



## Shirley Ann Neuman

November 23, 1933 - September 25, 2021

Shirley Ann Neuman of Pilot Knob, MO went home to her Lord and Savior on Saturday, September 25, 2021 at the age of 87 years, 10 months, and 2 days. She was born November 23, 1933 in Kennett, MO to the late Charles and Lois Brown Ridings.

On October 20, 1961 Shirley was united in marriage to Leon Michael Neuman who preceded her in rest on March 17, 2009.

Surviving Shirley is a daughter Lucretia Whited and husband Stan of Arcadia, MO. Also surviving are two grandchildren, Brittany Stinson and husband Jeff of Ironton, MO and Bethany Whited of Springfield, MO, two great-grandchildren Ariella and Aviana, and a host of other loving family members and friends.

Shirley is preceded in rest by her husband Leon, one brother Gary Miles Ridings, and two sisters Derhonda Ridings and Kathy Jean Smithmier-Norris. After graduating from high school Shirley went on to obtain her Master's Degree from Arkansas State University Jonesboro, and then went on to Southeast Missouri University where she obtained her Specialist Degree in counseling. After receiving her education, Shirley worked as an educator and school counselor for many years. She was also a member of the Presbyterian Church of Ironton, member and past president of the Mina Sauk Club, the Arcadia Valley Country Club, MSTA, enjoyed bowling with her husband, Lee, and was a fan of the Dallas Cowboys.

Shirley was a loving mother and grandmother, a devoted wife, dedicated

educator and counselor, and wonderful friend who will be missed by all who were blessed by her love.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Friday, October 1, 2021 at 10:00 am from the Cole Family Funeral Home. Visitation will be held on Thursday, September 30, 2021 from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm from the Cole Family Funeral Home.

Interment will follow the Services in the Arcadia Valley Memorial Park in Ironton, MO. Rev. John Canterbury will be officiating the services.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Faith Foundation Children's Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Arcadia Valley Memorial Park

Russellville Road  
Ironton, MO 63650

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 30. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

## Celebration of Life

OCT 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Shirley Ann Neuman*

August 31, 2022 at 12:46 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. I'm going to miss our visits and FB comments! She was a beautiful soul*



**Sherry Bennett** - September 30, 2021 at 11:38 PM



“ *52 files added to the album Life Tributes*



**Cole Family Funeral Home** - September 30, 2021 at 10:47 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Neuman.*



September 29, 2021 at 02:31 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Neuman.*



September 29, 2021 at 02:26 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Neuman.*



September 27, 2021 at 09:24 PM



“ *Lucretia and family, I will never forget what a wonderful friend and help Shirley and you were when Mom was sick. Your Mother was a beautiful person, inside and out.*

**Penny Turner** - September 27, 2021 at 07:11 PM



**Lucretia Whited** - September 28, 2021 at 10:40 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Shirley Ann Neuman.* ”



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September 27, 2021 at 06:35 PM