



## Shelley Nichols

May 2, 2009

Shelley Jean Nichols, 51, of Cape Girardeau died Saturday, May 2, 2009, at her home. She was born Jan. 4, 1958, in St. Louis, daughter of Howard and Ellenada Glaze. Shelley graduated from Ritenour High School. After completing training at County Hospital in St. Louis she moved to Cape Girardeau and took a job at Southeast Missouri Hospital, where she was a CPR-certified, accredited radiology technologist 25 years. After moving to Cape Girardeau, she met and later married David Nichols in May 1989, her husband of nearly 20 years. Shelley was a devoted wife and mother and was passionately proud of her family. She was a member of La Croix United Methodist Church, where she worked in the nursery with her husband. She was serious about home decorating, scrapbooks and photography, and she loved her three dogs. She was also an avid Central High School sports fan, following her daughter Amanda's softball career as a pitcher, and her son Chris, who runs cross country and plays tennis. Survivors include her mother, Ellenada Glaze of Melbourne, Fla.; husband David; a daughter, Amanda, of the home; a son, Chris, of the home; and a sister, Julie (John) Johnson of Port Washington, Wis. Shelley was preceded in death by her father, Howard Glaze. Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Ford and Sons Mount Auburn Funeral Home. The service will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at La Croix United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to the Humane Society of Southeast Missouri. Send donations to Ford and Sons Funeral Home.