



Joy E. Grace

November 24, 1929 - December 9, 2018

Joy E. Grace, 89, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri passed away Sunday, December 9, 2018 at Ratliff Care Center. She was born November 24, 1929 in St. Louis, MO to the late Jasper Ray and Mary (Johnson) Swan. Joy and Murray L. Grace were married February 14, 1953 at Maple United Methodist Church in Cape Girardeau. He preceded her in death August 13, 1979. She was a member of Maple United Methodist Church. She loved being a part of the Loyal Aiders Sunday School class and Day Circle group at the church. She also volunteered numerous hours at Southeast Hospital. She was a homemaker and also worked in factory and food service for many years. Survivors include her two daughters, Vicki(Steve) Ramey of Cape Girardeau, Missouri and Beth (Jeff) Leible of Brazeau, Missouri; one son, Murray Michael Grace Sr. of Cape Girardeau; one brother, Billy Swan of Nashville, Tennessee; four grandchildren, Stephanie (Chris) Bledsoe of Cape Girardeau, Deanna Leible of Jackson, Danielle (Glenn) Pecher of Ballwin, Missouri, Murray Michael "Mick" (Caitlynn) Grace Jr. of Imperial, Missouri; and four great-grandchildren, Clara Bledsoe of Cape Girardeau, Briar and Brennan Grace of Imperial and Lincoln Pecher of Ballwin. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; and three sisters, Ruth Doll, Shirley Reutzel and Judy Swan. Visitation will be 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau. Funeral service will be at 10:00 AM Wednesday, December 12, 2018 at the funeral home with the Rev. Jeff Estes officiating. Burial will be at New Lorimier Cemetery in Cape

Girardeau. Memorial contributions may be given to Maple United Methodist Church. Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com. Ford & Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

New Lorimier Cemetery

Cape Girardeau, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 11. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home
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Service

DEC 12. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *So sorry to hear of Joy's passing. My thoughts are with you and your families!*

Jean Freeman - December 14, 2018 at 01:57 PM

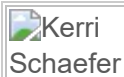
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“ *Vickie and family,*

I am so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. I am praying for you all during this very difficult time.



Susie O'Connell - December 12, 2018 at 04:47 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Joy's passing. I use to see her where I worked and anytime my boys came in she always wanted to talk to them. I remember her asking for a hug from them and one time she even kissed them on the cheeks. Then she told them " I love you, I may not know you, but I love you." My kids still ask about her even though I hadn't worked there in about a year. She will always hold a special place in my heart.*

Kerri Schaefer - December 11, 2018 at 12:29 PM

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“ *So grateful for such a wonderful woman who loved her community and family. And grateful that her caring family loved her too.*

Andrea Seabaugh - December 11, 2018 at 07:49 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joy E. Grace.*



December 10, 2018 at 07:13 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joy E. Grace.*



December 10, 2018 at 06:05 PM