



Martha Madline Hente

August 29, 1928 - April 22, 2022

Martha Madline Hente, 93, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri passed away Friday, April 22, 2022 at Heartland Care and Rehab.

She was born August 29, 1928 in Chaffee, Missouri to Charles Henry Bess and Mary Ella Emerick Bess.

She and Robert Louis "Bob" Hente were married May 24, 1952 in Chaffee, Missouri. They shared 64 years of marriage before his passing on April 21, 2017.

Martha retired as a sales clerk from JCPenney. She also worked at Child's IGA, A&P, Hirsch's Thriftway and the shoe factory in Chaffee. Martha was involved in pastoral care at Southeast Hospital, a member of the Southeast Hospital Auxiliary, and a member of the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary.

She was a faithful member of Cape First Church.

Survivors include a son, Robert (Patricia) Hente Jr. of Cape Girardeau; grandchildren, Brooks Hente, Dustin (Brandy) Hente, Amanda Hente; four great-grandchildren, Aria Hente, Claire Hente, Avia Hente, Westlyn Hente; sister, Mary Holland of St. Louis; several nieces, nephews and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, one sister and two brothers.

Visitation will be Tuesday, April 26, 2022 from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m. at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel. Funeral service will be Wednesday, April 27, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. at the funeral home with Rev. Mark Graham officiating.

Burial will follow at the Missouri Veterans Cemetery at Bloomfield.

Memorial contributions may be given to Mid-America Adult and Teen Challenge.

Cemetery Details

Missouri Veteran's Cemetery

7357 Stars and Stripes Way
Bloomfield, MO 63825

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **26**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

APR **27**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *I remember meeting her at schnucks her and husband really nice people I'm sorry for your loss bob*

april jones - April 27, 2022 at 09:38 AM



“ *Spirit - Memorial Globe Candle Holder was purchased for the family of Martha Madline Hente.*



April 26, 2022 at 02:38 PM



“ *To the Family of Martha Hente my thought and condolences are with you in this time. Parents are a treasure.*

bob pollack - April 26, 2022 at 01:07 PM



“ *In Memory - Angel Figurine, 8.25 in was purchased for the family of Martha Madline Hente.*



April 25, 2022 at 07:06 PM

TS

“ *The Greatest Memory I have a Madeline she always wanted to give us piece of gum and candy We will always remember her From Jim&Tammy Schleinger*

Tammy Schleinger - April 24, 2022 at 11:01 AM

KP

“ *Madeline was a great neighbor. I spent many hours talking to her and Bob. Miss them both so much.*

Kathy Payne

Kathy Payne - April 24, 2022 at 10:18 AM

MF

“ *Thinking of you during this time of loss. I noticed according to the obituary that your father also passed in April only one day difference, but 5 years ago. Prayers sent your way.*

Martha Fricke - April 23, 2022 at 10:30 PM

MG

“ *Madline has been a longtime friend to me. We've known each other since April 18, 1980,when we moved to Cape Girardeau. Madeline and her husband,Bob, were one o the first people we met. Throughout our 11 years there, they were always kind to us. I will miss her. I'm thankful she's with Bob.*

Millie J Grams - April 23, 2022 at 10:17 PM

DP

“ *Bob, so sorry for your loss. She was a beautiful, sweet lady. Prayers for you and your family.*

Debbie Petty

Debbie Petty - April 23, 2022 at 09:07 PM

LP

“ *Bob and family so sorry for your loss*



Laurie Powers - April 23, 2022 at 04:45 PM