



## Dorothy A. Scherer

June 10, 1917 - August 7, 2020

Dorothy A. Scherer, 103, of Perryville, Missouri died Friday, August 7, 2020 at Independence Care Center of Perry County in Perryville, Missouri.

She was born June 10, 1917 in Perry County, Missouri to Charles P. and Emma (Seifert) Besand. She and Louis E. Scherer were married October 1, 1938. He preceded her in death on May 26, 1975.

She was a member of St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church and Senior Citizens in Perryville. Dorothy was a home maker and had worked at International Shoe Factory, then later at Frieda's Restaurant in Perryville and lastly she worked at Built Best in Ste. Genevieve, Missouri. Dorothy was an avid quilter for the Seminary Picnic and her family.

Survivors include her two daughters, Joan M. Self of High Ridge, Janice A. Schumer of Perryville; 10 grandchildren, Jonathan (Kimberly) Self, Julie (Ron) Palmisano, Tamara Winschel, Keith (Kelly) Winschel, Renee Jannin, Jeffery Winschel, Apryl (Keith) Krauss, Stephanie (John) Vandeven, Aarica (Ryan) Wideman, Janal (Tyson) Whistler; 18 great-grandchildren, Haily, Samuel, Hannah, Shawna, Kellen, Keeten, Karley, Nicole, Kyle, Jamie, Samantha, Victor, Vincent, Vohn, Austin, Aaron, Allen and Rhen; and 5 great-great-grandchildren Justin, Brexton, Laeyla, Saphera and Zekiel.

She was preceded by her parents; husband; daughter and son-in-law, Judith M. and Patrick Winschel; one son-in-law, Allen E. Schumer; two brothers, Chalmer and Conway Besand; three sisters, Eunice Besand, Agatha Duvall, Beatrice Besand; and one infant brother, Clovis Besand.

Friends may call at Ford & Young Chapel on Sunday, August 9 from 5:00 to 8:00 pm and on Monday, August 10 from 6:30 to 9:30 am with Rosary recited at 8:30 am. Funeral Mass will be held at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church at 10:00 am with the Rev. Joe Geders CM officiating. Burial in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be given to St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church.

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

Ford & Young Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Hope Cemetery

Perryville, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **9**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Young Chapel  
110 S. West St.  
Perryville, MO 63775

## Funeral Mass

AUG **10**. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church  
1000 Rosati Court  
Perryville, MO 63775

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy A. Scherer*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Dorothy A. Scherer*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Janice, may your Christian faith comfort you.*  
*Brad and Rita Weber*

**Rita Weber** - August 11, 2020 at 09:45 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Dorothy was such a character and we enjoyed having her at the center everyday for years. What a great picture! It captures her perfectly.*

**Susan Foster** - August 10, 2020 at 10:55 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. She lived a long and happy life. Bless you all!*

*Darlene and Gary Weibrecht.*

**Darlene Weibrecht** - August 10, 2020 at 09:53 AM

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*Hi Janice, I'm so sorry to read of your fun sweet mother's passing! She was delightful! I hope she's dancing !  
Your old friend, Linda kirn Brewer.*

**linda kirn brewer** - August 28, 2020 at 03:03 AM

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*“ Our deepest sympathy for the family. Dorothy and I always had a long visit each year when I picked up my quilt for the Seminary Picnic. She was a doll. When Dorothy retired from making quilts, she turned it over to Judy. Judy and I always had a long visit over the quilt for the picnic that she made. When July stopped to tell me her news and that the quilt would be her last, it broke my heart. Often saw Dorothy at the nursing home - she will be missed.*

**Carlene Rauh** - August 09, 2020 at 11:31 AM



*“ Stephanie, my deepest sympathy to you and your family on the loss of your grandmother. I pray that God brings your family together in peace & good memories of a life well lived.*



**Etta Johnson** - August 09, 2020 at 08:15 AM