



## Joyce Marie Kelley

December 7, 1941 - March 26, 2025

Joyce Marie Kelley of Ironton, MO, entered into rest on Wednesday, March 26, 2025, at the age of 83 years, 3 months, and 19 days. She was born December 7, 1941, a daughter of the late Arthur and Sylvia (Cissell) Queathem.

On June 9, 1995, Joyce was united in marriage to James Kelley who preceded her in rest in 2007.

Surviving are two children, Robert Campbell and wife Toni of Arcadia, MO, and Misty Thurman and husband Gary of Ironton, MO; four grandchildren, Amanda, Adam, Ashley, and Heather; five great-grandchildren, Shalea, Shane, Oaklyn, Maddison, and Liam; one great great-grandchild Aria, one brother, James Queathem of St. Louis, MO, and many more loving family members and friends.

She is preceded in rest by her parents, her husband James, four brothers, Arthur, Bernard, Eugene, and Richard Queathem; and a sister, Virginia Buchheit.

Joyce worked a few different jobs during her life; she worked for Brown Shoe Company, McDonnell Douglas, and tending bar at the AV Elk's Lodge in Pilot Knob, MO. She was a member of the AV Elk's Lodge, AV Eagle's Lodge, the AV Country Club, and attended the Ste. Marie du Lac Catholic Church.

Joyce had many friends and family for whom she cared deeply. She was always up for having fun with her family and friends, and loved to spend time with them all. She was a loving and caring mother, grandmother, wife, sister,

aunt, and friend. Joyce Marie Kelley will be missed by all who were blessed to know and love her.

A Memorial Gathering and Celebration for family and friends to gather will be held on Sunday, April 13, 2025, beginning at 1:00 pm and lasting until 4:00 pm from the Cole Family Funeral Home in Ironton, MO.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

APR **13**. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

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

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Bill and Brenda Wilson lit a candle in memory of Joyce Kelley*



Bill and Brenda Wilson - April 11, 2025 at 06:25 PM

DB

“ *Denise and Larry Bowman purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Joyce Marie Kelley.*



Denise and Larry Bowman - April 11, 2025 at 11:25 AM



“ *60 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Cole Family Funeral Home - April 09, 2025 at 05:02 PM

AW

“ My Grandma Joyce was the best grandma ever! She loved no matter what and always showed me how much she loved me! She will be missed so very much! I love you Grandma!  
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**Amanda Will** - April 03, 2025 at 01:35 PM

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“ Our condolences to Robert, Misty and Joyce's entire family ❤️ Joyce was such a joy to be around. Prayers for all.



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**Bill and Brenda Wilson** - April 03, 2025 at 01:35 PM

KW

“ Our heartfelt sympathy. Joyce was a joy to know.  
Prayers  
Kenny & Sue



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**Kenny & Sue Wooten** - April 03, 2025 at 09:35 AM