



Mary E. Akers

August 21, 1928 - July 5, 2014

Mrs. Mary Elenora Akers, 85, of Louisiana, Missouri passed away Saturday, July 5, 2014 at the St. Joseph Hospital West in Lake St. Louis, Missouri. She was born August 21, 1928 in Louisiana, Missouri the daughter of Thomas and Nora Poyser Travis.

She married Charles Edward Akers October 27, 1951 at the First Baptist Church Parsonage in Louisiana, Missouri and he preceded her in death November 18, 1999.

Mary is survived by two sons; Rev. Darrell R. Akers (Rhonda) of Mineral Wells, Texas and Allan J. Akers (Dana) of Louisiana, Missouri, two daughters; Joyce Gunn (Ralph) of Versailles, Missouri and Charlotte Akers and Michael West of Winfield, Missouri, 7 grandchildren; Jessica Bauman, Kimberly Ingersoll, Christopher Gunn, Raymond Akers, Jennifer King, Alex Kennedy and Trella Akers, 6 great grandchildren, one sister, Pauline Davis of Elsberry, Missouri, two sister-in-laws, Elsie Travis and Faye Presley, two brother-in-laws, Russell Hobkirk and Robert Watts, nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by 6 brothers; Thomas Wade Travis Jr., Kenneth Travis and unnamed twin, William Rufus Travis, Albert Marion Travis and Okey Warren Travis and by 4 sisters; Martha Louise Travis, Marceline Frances Hobkirk, Florence Kathryn Hobkirk and Anna Elizabeth Lame.

She had been employed at the Wells-Lamont Glove Factory in the Packing Department for several years. She later opened her own licensed Day Care Center named "Mary's Day Care Center" in Louisiana and operated it for 35

years before retiring in 1999.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Louisiana and a member of the Women's Missionary Union. Mary had a special gift for working with children and helping to develop their abilities. She was a dedicated wife and mother.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday, July 11, 2014 at the Collier Funeral Home in Louisiana. The Rev. Don Kelley assisted by The Rev. Darrell R. Akers will officiate. Visitation will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday, July 10th at the funeral home. Burial will be in the Fairview Cemetery near Louisiana, Missouri.

Memorials may be given to the First Baptist Church in Louisiana or to the Pike Nutrition Center in care of Collier Funeral Homes, Inc., 117 Barnard Dr., Louisiana, MO 63353

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery, Frankford, MO

Frankford, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Collier Funeral Homes, Inc.
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Service

JUL 11. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary E. Akers*

November 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



“ *Mary E. Akers*

November 08, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ *Mary was one of the sweetest ladies I know. She always had a smile on her face. She was an inspiration to everyone. She will be missed. Missy Sencenbaugh Potter*

Missy Sencenbaugh Potter - July 15, 2014 at 12:31 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Kim Boston*



Kim Boston - July 13, 2014 at 12:12 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mary E. Akers.*



July 10, 2014 at 01:13 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mary E. Akers.*



July 10, 2014 at 09:33 AM



“ *Bank Of Louisiana ~ West Branch lit a candle in memory of Mary E. Akers*



Bank of Louisiana ~ West Branch - July 09, 2014 at 09:39 AM



*We are sorry for you loss.
Shirley Sparks, Peggy Meyer, Theresa Adams*

Bank of Louisiana ~ West Branch - July 09, 2014 at 09:40 AM



“ *Lori Darnell lit a candle in memory of Mary E. Akers*



Lori Darnell - July 07, 2014 at 09:16 PM

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“ So sorry to hear about Aunt Mary passing. My thoughts and prayers go out to her children and their families. My favorite memories are of my children trick or treating there every Halloween. I am sure she touched a lot of lives in Louisiana with her daycare.

Sarah Travis Begemann

sarah travis begemann - July 07, 2014 at 03:27 PM

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So sorry to hear Will be thinking and praying for you..

Dorothy Mcdaniel - July 07, 2014 at 08:09 PM