder.

He was a longtime member of SEMO District Fair Board.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church.

Survivors include his wife, Frances Hitt of Cape Girardeau; one son, Randy (Amy) Hitt of Saint Louis, Missouri; one daughter, Vicki (Larry) Yeargain of

Cape Girardeau; one sister, Verna (Roy) Lancaster of Cape Girardeau; and seven grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two sons, Thomas and Mark Hitt.

Visitation will be 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Wednesday, October 2, 2019 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Service will be at 10:00 am Thursday, October 3, 2019 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Douglas Breite officiating.

Burial will be at Cape County Memorial Park in Cape Girardeau.

Memorial contributions may be given to Trinity Lutheran Church.

Online condolences may be made at [www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com).

Ford & Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery

2315 Highway 61 North  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701  
(573) 334-1909  
<https://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**OCT 2.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

**OCT 3.** 10:00 AM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church  
100 N. Frederick  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

# Tribute Wall



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. We enjoyed talking with Horace at the Eakins reunions!*

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**Deb McCool-Cloute** - October 06, 2019 at 10:26 AM

DO

“ *To the Hitt family and friends,  
I grew up with the Hitt's living only 2.5 miles away. From my earliest memories... Horace and Frances (and their children: Mark, Vicki, Randy, and Tommy) were always a part of most every weekend. Lots of fun, always. Even some home Super 8mm movies, including a goat rodeo! You have my thoughts and prayers in this time of your grieving. The pain will fade and the memories will grow stronger.  
Love ya, Doug*

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**Doug Obermann** - October 04, 2019 at 09:24 AM

GB

“ *Frances, we are so sorry for your loss. Always enjoyed seeing/visiting with you all. He is now with the Lord. God's blessings on you and your family. Glen & Alice Birk*

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**Glen Birk** - October 02, 2019 at 08:44 PM

SS

“ *Vickie and all sending prayers Horace was a kind man always enjoyed seeing him may you all find comfort from the Lord that he's in good hands. Sally Job Schlegel*

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**Sally Schlegel** - October 02, 2019 at 07:58 PM

MA

“ Frances,  
We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your wonderful husband. He was an amazing man with a kind heart. Mike has many wonderful memories of Horace as he was growing up. His farming skills were always his strong points. The Seyer family remembers Horace as their neighbor, a neighbor who always had that friendly farm wave as he passed by on Bloomfield Rd. He will be missed. Sorry Mike we will not be able to make it down to Cape, but know you and your family are in thoughts and prayers. God bless you as you go through this difficult time.  
Sending our love,  
Mike & Nancy Amelunke

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**Mike & Nancy Amelunke** - October 02, 2019 at 07:48 PM

BB

“ Frances and family,  
  
We are so sorry to hear about your loss of Horace. We know you will miss him terribly as all will, he was such a wonderful talented person and good friend.  
  
As I think of the large Christmas angel he made for us I know he has joined the angels in person and will be watching over all that were dear to him.  
  
Presently we are in Florida and will not be able to attend the visitation or services in his honor but will have you in ours thoughts and prayers.  
  
Fondly,  
Benny and Debbi Bollinger

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**Benny and Debbi Bollinger** - October 02, 2019 at 12:31 PM

LC

“ *Frances,*

*Our heartfelt condolences to you during this time of loss and grief.  
We wish we could be there with you.*

*God blessed you & Horace with 60 years of marriage and many  
wonderful family memories. Horace has now seen God's face and is  
free of his earthly suffering.*

*May your strong faith comfort & sustain you in the knowledge of a  
reunion in Heaven someday.*

*'I am the Resurrection and the Life. He who believes in me will live,  
even though he dies; and whoever lives and believes in me will  
never die.' John 11:25*

*Chuck & Linda Cammack*

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**Linda Cammack** - October 02, 2019 at 11:32 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the  
family of Horace Hitt.*



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October 02, 2019 at 10:35 AM

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“ *Mel and Angie, Julie, Jon and Tabitha purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Horace Hitt.*



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**Mel and Angie, Julie, Jon and Tabitha** - October 01, 2019 at  
06:47 PM