



Joyce McGruder

April 15, 1950 - March 9, 2024

JOYCE McGRUDER (nee Lovins) of Pevely, Missouri and longtime resident of House Springs, Missouri was born April 15, 1950 in Marston, Missouri, to J.K. and Dorothy (nee Thompson) Lovins and died Saturday, March 9, 2024 at her home in Pevely, Missouri at the age of 73 years 10 months and 24 days.

She is preceded in death by her parents, J.K. and Dorothy Lovins along with her brother, James Lovins.

Joyce is survived by her husband, James McGruder of Salem, Missouri and formerly of House Springs, Missouri,

three (3) children, Sharon Gianino of Pevely, Missouri, Randy Honeycutt of Bonneville, Missouri and Tina Callahan of Imperial, Missouri,

four (4) grandchildren, Anthony Gianino, Joseph Gianino, Thomas Gianino and Kaylen Austin,

three (3) great-grandchildren, Gracie Gianino, Emeilia, Gianino and Luca Gianino,

her great-great-granddaughter, Niomi Johnson,

her sister, Peggy Christopher of Robertsville, Missouri

and many other relatives and friends.

Joyce was a devoted wife and mother – and a loving grandmother, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother to her family. She was a people person who enjoyed playing cards and dancing. She is fondly remembered and will be dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

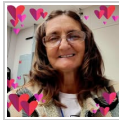
Services through CHAPEL HILL MORTUARY, 6300 Highway 30, Cedar Hill, MO 63016 where the obituary may be viewed and stories and photos may be shared at www.stlfuneral.com

Tribute Wall

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“ *It was a gift to be welcomed as a chaplain into this home and be with a family that offered such good support and care for the last months of Joyce's life. I learned much about what it means to be human, and the strength of bonds formed through love. I will miss Joyce and remember always the grace kindness and humor of her family, especially her daughter Sharon.
Peace.
Bob*

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*Thank you so much sir
We will be holding a celebration of life closer to her birthday in April and would love for you to attend....it was wonderful to have met you*

Sharon Gianino - March 12, 2024 at 07:46 PM

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*I was a long time ago childhood friend of Joyce's from N Market Street in late 1950's and early 1960's and spent time with her at her grandmother's house in Marston, MO
Such fond memories of our time together. Rest in peace, dear Joycee. Thank you for your friendship so long ago.*

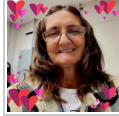
Margie Novak Price - October 25, 2025 at 12:16 PM

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“ *Sharon Wilson sent a virtual gift in memory of
Joyce McGruder*

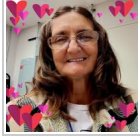


Sharon Wilson - March 11, 2024 at 08:32 AM



Thank you

Sharon Gianino - March 12, 2024 at 12:02 AM



“ *It was an honor to care for you for the last 6 months of your life, as you cared and raised me to be who I am today and I thank you...I love you with all my heart and will always remember the good times..... RIP Mom*

Sharon Gianino - March 10, 2024 at 11:08 PM