



Carole Beard

January 23, 1942 - December 14, 2022

Carole Ruth Beard (Portell), 80 of Corder, Missouri passed away on Wednesday, December 14, 2022, at Centerpoint Medical Center in Independence, Missouri.

She was born Friday, January 23, 1942 in Herculaneum, Missouri, to the late Kenneth Portell and the late Clara (Carroll) Mahnken. She attended Corder High School and married Thomas Beard Sr. on December 6, 1958. He preceded her in death on April 4, 1991.

Carole worked as a DA2 for the Higginsville Habilitation Center until retirement. Caring for people was her life passion. Her family was very important to her and she loved caring for grandkids and family.

Surviving are son, Steven Beard of Higginsville, MO; daughter, Treasa (Ralph) Stockwell of La Monte, MO; sister, Kay Flynn of Higginsville; two brothers, Robert (Elsie) Portell of Higginsville, Donnie Portell of Plattsburg; eight grandchildren, Eric Beard, Brian (Kristen) Beard, Tim Beard, Tiffany Beard, Mark (Crystal) Beard, Sease Beard, Thomas Beard III, Jayce Reynolds; and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Thomas Beard Sr., one son Thomas Beard Jr.; two grandchildren, Christian Beard, Kassie Beard, two brothers, Kenny Portell, and Danny Portell.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM on Monday, December 19, 2022, at Stewart-Hoefer Funeral Home 1600 Main St. Higginsville, Missouri.

A funeral service will be held at 2:00 PM on Monday, December 19, 2022 at Stewart-Hoefer Funeral Home with Sam Anderson officiating. Interment will be in the Calvary Cemetery, Corder, MO. Casket Bearers: Sam Ratliff, Charles Bell, Joshua Ratliff, Daniel Jennings, David Williams, Daniel Hardy. Memorial contributions may be made out to Family Choice.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

20 Highway
Corder, MO 64021

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 19. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Stewart-Hoefer Funeral Home, Inc.
1600 Main St.
Higginsville, MO 64037
1-660-584-3400
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Funeral Service

DEC 19. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Carole Beard*

October 22, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ *Carole Beard*

October 07, 2023 at 11:48 AM



“ *Carole Beard*

October 06, 2023 at 07:00 AM



“ *Carole Beard*

January 31, 2023 at 02:49 AM



“ *Carol was a wonderful person who would give you the shirt off her back. She will be missed. Prayers for the entire family. I remember seeing her outside and talking to her for hours. She was Sunday school teacher and VBS teacher growing up.*

Kacey V Bolden - December 29, 2022 at 09:25 PM



“ *Treasa and family members thoughts and prayers are with you in your time in sorrow.*

Janice Stoll - December 16, 2022 at 07:57 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Carole Beard.*



December 16, 2022 at 04:33 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Carole Beard.*



December 16, 2022 at 12:57 PM