



## Nila Jean Wood

April 4, 1952 - August 31, 2018

Nila Jean Wood, 66 of Higginsville, Missouri passed away on Friday, August 31, 2018, at Lutheran Nursing Home in Concordia, Missouri, surrounded by her family.

Born Friday, April 4, 1952 in Higginsville, she was the daughter of the late Hershel Franklin and the late Dorothy Meade. She was a life long resident of the Higginsville and Aullville communities.

She was employed by Higginsville Habilitation Center for over 30 years, retiring in 2010. She enjoyed spending time with family, camping, fishing at the river, and going to the casinos.

Surviving are her life long companion of 38 years, Kenneth Neal; two sons, Danny Wood of Saint Joseph, MO and Robert Neal of Corder, MO; four daughters, Kim Chronister of Concordia, Sherry (Dale) Heyer of Knob Noster, MO, Penny Wood of Higginsville, and Stephanie (Daniel) Crawford of Higginsville; two sisters, Linda (Norman) Schmutz of Mayview, MO and Dottie Fox of Mayview; 18 grandchildren; 16 great grandchildren with two on the way.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one son, Shaun Neal.

A graveside service will be held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, September 5, 2018 at the Higginsville City Cemetery. Honorary pallbearers: Troy Kelly, Mikey Kelley, Travis Estes, and Chris Estes. Memorials can be made out to family choice.



# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

SEP 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

City Cemetery  
2275-2491 Lipper Ave.  
Higginsville, MO 64037

# Tribute Wall



“ *Nila Jean Wood*

October 22, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ *Nila Jean Wood*

October 07, 2023 at 11:48 AM



“ *Nila Jean Wood*

October 06, 2023 at 07:00 AM



“ *Nila Jean Wood*

January 31, 2023 at 02:49 AM



“ *Dawn Romans sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Nila Jean Wood*



**Dawn Romans** - September 02, 2018 at 10:49 AM

DR

“ *Dawn Romans lit a candle in memory of Nila Jean Wood*



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**Dawn Romans** - September 02, 2018 at 10:48 AM

LG

“ *Leonard And Elaine Goring lit a candle in memory of Nila Jean Wood*



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**Leonard and Elaine Goring** - September 01, 2018 at 11:28 AM

VH

“ *Valerie Hinck lit a candle in memory of Nila Jean Wood*



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**Valerie Hinck** - September 01, 2018 at 01:25 AM