



Ruby King

February 2, 1924 - May 9, 2015

Ruby Viola Gabel King of Rolla, Missouri passed away Saturday, May 9, 2015, at Silverstone Place at the age of 91. Ruby was born in Phelps County, Missouri, on February 2, 1924, to the late Frank and Mary (Mihlfeld) Gabel. On May 11, 1944, Ruby was united in marriage to Cecil King. Mrs. King was a devoted wife and helpmate to her pastor husband. She served with him in Baptist churches in Missouri and Indiana. Mrs. King loved and cared for her four children. She loved being a pastor's wife and serving others. Her hobbies included quilting, gardening, fishing, photography, feeding birds and other wildlife, and offering hospitality to others in her home. She volunteered her time in the maintenance of Corn Creek Cemetery and for many years planned the Gabel Family Reunion for the descendants of her father's siblings. Mrs. King did genealogical research on her family tree and wrote a history of the Gabel family. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend who will be greatly missed.

Ruby is survived by her children, Patricia Bredbenner and husband Dean of O'Fallon, MO, Charles King and wife Barbara, of Rolla, Mo, Clifford King, of Rolla, MO and Steven King and wife Deanna, of O'Fallon, MO; twin sister Roxie Tucker of Olathe, KS; and brothers, Kenneth Gabel of St. James, MO and Lester Gabel and wife Ann of Byrnes Mills, MO; eight grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and many friends. In addition to her parents, Ruby was preceded in death by her

husband, Cecil King; brother Karl Gabel; sister Wanda Marsh' and grand-daughter Shelly King.

Funeral service for Ruby King will be held at 11:00AM on Monday, May 18, 2015 at the Rolla Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary with Pastor Bruce Wade officiating. Visitation will be held from 6:00-8:00PM on Sunday, May 17, 2015 at the Rolla Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary. Memorials are suggested to the First Baptist Church of Rolla Scholarship Fund. Cards are available at all James & Gahr locations.

Cemetery Details

Ozark Hills Memorial Gardens

MO 65401

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

James & Gahr Mortuary - Rolla
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Service

MAY 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ruby King*

January 30, 2023 at 04:37 AM



“ *Ruby King*

January 30, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Terry and Carol Marsh purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ruby King.*



Terry and Carol Marsh - May 16, 2015 at 04:09 PM



“ *Clara and Ralph, Linda and Les purchased the Garden Accent - "My Mother kept a garden..." for the family of Ruby King.*



Clara and Ralph, Linda and Les - May 16, 2015 at 02:51 PM

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“ Steve King Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ruby King.



Steve King Family - May 12, 2015 at 01:31 PM

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with Ruby Kings family. Wishing you peace and comfort at this difficult time.



Ken and Nancy Yochum - May 12, 2015 at 10:34 AM



“ Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ruby King.



May 12, 2015 at 09:46 AM