



Velma Sapaugh

April 5, 1946 - November 6, 2015

Velma Sapaugh of Salem, Missouri passed away Friday, November 6, 2015 at the age of 69. Velma was born April 5, 1946 in Woodward, Oklahoma to Arlie and Leona (McKenna) Thomas.

Velma was united in marriage to J.D. Sapaugh on March 12, 2010, this family was joined by four children; Velma enjoyed yard sales, spending time at the Casino with family, crocheting, going out to meals, and bluegrass music; her biggest joy in life was her family; Velma came from a large family and never took for granted the importance of having family in her life; she adored her grandchildren, and getting together with family members over a good meal or a piece of pie was on the top of the list for time well spent. She was a loving and devoted mother, grandmother, sister aunt, and friend, and will be greatly missed by all that knew and loved her.

Velma Sapaugh is survived by her mother, Leona Thomas, of Woodward, OK; children, Mark Thomas and wife Toni, of Weatherford, TX, Sylvia Shields and husband James, of Salem, MO, Darrell Sapaugh and wife Shelley, of Salem, MO, and Ginger Sapaugh, of Cuba, MO; brothers, Glenn, Vernon, Dennis, Eldon, Donald, and Bob Thomas; sisters, Evelyn, Aldina, and Nancy; grandchildren, Cody Kerrie, Jennifer, Brooke, and Bailey; 13 great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. Velma was preceded in death by her father Arlie Thomas; husband JD Sapaugh in 2011; sister Alberta, and brother Tuffy.

Funeral services for Velma Sapaugh will be Monday, November 9, 2015 at

12:00 PM at the Salem Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary with Bradley Dimack officiating. Interment will be in the North Lawn Cemetery with Matt Sapaugh, Patrick Sanders, Darrell Sapaugh, Brad Galloway, Brian Shaw, and Cody Givens serving as pallbearers. Visitation for family and friends will be held at the Chapel prior to the service on Monday from 11-12PM.

Cemetery Details

North Lawn Cemetery

Hwy 19 North
Salem, MO 65560
(573) 729-3117
dcjames@fidnet.com
<https://www.jamesgahrmortuary.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Velma Sapaugh*

January 30, 2023 at 04:37 AM



“ *Velma Sapaugh*

January 30, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *I want to extend my thoughts and prayers to each member of the family in the passing of Velma Sapaugh. It is an honor and privilege to know the Sapaugh family over the many years. We all have been life time friends. May God bless and comfort all of you.*

Ken Fiebelman - November 09, 2015 at 10:00 AM



“ *Steve and Blake Newman purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Velma Sapaugh.*



Steve and Blake Newman - November 08, 2015 at 08:53 PM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Velma Sapaugh.*



November 07, 2015 at 01:25 PM