



## Janice Gailene Statler

August 22, 1953 - March 10, 2021

Janice Gailene Statler, 67, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Wednesday, March 10, 2021 at Saint Francis Medical Center.

She was born August 22, 1953 in Cape Girardeau to Jacob Glenn and Freeda Irene Tidwell Statler.

She was a 1972 graduate of Chaffee High School.

Gailene worked for Thorngate in Chaffee from 1972 to 1996 and then for Thorngate in Cape Girardeau. She worked for Cape Girardeau Public Schools from 1999 to 2002. She later worked at the Kid's Korner at Cape First and retired in 2018.

She was a member of Cape First.

Survivors include several cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Friends may call noon to 2 p.m. on Monday, March 15, 2021 at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral Service will follow at 2 p.m. Monday, March 15, 2021 at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Gary Brothers officiating.

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

Memorial contributions may be given to Cape First in Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

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

# 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

MAR 15. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

MAR 15. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

DS

“ *Ms Gailene was my neighbor for several years, and we shared many a gabfest over the back fence. She was a kind and gentle woman with a huge heart. My deepest condolences to her family.*

**Diane O. Sides** - March 14, 2021 at 04:53 PM

TE

“ *Tamara Holland Sondgeroth and Tonya Holland Evans purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Janice Gailene Statler.*



**Tamara Holland Sondgeroth and Tonya Holland Evans** -  
March 13, 2021 at 06:44 PM

LH

“ *Gailene was truly one of the most humble, compassionate, and genuine people God ever placed on this earth. Quiet and unassuming, but faithful to the end. Our loss, but Heaven's gain and I have no doubt she is praising her savior with all that is within her.*

**Leigh Hampton** - March 13, 2021 at 01:44 PM

SF

“ Gailene and I first met when little girls. Our Moms both sewed and made beautiful dresses. I remember going to their house and our Moms working on a dress or two together. I think our Moms worked at the what was called the ( the little shoe factory) together. So I knew Gailene when we moved to Chaffee I was 6 so she was just 5. We attended same school and also worked at Thorngate together in Chaffee. Always a smile always helpful to anyone who needed it. Specially her parents! So I'm sure her friends and family will miss her, but God has another Angel home.

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**Sharon Ford** - March 13, 2021 at 01:29 PM

MG

“ Gsilene was a member of our church First Assembly of God, which is now CapeFirst. She always had a sweet smile and something nice to say to everyone. I am sorry for the loss of such a sweet lady.

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**Millie J Grams** - March 12, 2021 at 10:32 PM

DA

“ So sorry to hear this. Gailene had such a pure, servant's heart. So glad to call her friend. Will miss her.

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**Deborah Anderson** - March 12, 2021 at 06:49 PM

AG

“ I will miss my dear friend and ride to church for many years.

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**Amanda Glasscock** - March 12, 2021 at 05:08 PM

RR

“ Gailene was such a special woman - loving, optimistic, and loyal. Our family will miss her greatly.

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**Rene Robinson** - March 12, 2021 at 05:08 PM

SW

“ *This is heartbreaking!! Such a beautiful soul. She touched so many lives. It's comforting to know she is resting in Gods arms now* ❤️

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**Scott and Tasha Williams** - March 12, 2021 at 03:46 PM

LB

“ *Such a special woman of God. We will miss you, Gailene*

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**Linda Blumenberg** - March 12, 2021 at 03:37 PM

JF

“ *We loved Ms. Gailene. She was a joy with which to work and worship. She will truly be missed on earth. But we know she is in heaven with her parents worshipping Jesus.*

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**Jean and Jan Fulton** - March 12, 2021 at 12:13 PM

PM

*So sorry to hear this. She was a special lady who made me feel welcome at church some 8 years ago and always made a point to say good morning. Such a kind heart and loved her church family.*

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**Peggy Miles** - March 12, 2021 at 07:59 PM

GS

*I knew Gailene from high school--she was so sweet and gentle to everyone she came in contact! We reconnected the past few years and she was still the most amazing, sweet, caring person who praised her God and loved her family! She will be truly missed!!!*

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**georgia smith** - March 14, 2021 at 08:52 PM