



Martha Pamela Minton

March 12, 2015

Martha P Minton, 62 of Jackson, MO passed away peacefully surrounded by her family Thursday, March 12, 2015 at Southeast Hospital. She was born, August 30, 1952 in Cape Girardeau, MO daughter of Rethor & Alma Juanita (Lacey) Macke. She married Gary L Minton in 1970 in Cape Girardeau, MO. Gary passed away in 1998. Martha then spent 18 years with the love of her life Dean Drerup who passed away on April 12, 2014. Martha retired from Manpower in 2012 after working there for over 20 years. She was also previously employed by Show Me Center and Florsheim Shoe Company. Martha was an active member of the Cape and Jackson Chamber of Commerce, CAPA (Cape Area Personnel Association) and the VFW Women's Auxiliary. Martha is survived by 3 children, Lori Bodenschatz (Roger) of Jefferson City, MO, Heather Minton (Bill Keese), Michael Minton, of Jackson and 4 grandchildren, Austin & Logan Bodenschatz, Dillon Lang, Laney Minton and adopted grandson Zach Moore. She is also survived by 3 siblings, Elwanda Compas, Cape Girardeau, Wilma Hawkins, Metairie, LA and Richard Macke of Fredericktown, MO. She was preceded in death by her parents and sister Betty Craft and her mother-in-law Dorothy Minton. Martha was loved by all who knew her. She had a very kind and generous heart and helped many people in need. She was an avid animal lover and rescued many animals over the years. A celebration of life will be held at the VFW in Cape Girardeau, MO will be held on Sunday, March 15, 2015 from 1pm - 3pm. In lieu of flowers, please make memorials to Rough Road Pet Rescue, 9126

Highway 51 South, Perryville, MO 63775. Ford & Sons Funeral Home-
Jackson, formerly Cracraft-Miller in charge of arrangement

Tribute Wall

LG

“ *Lovely lady. I'm so sorry to read about Martha. I worked with her at the Show Me Center and Manpower. May she rest in peace now.* ”

Lisa Gerlach - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *Martha was a wonderful person and I was so blessed to have known her. Aunt Susan I am so sorry for your loss and the rest of your family. My prayers are with you all. R.I.P. Martha missed but never forgotten* ”

Dawn (Burton) Hager - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ *Our sympathy and prayers to the Family of Martha..God's Blessing Benny & Genetha* ”

Benny & Genetha Johnson - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CH

“ *I am deeply saddened to hear about Martha, what a great person and such a help as a neighbor when my husband passed. RIP in the Lords hands.* ”

Cheryl Huffman - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Martha was a good friend of mine. She was such a great person. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this very difficult time. God bless.* ”

Susie Pickett O'Connell - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ *Martha was one of the finest ladies I ever knew. Sarcastic and funny and honest to a fault. She will be sadly missed by all. Prayers for her family.*

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