



Winona Charlene Stephens

March 6, 1935 - August 25, 2020

Winona Charlene Stephens, 85, passed away Tuesday, August 25, 2020 at her home in Diamond, MO. Winona was born March 6, 1935 in Miller, MO to J.C. and Bertha "Irwin" Vivian. She lived in the Kansas City/Olathe areas from 1954 to 1993, then moved to Diamond where she lived until her passing. Prior to retirement, Winona worked as a Walmart greeter in Olathe and Webb City.

Winona was united in marriage to Robert Leslie Stephens on November 15, 1952 in Miller, MO; he preceded her in death.

Winona is survived by three sons, Rick Stephens (Alice) of Diamond, Jerry Stephens (Karen) of Fulton, MO and Charles Stephens (Judy) of Kansas City, KS; one daughter, Joyce Lutjen (Lynn) of Sedalia, MO; two sisters, Ann Gilmore of K.C., KS and Deloris Wimpsatt of Chelsie, OK; six grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren.

Winona was preceded in death by two sons, Dennis Joe Stephens and Robbie Lee Stephens; three brothers, Edgar Laws, Seybert Laws and Carroll Dean Laws; four sisters, Velma Gardner, Marjorie Tinker, Mira McGhee and Wilda Darlene Murhurin.

Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Monday, August 31, 2020 at Ulmer Funeral Home. Graveside services will immediately follow at 11:30

a.m. at New Hope Cemetery north of Avilla.

Contributions may be made to Avalon Hospice in care of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be made at www.ulmerfh.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

New Hope Cemetery - North of Avilla

Avilla, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 31. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Ulmer Funeral Home
1208 S. Garrison
Carthage, MO 64836
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ulmerfh@gmail.com
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Graveside Service

AUG 31. 11:30 AM (CT)

New Hope Cemetery - North of Avilla
Avilla, MO

Tribute Wall

DP

“ *Charlie and family:*

I am very sorry to learn of the passing of your mother. Joyce and I send prayers at this difficult time.

*Darleen Bernhardt
Joyce Paynter*

Darleen Bernhardt & Joyce Paynter - September 01, 2020 at 12:21 PM

JG

“ *Charlene blessed many lives with her caring heart and warm smile. Charlene and Oleta were quite the twosome galavanting around Carthage — laughing and happy in one another’s company. Charlene will be sincerely missed on Thursday afternoons. Prayers for her family and friends. Janis George*

janis george - August 28, 2020 at 12:14 AM

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“ *Brenda Daily lit a candle in memory of Winona Charlene Stephens*



brenda daily - August 26, 2020 at 05:36 PM

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“ *Our condolences reach out to Charlie and his family. Mr & Mrs. Gerald Daily*

brenda daily - August 26, 2020 at 05:34 PM

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“ *Charlie and family, we are so sorry to hear of your mom’s passing. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Larry and Frann Marple and Lief Eric*

Frann and Larry Marple - August 26, 2020 at 05:27 PM

JB

Sending our sincere condolences to the Stephen's family.

Judy and Dale Behm - August 28, 2020 at 04:24 PM