



Mary Jane Niffen

January 7, 1938 - May 13, 2019

Mary Jane Niffen, 81, of Louisiana, MO, passed away on May 13, 2019 at her granddaughter Barbara Dowell's home in Clarksville, MO. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Thursday, May 16, 2019 at the Collier Funeral Home in Louisiana, MO. The Rev. Robert Hutsell will officiate. Burial will be at the Riverview Cemetery in Louisiana, MO. Visitation will be held from 4:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Wednesday, May 15th at the funeral home.

She was born on January 7, 1938 in Louisiana, MO to George Henry Alexander and Mamie Maude Stoner Alexander. She was married to Roy Niffen on September 23, 1961 and he preceded her in death on December 29, 1993.

She is survived by 3 sons, Marty Allen Niffen (Melissa) of St. Charles, MO, Robert Wayne Niffen of Texas, and George William Niffen (Carla) of Troy, MO, 3 daughters, Julia Maxine Dowell (Roger Sr.) of Clarksville, MO, Tammy Marie Niffen of Louisiana, MO, and Penny Jane Niffen (Allan Cast) of Louisiana, MO, 12 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren, 2 great great grandchildren, a brother, John David Alexander of Louisiana, MO, a sister, Gayle Marie Irvin of Louisiana, MO, 2 sisters in-law, Robin Pruitt of Louisiana, MO, and Maxine Hathaway of Louisiana, MO, and nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, and 4 brothers, Joe Alexander, Ray Alexander, Thurston Alexander, and Elzie Alexander, and 3 sisters in-law, Gerry Turnbaugh, Becky Niffen, and Donna Malcom.

Mrs. Niffen was a graduate of High School Class of 1953 at Kinderhook, IL.

She had worked as a nurses aid at different nursing homes over the years. She loved to go fishing, playing bingo, and was an avid St. Louis Cardinals Fan. She was known as Grandma Jane to most and was loved by everyone. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

Honorary pallbearers will be Kenneth Niffen, Frederick Harrison, Marty Niffen, Clarence Charlton, Ryan Stumbaugh, and Chance Horn. Active pallbearers will be Michael Dowell, Bobby Niffen, James Paul Coleman, Dan Bishop, Vernace Charlton, and Jonathon Shealer.

Memorials may be made to the St. Jude Children's Hospitals.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Cemetery

N. B Street
Louisiana, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 15. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Collier Funeral Homes, Inc.
117 Barnard Dr
Louisiana, MO 63353
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Funeral Service

MAY 16. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Jane Niffen*

November 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



“ *Mary Jane Niffen*

November 08, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ *Condolences to the family. God. Bless*



Dianne Collins - May 15, 2019 at 04:49 PM



“ *LaKecia Wilson and COWC purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mary Jane Niffen.*



LaKecia Wilson and COWC - May 15, 2019 at 03:29 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary Jane Niffen.



May 15, 2019 at 03:07 PM



“ Sally Raufer And Kelsey Anderson lit a candle in memory of Mary Jane Niffen



Sally Raufer and Kelsey Anderson - May 15, 2019 at 02:35 PM



Thinking of you all during this time. Another beautiful angel has gone home.

Sally Raufer and Kelsey Anderson - May 15, 2019 at 02:38 PM



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Lesley Reeves - May 15, 2019 at 12:16 PM

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“ *Cindy Osborne lit a candle in memory of Mary Jane Niffen*



Cindy Osborne - May 15, 2019 at 12:13 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Allan Cast - May 14, 2019 at 11:55 PM



I will miss you every second of the day

Allan Cast - May 14, 2019 at 11:57 PM

DH

“ *Marty, may the angels in heaven send comfort in the days of storm. I know he will because he did it for me my son and dear friend. May the prayers of those you love be with you to give you strength to face your great loss. She truly was a beautiful lady, with so much love she gave and a kind heart to everyone she meet. I dearly loved and enjoyed every moment in her present. See will be missed. My heart goes out to you and your family You have my Deepest Sympathy. Debbie H-McGhee*

Debbie Hunt-McGhee - May 14, 2019 at 04:12 PM