



Verna Best

November 24, 2013

Verna E. Best, 87, of Gordonville, MO died Sunday, November 24, 2013 at Jackson Manor in Jackson, MO. She was born September 11, 1926 in Friedheim, MO to Arthur and Anna Dickman Ruesler. She and Marvin Best were married February 6, 1949 at Friedheim, Missouri. She was an active member of the Evangelical United Church of Christ in Cape Girardeau and its Mary Martha Circle. Verna had worked at the Jackson Hosiery Mill and lived and worked on the family farm for 64 years. Survivors include Husband - Marvin Best, Sr., Gordonville, MO Son - Marvin (Carolyn) Best, Jr., Gordonville, MO Daughter - Bonnie (Brian) Stahlman, Gordonville, MO Brother - Harold (Rose Mary) Ruesler, Jackson, MO Sister, Virgie (Harold) Schubert, Perryville, MO Grandchild - Bob Best Grandchild - Terry (Mindy) Best Grandchild - Jennifer Stahlman Grandchild - Ashley Stahlman Great Grandchild - Kyle Best Great Grandchild - Cody Best Also many nieces and nephews She was preceded in death by her parents and three brothers, Norman, Rupert, and Wilbert Ruesler. Visitation will be from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Monday, November 25, 2013 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau. Funeral service will be at 10:00 AM Tuesday, November 26, 2013 at Evangelical United Church of Christ with the Rev. Dan Johnson officiating. Burial will be at Salem Cemetery in Cape Girardeau. Memorial contributions may be given to Evangelical United Church of Christ Memorial Fund or to the Salem Cemetery Fund. Ford & Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ There is nothing more special than a mother and you certainly had a special mother. My love and sympathy are with all of the family in their loss of such a special person. I always enjoyed when I was blessed to be able to talk to your mother--she was a sweetheart. I know you will always cherish your memories. My sympathy, Sheree

Sheree Williamson - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Aunt Verna was a very special person. She is going to be missed by many. The times we shared, the memories and joy we made will always be with us. Those memories will also keep Aunt Verna close to us. I am sorry that Russ and I will not be able to be there with you during your time of sorrow. Russ has hip replacement surgery on Wednesday and can not travel at this time. But you will be in our thoughts and prays. It was so good to talk to Uncle Marvin this morning. Please take good care of him. He is the only Uncle we have left. Peace and Love be with you.

Wanda & Russell McCampbell - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM