



Betty J. Higgins

November 8, 1929 - April 16, 2021

Betty J. Higgins, age 91, of Cape Girardeau, Missouri passed away on Friday, April 16, 2021 in Cape Girardeau.

Betty was born on November 8, 1929 in Marston, Missouri, a daughter of James W. and Hattie Loraine (Pinor) Griffy. On May 17, 1952 she married Ray D. "Red" Higgins and he preceded her in death on January 13, 2010 after 57 years of marriage.

Betty was a high school teacher in the Illinois public school system for over 20 years and in 1979 returned to Cape Girardeau where she was employed for many years as the Director of Operations for Panorama Tour & Travel.

Survivors include her nephews and nieces, James (Jodi) Huhn of St. Charles, Missouri, Debbie (Charles) Devers of Cape Girardeau, Billy Griffy of Dellwood, Florida and Charla (Glen) Brown of Woodenville, Washington; her brother and sister-in-law, Charles (Felicia) Griffy of Edgewater, Florida; great-nephews and great-nieces, Will (Misti) Otto of Marble Hill, Missouri, Sienna Brown and Adam Brown of Woodenville, Washington, Michael Griffy, Joshua Griffy and Christopher Griffy of Dellwood, Florida; and great-great-nephews-and-nieces, Dallas, Samantha and Gus Otto, Aric and Brianna Hobbs, and Christian Johnson.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Ray Higgins; two brothers, Louie Griffy and Jim Griffy; and one sister Wilma Huhn.

Graveside Funeral Services will be held at Cape County Memorial Park in Cape Girardeau on Wednesday, April 28, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. with Reverend Barry Pfanstiel officiating.

In lieu of customary remembrances, the family suggests memorials to LCHAD Research, in care of Dr. Thomas Morgan, Vanderbilt Children's Hospital, 2200 Children's Way, Nashville, TN, 37232.

Crain Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Cape Girardeau has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Cape County Memorial Park

Cape Girardeau, MO

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR 28. 11:00 AM (CT)

Cape County Memorial Park
Cape Girardeau, MO

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty J. Higgins*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty J. Higgins.*



April 27, 2021 at 02:17 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Betty J. Higgins.*



April 20, 2021 at 10:41 PM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Betty J. Higgins.*



April 20, 2021 at 06:45 PM