



## Marjorie Luellen Welton

December 30, 1927 - December 18, 2024

Marjorie Luellen Welton, 96, of Carthage, Missouri, entered this world on December 30, 1927, to the parents, Herbert Havens and Bina West Havens in Butler, Missouri. She was called to her heavenly home on December 18, 2024, at the home of her daughters', Mary Thorn, where she had been living for the last two and a half years.

She married Max Welton on February 6, 1949, in Bentonville, Arkansas. Max passed away on January 2, 2009. Margie was a lifelong resident of Carthage. She was employed for many years as a bank teller for Central National Bank, later became United Missouri Bank.

She loved bowling and was in bowling leagues for many years. She enjoyed her trips to state bowling tournaments, She and her husband Max loved to fish, hunt, and camp together.

Margie was preceded in death by her husband Max after 59 years of marriage; her parents, Herb and Bina West Havens; a brother, Watler Havens; and a sister Dorothy VanGilder.

She is survived by her daughter Mary (Elmer) Thorn; granddaughters, Kimberly Klok of Port St. Lucie, Florida, Marcie Carter (Mike) of Joplin; and grandson Dustin Thorn (Joe Brunhuber) of Phoenix, Arizona; and a sister Vonna Ralston of Carthage; nine great grandchildren, Beau (Allegra) Lewis, Kiefer (Kimber) Lewis, Sam (Stephanie) Thorn, Alexis (Justin) Slates, Austin (Toni) Fullerton, David Sexton, Evan Sexton, Marcella Christy, and Isabella Christy; and 10 great-great grandchildren, Trinity, Elizabeth, Lillian, Emma,

Brantley, Braxton, Briggs, Zaedyn, Aurora, and Jasper.

Margie was a member of First Methodist Church in Carthage.

There will be a funeral service for Margie at 2:00 PM on Monday, December 23, 2024, at Ulmer Funeral Home in Carthage, Missouri. The visitation will be at 1:00 PM on Monday, December 23, 2024, at Ulmer Funeral Home. The burial will be immediately after the service at Park Cemetery in Carthage, Missouri.

Condolences may be made at [www.ulmerfh.com](http://www.ulmerfh.com).

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Park Cemetery

801 South Baker  
Carthage, MO

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **23**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Ulmer Funeral Home  
1208 S. Garrison  
Carthage, MO 64836  
(417) 358-2222  
ulmerfh@gmail.com  
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## Funeral Service

DEC **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I have so many fond memories of Aunt Margie. She was always warm and gracious and had a youthful and joyful countenance about her at every age and stage of life. You couldn't help but feel good around her. When my sister, Bev, and I would have a sleepover at cousin Mary's I always looked forward to Aunt Margie's cooking - especially her desserts! I have a treasured keepsake that I cherish...A recipe card in her own handwriting for her Peach Cake. I always have and always will think of her every time I make it. I am so grateful to have had her for my aunt. She was a bright light on this earth and no doubt her light continues to shine.

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**Cindy Hicks** - December 26, 2024 at 02:35 PM

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“ It was always Max & Marge, growing up for me. As a child, I don't remember seeing one without the other and although I wasn't related to them, they made me feel like family. I remember their house and how everything was always in its place and always warm & welcoming.

My husband, Danny, worked with Max for many years and considered him a friend. He was well respected by everyone and a good man. A man of his word and who loved and cared for Marge and his daughter, Mary.

Even the last time I saw Ms. Marge, she didn't seem to recognize me, but her eyes lit up when I mentioned who my parents names. Her smile was infectious.

Marge always took pride in how she presented herself, never haughty - but truly represented kindness, goodness, love, joy, peace - obviously, the love and devotion she had in her heart for her Savior, was displayed in her every day life.

As Mary and Elmer recognized the challenges Marge faced, they paused their lives to provide the very best care possible for her. Aunt Mary, you honored her well. Uncle Elmer, thank you for the sacrifices you and Aunt Mary made to pour your love and respect into Ms. Marge's life.

Kimmie, Marcie & Dustin, I love you and pray that God will comfort you and the memories you have with your beautiful Grandmother will never fade but will grow fonder. She loved you and your children and never forget how very proud she was to be your grandmother. Please know Danny and I love you all and our prayers will continue daily. May God's mercy continue to strengthen you, may His love and favor overwhelm you and we pray His peace will cover you and your family.

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Danny & Sherri Perry - December 19, 2024 at 07:53 AM

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“ *We send thoughts and deepest sympathy to you and your family.*

*Ron and Joyce Moore*

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**Ronald Moore** - December 18, 2024 at 06:08 PM