



Nellie L. Newkirk

June 24, 1920 - January 22, 2018

Newkirk, Nellie L. formally of High Ridge, Missouri, was born June 24, 1920, in Nashville, Arkansas to John and Lillie (nee Lockeby) Barbre and entered into rest Monday, January 22, 2018 at the age of 97 years, 6 months and 28 days.

She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband William "Bill" Whited, one daughter Bonnie Lou Newkirk and four siblings.

She was a loving mother to Alvin "Glen" (Frances) Newkirk and Anna "Sue" (Jesse) Pride, beloved grandmother of Alvin Newkirk Jr., Sherry (Phillip) Stevens, Robin (Dennis) Coulson, Jeffrey Pride, Carmen Pride and Angie (Robert) Smith, cherished great grandma of thirteen, dear great-great grandma of fourteen and adored friend to many.

Nellie was born in Nashville, Arkansas in 1920. She came to Missouri on a mule and wagon when she was only nine years old, they celebrated her 10th birthday while on the road, Mom, Dad, one sister and one brother, two brothers born later in Missouri. They would travel a couple days stop and work to earn money and travel again where they settled in south east Missouri. Nellie met her first husband Logan Newkirk in Naylor, Missouri where they lived the farming lifestyle and began their family. They then moved to St. Louis in the early 50s. Logan passed away in 1956 in St. Louis, Missouri. Nellie met

William "Bill" Whited and then married "Bill" in 1972, they moved to Owensville, Missouri in the early 90s where she loved gardening, fishing and quilting. "Bill" passed in 1999. Nellie enjoyed going camping at Lost Valley Lake where she would spend time with friends and family and she did this well into her 80s. She will be fondly remembered and dearly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Visitation Monday, January 29, 2018 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at CHAPEL HILL MORTUARY, 6300 Highway 30, Cedar Hill, Missouri. Service Tuesday, January 30, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. at Chapel Hill Mortuary. Interment at Shephard Hills Cemetery in Barnhart, Missouri. Memorial donations may be made to the St. Jude Children Research Hospital. 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

Shepherd Hills Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 29. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Chapel Hill Mortuary - Cedar Hill
6300 Highway 30
Cedar Hill, MO 63016
(636) 274-4100
info@stlfuneral.com
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Service

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Tribute Wall



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