



Neltha H. Wills

May 22, 1923 - June 14, 2019

Neltha H. Wills, 96, of Perryville, died on June 14, 2019 at The Lutheran Home in Cape Girardeau, MO.

She was born May 22, 1923 in Beemer, NE daughter of Martin August and Marie W. (Pagels) Roth. She and Russell E. Wills Sr. were married on September 7, 1946. He preceded her in death on February 11, 1998.

Neltha had worked at International Shoe Co. She had been a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church, WML, Ladies Aid, hospice volunteer, Stephen Ministry Counseling volunteer & Berean Bible Classes.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Grebe of Humbolt, IA, Lillian (Mike) Ramsey of Jacksonville, FL; two sons, Russell (Sandy) Wills of Cape Girardeau, MO, Larry (Nola) Wills of Coroe, TX; five grandchildren; two step-grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; three brothers, Gilbert, Victor and Rozell Roth; two sisters, Rosilda Neislein and Nora Kiefer, one son-in-law, Harold Grebe and one step-grandson Michael Ramsey Montgomery.

Visitation will be held at Ford & Young Funeral Home on Tuesday, June 18 from 9:00 am until time of service at 11:00 am with Rev. Matthew Marks officiating. Burial in the Immanuel Lutheran Church Cemetery.

Memorials are preferred to Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Ford & Young Funeral Home, Inc. in Perryville, MO provided the arrangements.

Online condolences may be made at fordandyoungfuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 18. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *I miss you grandma! You were the sweetest woman I've known. I know that this page is old, but whilst I was watching a video about WW2 and grandpa's unit's service during the European campaign, I was somewhat overwhelmed with memories of both of you. I love you both, and miss you in particular so very much. I wish more people of today had your kindness and loving heart...the world is a sadder place without you, but I know that for you, in an eye-blink, we will all be reunited.*

Chad Ramsey - April 07, 2025 at 07:27 AM



“ *Neltha H. Wills*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Neltha H. Wills*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM