



## Wilma Enderle Jones

June 17, 1936 - March 13, 2025

Wilma Zita Enderle Jones, 88, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri died Thursday, March 13, 2025 at Newbridge Retirement Community.

She was born June 17, 1936 in Chaffee, Missouri to Edward S. and Hilda P. Schafer Enderle.

Wilma grew up on the family farm in Kelso, Missouri and attended St. Augustine School.

At the age of 20 she married the love of her life, Bobby G. Jones on May 5, 1956 in Kelso, Missouri. She went on to have four wonderful children, whom she loved very much.

She was a cost analyst at Ralph Edwards Sportswear for 16 years. She also worked at the Shoe Factory, Montgomery Wards and Southeast Missouri State University. Her and Bob bought many homes in Cape Girardeau as rental units. She was the hardest working woman and was loved by all that met her, feared by some.

She was a member of St. Mary Cathedral in Cape Girardeau. She was also a member of VFW and Tops.

Survivors include two Sons, Bill (Kimberly) Jones of Jackson and Don Jones of Cape Girardeau; a daughter, Ronda (Harold) Palmer of Jackson; a brother, Leon Enderle of Kelso, Missouri; five grandchildren, Bryton (Morghan) Jones of Gordonville, Missouri, Brynnleigh Jones of Jackson, Taylor Jones of Cape Girardeau, Bobbie (Joe) Dilley of Fruitland, Missouri, James (Kristina) Jones of Marthasville, Missouri; three great-grandchildren, Kynlee Jones, Lola Jones and Marley Jones.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; a son, Robert Jones; and a brother, Theon Enderle.

Visitation will be 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm Monday, March 17, 2025 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel in Cape Girardeau, with Parish Prayers at 6:00 pm.

Funeral Mass will be 10:00 am Tuesday, March 18, 2025 at St. Mary Cathedral in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Jesse Hiatt officiating.

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

Memorial contributions may be given to American Cancer Society or St. Mary Cathedral Food Pantry.

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

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

# 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

MAR 17. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

## Parish Prayers

MAR 17. 6:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Mass

MAR 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary Cathedral  
615 William St.  
Cape Girardeau, MO 63703



# Tribute Wall

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“ Wilma was my Landlord but before i had really met Wilma I went all through school with her daughter Ronda Jones Palmer at Hawthorne Elementary and Cape Central High School. Which we were friends. Wilma was a great Landlord and She talked about her family mostly Ronda. She Loved her family very much. She was a bit rough around the edges, But once you got to know her that roughness was understandable cause her life as a landlord. She never scared me. But some tenants were very scared of her. To Ronda and Family I Send Prayers and Condolences to You All. R.I.P. Ms. Wilma. Until we Meet Again. 🙏

Stephanie Diane Windisch - August 02, 2025 at 12:17 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Wilma Enderle Jones.

March 16, 2025 at 09:29 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Wilma Enderle Jones.

March 15, 2025 at 04:39 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Wilma Enderle Jones.



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