



## Muriel L. Kelley

January 5, 1920 - May 21, 2018

Muriel L. Kelley, 98, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Monday, May 21, 2018 at Heartland Care and Rehab in Cape Girardeau.

She was born January 5, 1920 in St. James, Missouri to J.C. and Minnie Lee Givens Southard.

She married Earl Kelley who preceded her in death December 28, 1982.

She was head cook at Cape Central High School cafeteria for over 30 years.

She was a member of First General Baptist Church in Cape Girardeau.

Survivors include her son, Lloyd Kelley of Jackson, Missouri; five grandchildren and several great-grandchildren and great great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; two sons, Howard Kelley and Willard Kelley; six brothers; and one sister.

Visitation will be 10:00 am to 11:00 am on Thursday, May 24, 2018 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral service will follow at 11:00 am at the funeral home with the Rev. Jim

Rudolph officiating.

Burial will be at Cape County Memorial Park in Cape Girardeau.

The family would like to thank Heartland Care and Rehab and Southeast Hospice for all their loving care.

# Cemetery Details

## Cape County Memorial Park Cemetery

2315 Highway 61 North  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701  
(573) 334-1909  
<https://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 24.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

## Service

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# Tribute Wall

DG

“ *Dog sorry about the passing of your mom, she was such a good person. God Bless*

David Gaither - May 25, 2018 at 07:57 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Muriel L. Kelley.*



May 24, 2018 at 08:36 AM

JK

“ *Aunt Muriel had a long, full life. Sure going to miss her. She was a lot like my dad (her brother Elmer)...not a big talker but always ready to help in any way she could. Sorry I won't make it back for the funeral but I'll be thinking of her and the family.*

Judy (Southard) Klein - May 23, 2018 at 06:49 PM

BS

*Gramma Kelley loved to cook and bake, and always wanted you to sit down and have something to eat. She was a great lady who loved her family and extended family.*

Bev Strohmeier - May 24, 2018 at 11:05 AM

DM

“ *We send our condolences to you Debbie and all your family. It is a blessing to have shared life with family so long. Our hearts are sad for your loss.*

Dottie McDermott - May 23, 2018 at 03:08 PM