



Vivian N. Henderson

July 18, 1922 - February 11, 2015

Vivian N. Nelson Henderson, 92, formerly of Perryville, died February 11, 2015 at Ste. Genevieve Care Center in Ste. Genevieve, MO.

She was born July 18, 1922 in Bradford, AR, daughter of Joseph Edward and Edith (Humphries) Martin. She and Harry D. Nelson were married on August 30, 1952. He preceded her in death on April 10, 1985. She then married James Ray Henderson on December 11, 1988. He preceded her in death on February 14, 2000.

Vivian was a cashier at UMSL and was a former Federal Employee. She was a member of United Methodist Church in Perryville, Order of the Eastern Star and Perry County Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. She enjoyed gardening and her family.

Survivors include two daughters, Janice (Art) Dickinson of Perryville and Joan (Jim) Distler of New Melle, MO; and four grandchildren, Tim Godlove of Cape Girardeau, J.R. Godlove of Norfolk, VA, Laura Dickinson of Perryville, Matt Hermeyer of St. Charles, MO and extended family.

She was preceded in death by her parents, both husbands, and one sister and brother-in-law, Vada and Bernie Pelot.

Visitation will be held at Young & Sons Funeral Home on Monday, February 16 from 4:30 to 8:00 pm and on Tuesday, February 17 from 7:30 am until time of service at the funeral home at 10:00 am with Chaplain Rob Pierce officiating. Burial will be in Laurel Hill Memorial Gardens, 2000 N. Pennsylvania, St. Louis, MO.

Memorials are preferred to Alzheimer's Association or Rough Road Rescue in Perryville

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Vivian N. Henderson*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



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October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *Dear Cousins,I was sorry to hear your mother passed. I am a cousin on your Dad Harry's side. Aunt Mable (your Grandmother) was my great aunt on my mothers side (Emma Coffelt Hudson). I remember you girls when we were all small, but as usual families drift apart when the older ones pass on. I hope you have wonderful memories of your Mom & Dad. I certainly do.My sympathies, Glenda Hudson Quinn*

Glenda Quinn - February 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Janice and Joan,As a friend, neighbor and member of Normandy Methodist Church, I send my condolences on the passing of your mother, and the shared condolences of my sons, John and Tony. I have many fond memories of your mother, father and step-father from our years as neighbors back on Marillac. Time has sent us all in our separate directions, but memories of these friendships will always sustain us.Sincere wishes, Alice August*

Alice August - February 15, 2015 at 12:00 AM