



Juanita Hobbs Riggs

May 6, 1918 - May 14, 2017

Juanita Hobbs Riggs, 99, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Sunday, May 14, 2017 at Lutheran Home with her daughter at her side.

She was born May 6, 1918 in Swinton, MO to Harry and Myrtie Jackson Hobbs .

She and Leeman Mann were married Nov.24, 1937. She later married Robert E. Riggs on February 5, 1945 at San Antonio, Texas. He passed away March 1, 1991.

Juanita had worked for International Shoe Factory in Cape .She retired in 1983 from Cape Vending Co.

She was a member of Seventh Day Adventist Church and she and Robert Riggs helped establish the church in Cape Girardeau.

Survivors include :

Daughter - Veroncett L Gerlach of Cape Girardeau, MO She was known as Grandma Nita to her 4 Grandchildren Girada L. (Greg) Vines of Cape Girardeau, MO Joleda L. (David) Moyers of Jackson, MO Darris R. (Tina) Gerlach of Cape Girardeau, MO Myra R. (Jason) McCormick of Scott City, MO Brother - Delano Hobbs of Benton, MO

8 Great Grandchildren - Justin (Tara Ford) Vines, Jaime (Brad) Drum, Erica (Chet) Hindman, Jessica (Luke) Hilgenbrinck, Joshua Moyers, Darris (Lisa) Gerlach, Jr., Ashton (Derek Walker) Gerlach, Dalton McCormick
10 Great-Great Grandchildren

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, 4 brothers and 1 sister

Visitation will be from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM on Wednesday, May 17, 2017 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home.

Funeral service will be at 1:00 PM Wednesday, May 17, 2017 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home with the Rev. Vic VanSchaik and Rev. Lee Whitman officiating.

Burial will be at Lorimier Cemetery in Cape Girardeau.

Memorial contributions may be given to Seventh Day Adventist Church in Cape Girardeau.

Cemetery Details

Lorimier Cemetery

835 Caruthers
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 17. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home
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Service

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“ So sorry for your loss. She was such a sweetheart ! Always so friendly.

Betty Sue Rapien - May 18, 2017 at 10:55 AM