



Oleen A. Saffell

October 4, 1931 - November 27, 2015

Oleen A. Saffell, 84, of Perryville peacefully departed on November 27, 2015 at St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau, MO. She was born October 4, 1931 in Farrar, MO, daughter of Martin and Mary (Verseman) Steffens-Hemmann. She and Edward A. Saffell were married on August 5, 1950. He preceded her in death on March 29, 2002. Oleen had worked at Perry County Memorial Hospital as a nurses aid in the new born nursery. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Longtown, LWML, Extension Club and A founding member of the Memory Makers Quilt Club. Survivors include one daughter; Linda (William) Holt of Farrar, two grandchildren; Laura (Shane) Brown and Daniel (Georgie) Holt, two great grandchildren; Andrew Brown and Wyatt Holt. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, three brothers; Edgar and Vernold Steffens and Alvert Hemman, and two sisters; Alida Roth and Hilda Brueckner Slesak. Visitation will be held at Young & Sons Funeral Home on Friday, December 4 from 4:00 – 8:00 pm and on Saturday, December 5 from 6:30 to 8:15 am. She will then be taken to Zion Lutheran Church in Longtown for service at 10:00 am with Rev. Paul Winningham officiating. Burial in church cemetery. Memorials are preferred to LWML or Lutherans for Life. Young & Sons Funeral Home, Inc. in Perryville, MO provided the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Oleen A. Saffell*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



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October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Linda, we are thinking of you and your family at this time, and praying that you will be comforted by the good memories of your mom. What I remember about her is that she didn't 'sugarcoat' her words, which many times was appreciated! I still have the blanket she gave Maggie when she was born. She also used to have a way of "running" the kitchen at the Zion hall when there was a gathering--she took charge! She will be missed at Zion.*

Lisa Howe - November 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM