



## Connie Jean Dille

May 22, 1936 - August 26, 2016

Connie Jean Dille, 80 of Higginsville, Missouri died on Friday, August 26, 2016 at her son's home in Shawnee, Kansas.

Born Friday, May 22, 1936 in Grantsville, Utah, she was the daughter of the late Frank Spader and the late Blanche Rupp Spader.

She married Gordon L. Dille on January 25, 1958 and he preceded her in death on July 30, 1995. They moved from Liberty, MO to Higginsville in 1988. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Connie received her Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology from Central Missouri State University. She was a member of Altar Society, American Psychological Association, Phi Theta Kappa Sorority and a docent at the Nelson Art Gallery. She was a former manager of the Higginsville Heat and Hunger Fund and also won the Bishop Sullivan award for her work with Catholic Charities. She worked for Research Mental Health as a case manager until she retired in 1994.

Surviving are three sons, Don Allen (Tanli) Kopp, Jr. of Shawnee , KS, Daniel Sean (Diane) Dille of Fishers, IN and Darren Leon Dille of Higginsville; six grandchildren and four great grandchildren..

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Gordon L. Dille; one son, David L. Kopp; two brothers, Dr. Frank Spader and Gerald Spader; three sisters, Barbara Torres, Maxine Troxell and Joyce Troxell.

A funeral service will be held at 10:30 AM on Thursday at St. Mary's Catholic Church with the Father Thomas Hawkins officiating. Interment will be in City Cemetery, Higginsville, MO.

The family will receive friends from 9:30 AM to 10:30 AM on Thursday, September 1, 2016, at St. Mary's Catholic Church. Memorial contributions may be sent to Higginsville Heat and Hunger Fund.

Online condolences may be made to the family at [www.hoeferfuneralhome.com](http://www.hoeferfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Connie Jean Dille*

October 22, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ *Connie Jean Dille*

October 07, 2023 at 11:48 AM



“ *Connie Jean Dille*

October 06, 2023 at 07:00 AM



“ *Connie Jean Dille*

January 31, 2023 at 02:49 AM

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“ *Connie was my Aunt. I am saddened to hear of her death and pray that her sons find great comfort in knowing she is at rest with her Lord and Savior now. My memories of Aunt Connie were always of how kind and caring she was. Always a smile on her face.*



*My mother and father (Connie's brother, Frank) were divorced but my Mom stayed in contact with Aunt Connie by mail. I just lost my Mom a few weeks ago and was hoping to contact someone in Connie's family to return family photos that we found while cleaning out my Mom's house. Please let them know I am trying to locate them. Thank you.*

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**Rozalyn Spader Boggs** - October 12, 2019 at 01:24 AM