



## Tabitha Cox

March 12, 1969 - November 26, 2025

Tabitha Michelle Cox, 56, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died peacefully Wednesday, November 26, 2025 at Life Care Center of Cape Girardeau.

She was born March 12, 1969 in Cape Girardeau, Missouri to Billy and Shirley Osborn Buck.

She was a retired nurse, where she worked at Saint Francis Medical Center, Southeast Missouri Correctional Department and Missouri Veterans Home.

Survivors include her daughter, Danielle Cox of Cape Girardeau; brother, Daniel (Sheila) Buck of Gordonville, Missouri; adopted sister, Shanda Hemphill of Cape Girardeau; two best friends, Tim Depriest of Carterville, Illinois and David Cox of Cape Girardeau; uncle, Bob (Linda) Osborn of Jackson, Missouri; two grandchildren, Kaiden Cox and Keshon Cox both of Cape Girardeau; and a nephew, Billy W. Buck.

She was preceded in death by her parents

Visitation will be 10:00 am to 12:00 pm on Tuesday, December 2, 2025 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau.

Memorial service will follow at 12:00 pm Tuesday, December 2, 2025 at the

funeral home with the Rev. Donny Ford officiating.

Memorial contributions may be given to Family Counseling Center.

Online condolences may be made at [www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.fordandsonsfuneralhome.com).

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 2. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

## Memorial Service

DEC 2. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



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**Tim DePriest** - December 01, 2025 at 06:26 PM



*June 2022, Destin, Florida*

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**Tim DePriest** - December 01, 2025 at 06:27 PM



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**Tim DePriest** - December 01, 2025 at 06:22 PM



*June 2022, Huntsville, Alabama*

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**Tim DePriest** - December 01, 2025 at 06:23 PM

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“ *Shonda Hemphill lit a candle in memory of Tabitha Cox*



Shonda Hemphill - December 01, 2025 at 04:21 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Tabitha Cox.*

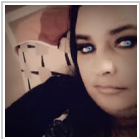


December 01, 2025 at 04:19 PM

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“ *Condolences to tabithas family and friends, I worked with tabithas at St. Francis. She was very compassionate and caring and fun to work. She will be missed Debra Deans*

Debra Deans - November 29, 2025 at 08:21 AM



“ *I only knew Tabitha for a short while but she had a flame that could never be extinguished.*

Sarah Hinkle - November 26, 2025 at 07:32 PM

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*U will be missed by a lot people an I miss you fly high angel may you rest in peace in heaven love u Angela g Hale*

Angela Hale - November 29, 2025 at 04:55 AM