



Lucy A. Bunton

January 10, 1937 - November 20, 2023

Lucy A. Bunton of Rolla, Missouri passed away on Monday, November 20, 2023 at the Phelps Health Hospital in Rolla, Missouri, peacefully surrounded by her family. Lucy was born on January 10, 1937 in Maries County to the late Sam and Evelyn (VanDorn) Laney.

Miss Lucy Laney married the love of her life, Mr. Herman Bunton on April 15, 1953, this union was blessed with three children. Lucy was a wonderful mother who was always there when they needed her. She loved to cook and sew and was famous with her family and friends for her chicken and dumplings, and of course her beautiful quilts. She presented her children, grandchildren, and of course the great-grandchildren with her quilts on many occasions, some of which are hardly used because the kids cherish them. Lucy also enjoyed raising chickens and rabbits. Sadly her husband passed away, Lucy moved to town the one thing she couldn't understand was why she couldn't have chickens, what it would hurt to have a chicken or two. Most of all she adored her family, she loved nothing more than getting everyone together for a meal, it didn't have to be a holiday, or special occasion, she just wanted her family together. Lucy was a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend, she will be greatly missed by all that knew and loved her.

Lucy is survived by her children, Dottie McDonald and husband Darrel, of Rolla, MO, and Eugene Bunton and wife Tammy, of St. James, MO; sisters,

Irene Watson, of St. James, MO, and Sandra Creed and husband Carson, of OK; grandchildren, Becky Brown (Matt), Amanda Quaid, Travis Bunton, Tasha McDonald (Tim), Angie Herman (Randall), and Latoyia Sherfy (Justin); 17 great-grandchildren, 8 great-great-grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

In addition to her parents Sam and Evelyn Laney, and her husband Herman Bunton, Lucy was preceded in death by her daughter Bernice Lavy; grandson Jeremy "J.D." Bunton; granddaughter, Brooke Bunton.

Funeral services for Lucy A. Bunton will be held on Monday, November 27, 2023 at 1:00PM at the St. James Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary with Pastor Craig Rippey officiating. Interment will follow at the Asher Cemetery with Darrell McDonald, Jeremy Bunton, Mike Stoburg, Kenny Treece, Justin Sherfy, and Matt Brown serving as pallbearers. A visitation for family and friends will be held on Monday prior to the service from 11 AM until service time. For online condolences please visit www.jamesgahrmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Asher Cemetery

St. James, MO 65559

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 27. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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