



Mary J Mitchell

September 19, 1940 - February 8, 2021

Mary Jewell Cox Mitchell, 80, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri passed away and went to her heavenly father Monday, February 8, 2021 at her daughter and son-in-law's residence.

She was born September 19, 1940 in Fulton, Arkansas to Sam Beasley and Mary Virginia Purtle Cox.

She and Jerry Douglas Mitchell were married in Fulton Arkansas.

She began working at St. Francis Medical Center in 1978 in the supplies and clerical department. She was proud to be the first recipient of the "Employer of the Month Award." She worked there for twenty plus years.

She enjoyed spending time with her family. She was an avid artist and enjoyed singing, dancing, sewing, crochet and shopping. She was a talented story teller mostly her favorite "ghost" stories.

She was of the Baptist faith and prayed daily.

Survivors include two daughters, Donnell (Lonnie) Mitchell-Baumbach of Largo, Florida, Bobbie Mitchell (Mark) Kohlfeld of Cape Girardeau; one son, James "JB" (Laura) Mitchell of Festus, Missouri; nine grandchildren, Heather

Story Illers, Neil Berbling, Christopher Berbling, Jerry Ray Baumbach, Lisa Baumbach, Julia Kohlfeld, Taylor Kohlfeld, Hayley Mitchell-Wunderlich, Seth Mitchell; ten great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and daughter, Dorothy Mitchell Berbling.

There will be private services.

Burial will be at New Lorimier Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be given to American Red Cross and The Avenue of Flags.

Online condolences may be made at www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com.

Ford and Sons Funeral Home - Mt. Auburn is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

New Lorimier Cemetery

Cape Girardeau, MO

Tribute Wall

MV

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. I worked with Mary for many years. She was very hard working and always, always willing to lend a hand. A very kind and loving person. Rest in peace Mary. My condolences.

Melenie VanDeWeghe - February 12, 2021 at 09:05 AM

BO

Thank you Melenie , she really enjoyed working at SFMC w/you all .

Bobbie - May 06, 2021 at 12:36 PM

LP

“ Bobbie and family I am so sorry to hear of your loss, your moms laughter I will always remember, love and prayers to all of you.

Laurie Powers - February 12, 2021 at 05:08 AM

BO

Thanks Laurie , that means a lot , and yes many memories.

Bobbie - May 06, 2021 at 12:37 PM



“ Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of Mary J Mitchell.



February 10, 2021 at 12:09 PM

RF

“ Rest In Peace Mary. May God wrap his arms around her and her family. She was the nicest most beautiful and wonderful woman. When you kids were small I would come over and your dad and I would take the ski boat out on the river and would worry about us until we returned. She would always have lunch or dinner ready for us. Praying for you all.

Roy Blankenship Jacksonville FI - February 10, 2021 at 05:58 AM

JM

Thanks Roy!!

james mitchell - February 10, 2021 at 10:46 AM

BO

Thanks Roy, and yes I remember that boat! I remember dad took us out on the river , none of us could swim , the boat motor died and I was scared to death!! But we lived thru it ha!. Mom had that boat for a while , then finally sold it. Thanks again for the friendship and memory
Bobbie

Bobbie - May 06, 2021 at 12:39 PM

BR

“ I am so sad that you have lost your sweet Mother. I know the heart break...your Mom is a treasured friend like no other. I know how deeply each of you loved Mary & I know how deeply she loved all of you. She will forever be missed. Please accept my deepest condolences...

Bernadine Roberts - February 09, 2021 at 04:03 PM

BO

Thank you so much Bernadine, yes we will miss her bunches, it was good to see Chris. Precious memories .

Bobbie - May 06, 2021 at 12:41 PM