



Mary Jane Kaufman

March 18, 1937 - August 11, 2020

Mary Jane (Wallis) Kaufman, 83, of Thebes died at 7:40 AM, Tuesday, August 11, 2020 at her home.

She was born on March 18, 1937 in Racine, Wisconsin to Charles Edward and Hattie Wallis. She married Thomas "TD" Kaufman, Sr. on November 16, 1956.

Mary Jane was a cool mother to her kids and would often even listen to their music. Elvis was her favorite performer. Besides being a wife and mother to 8 children, she worked nearly 30 years at Florsheim Shoe Company. She attended Valley Mission Pentecostal Church.

She is survived by her 3 sons, John Edward Kaufman (Tina), Thomas Daniel Kaufman, Jr. (Donna) and Dwain Scott Kaufman (Sharon); 5 daughters, Mary Elizabeth Scronce, Tammy Lynn Kaufman, Yvonne Colette McLane (James), Loralie Ann Mayberry (Bobby), Alice Elaine Johnson (Michael); 16 grandchildren, 27 great grandchildren; 5 sisters, Shirley Jenson, Sharon Songer, Bev Jounbling, Pam Cory, and Patricia Sagura.

She was preceded in death by her husband; mother, father, and step-mother, Alice; 3 sisters, Mickie Diaz, Debbie Bryant, and Thelma Theyerl.

Funeral Services for Mary Jane Kaufman will be held at 7:00 PM Friday, August 14, 2020 at Crain Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau, MO with Rev. James McLane and Rev. Bobby Mayberry officiating. Visitation will be held from 5:00 PM until the hour of the service at the funeral home. Private inurnment will take place later at Lindsey Cemetery in McClure, Illinois.

Memorial contributions may be made to Lindsey Cemetery and will be accepted at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **14**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (cst)

Crain Funeral Home - Cape Girardeau
829 N. West End Blvd
(4 blocks north of Southeast Hospital)
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
(573) 335-3223
crain@crainsonline.com

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Jane Kaufman*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the Kaufman Family. I enjoyed many Friday evenings at Fox's Restaurant, with your parents. We were all regulars on Fridays.*

Lynn Anderson - August 14, 2020 at 06:25 PM



“ *So sorry children (grown-ups now) to see your Mom left this life. She loved the Lord; so now she is enjoying life like she has never even imagined. How blessed you are to have such a wonderful and loving Mom for all the years God allowed. Pray God comforts you as only He can. Just wondering - John, were there feathers again? Love to all- all of you.*
Jeannette and Jimmy Stone

Jeannette Stone - August 14, 2020 at 11:40 AM



“ *Shawnee Mass Transit purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Mary Jane Kaufman.*



Shawnee Mass Transit - August 13, 2020 at 12:57 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Jane Kaufman.*



August 13, 2020 at 08:38 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Jane Kaufman.*



August 13, 2020 at 06:42 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Jane Kaufman.*



August 12, 2020 at 06:44 PM



“ *My Aunt Jane was always there for ppl. She took me in when i needed a place to go and made me feel at home. When i was a kid i loved going out there when we visited. I believe she introduced me to cucumber sandwiches! RIH Aunt Jane. I love you!!!*

Sarah Segura-Cook - August 12, 2020 at 05:50 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Jane Kaufman.*



August 12, 2020 at 04:50 PM



“ *Mark & Dawn Kilburn lit a candle in memory of Mary Jane Kaufman*



Mark & Dawn Kilburn - August 12, 2020 at 04:16 PM



Sending prayers for Patrick and family. We love you buddy

Mark Dawn Kilburn - August 12, 2020 at 04:19 PM



“ *She was the best grandma. She was awesome and fun to be around. I spent many nights at her house. Her food was awesome but her mashed potatoes could not be beat. They were the bomb. I'm gonna miss our long talks that we would have in person and on the phone. She always s made me feel better. Grandma rest in peace. I'm gonna miss you but you got your healing and you are stronger than ever. I love you Grandma. ❤️*

Patrick Kaufman - August 12, 2020 at 03:49 PM

CD

“ Courtney Deloach sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Jane Kaufman



Courtney Deloach - August 12, 2020 at 03:29 PM

AM

“ Amerigas purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mary Jane Kaufman.



Amerigas - August 12, 2020 at 10:41 AM

MI

“ Marion Glass & Mirror, Inc. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mary Jane Kaufman.



Marion Glass & Mirror, Inc. - August 12, 2020 at 10:23 AM