



Donna L Gates

September 12, 1947 - April 14, 2019

Gates, Donna L., of High Ridge, Missouri, was born September 12, 1947, in Ventura, California to Donald Welchon and Lucille (nee Johnson) Turley and entered into rest Sunday, April 14, 2019 in Sunset Hills, Missouri at the age of 71 years, 7 months, and 2 days.

She is preceded in death by, her father, Donald Welchon,

She is survived by,

her husband, Thomas Gates – married on June 10, 1967 in Ventura, California,

three (3) children, Shelley (Henry) Schrock, Daniel (Kathy) Gates, and Holly (Caleb) Robertson,

thirteen (13) grandchildren, Katrina, Ethan, Josiah, Micah, Michaela, Clava, Jordan, Joshua, Jewyla, Jeremiah, Jude, Jarrett, and Jessalyn,

her mother, Lucille (nee Johnson) Turley,

one (1) dog, Louie,

along with many other family and friends.

Donna loved to garden, cook, teach, thrift shop, and most of all loved her chocolate. Donna was a ventriloquist, and loved to sing in the choir at Lafayette Bible Baptist Church in Wildwood, Missouri. She will be fondly remembered and dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Visitation Thursday, April 18, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Lafayette Bible Baptist Church, 18810 Hwy 100, Pacific, Missouri 63069. Service Friday, April 19, 2019 at 10:30 a.m. at Lafayette Bible Baptist Church, 18810 Hwy 100, Pacific, Missouri 63069 with the interment to follow at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri 63125. Memorial donations may be made to Lafayette Bible Baptist Church, 18810 Hwy 100, Pacific, Missouri 63069. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at www.stlfuneral.com and follow details of this event and others in the community at www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill.

Cemetery Details

Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 18. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Lafayette Bible Baptist Church
18810 Hwy 100
Pacific , MO 63069

Service

APR 19. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Donna L Gates*

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donna L Gates .*



April 18, 2019 at 11:07 AM



“ *My deepest condolences in your loss.*

Nancy Berna - April 18, 2019 at 08:27 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Donna L Gates .*



April 17, 2019 at 06:02 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Donna L Gates .*



April 17, 2019 at 11:09 AM



“ *Please accept my husband and mine condolence on the loss of Mrs Gates. I knew her when they were in Pennsylvania at Landmark Baptist Church and Northeast Baptist School of Theology. She was such a sweet lady.*

Cheryl Albanese - April 16, 2019 at 07:26 PM



“ *My wife is the kindest most loving woman I have ever known. I didn't deserve to have her as my wife. It took getting right with God for me to see how wonderful she is. She stayed with me through 21 years of military service. I can't wait to see her again.*

Thomas E Gates, husband to Donna - April 15, 2019 at 06:45 PM



*That is so sweet. She was so nice and so kind. She was also fun to chat with. She had a great sense of humor.
Much love to all♥♥♥Candy*

Candice Janke - April 16, 2019 at 11:41 AM



Tom and family,

We are so sorry to hear of Donna's passing. We will be remembering you in our prayers.

*Our deepest condolences,
Lonnie and Linda Loutenschlager*

Linda Loutenschlager - April 18, 2019 at 10:19 AM