



## Georgia Evelyn Kniess

July 1, 1931 - February 22, 2023

Georgia Evelyn Kniess of Bismarck, MO, entered into rest on Wednesday, February 22, 2023 at the age of 91 years, 7 month, and 21 days. She was born July 1, 1931 in Venice, IL to the late John James and Bertha Elizabeth (Mooney) Ballentine.

On January 15, 1949, Evelyn, as she was known, was united in marriage to Duwaine Larry Kniess, Sr. who preceded her in rest on March 12, 2012. To this union five children were born, Elaine Edwards of Poplar Bluff, MO, Duwaine Kniess, Jr. and wife Lana of Bismarck, MO, Barbara King and husband Gary of Iron Mountain, MO, Rose Kniess of Iron Mountain, MO, and Sandra Becker of Farmington, MO, all of whom survive. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren, 26 great grandchildren, and 7 great-grandchildren.

Evelyn is preceded in rest by her parents, her husband Duwaine, a grandson Stephen Shawn Edwards, five brothers, Jacob, Johnny, Harold, Freddie, and an infant brother George Kniess; and three sisters, Dorothy Sherfy, Marie Dunnavant, and Peggy Brown.

Evelyn was a member of the Bismarck Assembly of God Church, she loved her family and friends, and was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, great-great grandmother, sister, and friend. She will be missed by all who are left to cherish her memory.

A Visitation will be held on Sunday, February 26, 2023 beginning at 6:00 pm and lasting until 8:00 pm at the Cole Family Funeral Home.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Monday, February 27, 2023, beginning at

11:00 am at the Cole Family Funeral Home.

Interment will follow the services in the Iron Mountain Cemetery.

Pastor Michael Barton will be officiating the services.

Online condolences may be made at [www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com](http://www.colefamilyfuneralhomes.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Iron Mountian Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

FEB 26. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cole Family Funeral Home  
210 E Reynolds St  
Ironton, MO 63650  
(573) 546-0742

### Celebration of Life

FEB 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



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**Cole Family Funeral Home** - February 24, 2023 at 02:38 PM



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February 23, 2023 at 07:13 PM