



Mary Ann Knight-Herron

July 26, 1955 - October 12, 2020

Mary Ann Knight-Herron, 65, Carthage, Missouri passed safely into the arms of Jesus for the home He had prepared for her, on Monday October 12, 2020 at Freeman Hospital, Joplin, Missouri.

Mary Ann was born July 26, 1955 at McCune Brooks Hospital, Carthage, Missouri. The daughter of the late John and Erma (Manka) Knight. She was a graduate of Jasper, Missouri High School class of 1973 and attended Missouri Southern State College.

Mary married Bill Herron October 11, 2012 at Central Park in Carthage, Mary was employed by Dyno Nobel for over 40 years. She was a Christian and was baptized at an early age at Mt. Moriah Methodist Church, Carthage, MO. She enjoyed being part of the Glory Riders Christian Motorcycle Association and held the office of treasurer. Mary enjoyed cooking and was very good at it. She also enjoyed sewing costumes for her grandchildren, nieces and nephews for various plays and parties. She enjoyed bowling, golf and camping with her husband during hunting season. Most of all Mary loved her family, she followed all of her grandchildren's activities.

Survivors include her husband Bill, daughters Mylinn (Josh) Eddington, Stephanie Gruver (Brandy Blanton), Bethany Herron (Fiancé Trevor Willard), son Brandyn Carr-Herron (Eric Edward), Grandchildren Landrey Gruver, Logan, Lainah and Sara Eddington, Armando and Kim Guzman. Brothers Cy (Cid) Knight, Willie (Donna) Knight, Gale Knight all of Carthage and two brother-in-law's Bob Copeland of Plainview, Texas, Steve Herron (Cindy) of

Springfield and three sister-in-law's Winona Knight of Carthage, Susan Wallace (Rick) of Neosho, Launie Dalton (Max) Anderson, Nieces Carlene (Mark) Bridges, Paige (Brian) Sitton and Miriam Copeland. Nephews Eric (Debbie) Knight, John (Carrie) Knight and Gerald (Marcie) Knight and Special friends Frank and Sue Shumard. Mary was preceded in death by her parents, sister Rebecca Copeland, two great nieces Anna Beth Sitton and Kori Ann Knight. A very special thanks to the nurses and healthcare team at Freeman Hospital for their kindness to Mary and the family during our stay. Memorial services will be held 2:00 p.m. Thursday October 15, 2020 at Ulmer Funeral Home. Contributions can be made to the Joplin Humane Society. Online condolences can be made at www.ulmerfh.com. Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **15**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

GB

“ *Condolences to the family. Mary was always fun and great to be around. We went to school together. She, like her family were always the best. My husband worked with Cy on the MoPac RR. Prayers to all.*

Glennna Moore Broadway

GLENNNA BROADAWAY - October 15, 2020 at 12:32 PM

MK

“ *My heartfelt sympathies to the Herron family and to my cousins, Cy, Willie, and Gale.
I pray that God will ease your grief with each passing day.
In Christian Love,
Margaret Knight*

Margaret Knight - October 14, 2020 at 05:20 PM

SM

“ *Mary will be greatly missed. I will remember her always for her sweet spirit, kind heart, willingness to always help and the beautiful smile. When I first met her she reached out to me when no one else did and made me feel comfortable. Her presents, always brought with it comfort and peace. She is in the arms of Jesus now and we will see her again. Keeping the family in prayer. May God comfort and give you peace.*



Shirley Miller - October 14, 2020 at 03:44 PM

LB

“ We were in CMA with her and she was always sweet and pleasant. She will be missed so much. Oscar and Linda

Linda Bronson - October 14, 2020 at 03:36 PM

CB


“ Bill and family I'm so sorry to hear of Mary's passing. Lifting you and your family up in prayer buddy!!!

Candi Bright - October 14, 2020 at 10:09 AM

RR

“ I remember Miss Mary. She was such a beautiful soul! On behalf of myself and my late father, Tom Roak, and my late husband, TJ Roth.....RIP Miss Mary, Heaven gained a beautiful Angel.

Robin Roth - October 13, 2020 at 06:57 PM

 Christy Lowery Waldo

“ I'll never forget all the kids made carmel apples and I ate a Carmel and handed one to her and she chewed it and it pulled her crown off! She was laughing and blamed me for giving her the Carmel and I said you didn't have to eat it! She hugged me and said now don't ever do that again. 🙄

Christy Lowery Waldo - October 13, 2020 at 06:56 PM



“ I will always remember Mary's smile and sweet nature. She was always ready to help out. I only knew her thru CMA, but feel blessed to have gotten to know her and I will always have fond memories of her. May the family be comforted in the knowledge that she is in Heaven and has received her reward. She will be missed. Until we see you again. Love to all. Becky Soles.

Becky Soles - October 13, 2020 at 06:20 PM

DS

“*Mary was a beautiful lady, inside and out and she will live on in the hearts of many whose lives she touched. God bless her family with comfort and strength during this difficult time.*

Larry and Debra Starbuck

debra starbuck - October 13, 2020 at 04:00 PM