



Claire M. (Lovelace) "Bon" Haines

January 22, 1943 - August 11, 2024

Claire M. (Lovelace) Haines, affectionately known as "Bon", passed away Sunday, August 11, 2024, at her home surrounded by family. She was born January 22, 1943, in Kansas City, Missouri, a daughter of the late Reginald and Irene (Dumas) Lovelace.

On July 9, 1961, in Prairie Village, Kansas, she was united in marriage to John Haines, who preceded her in death on October 17, 2007.

Bon was a member of the Osage Community Elks Lodge 2705 in Laurie.

She was an avid bowler and also enjoyed playing cards, crocheting and reading. Most of all, she loved her grandchildren and great-grandchildren and treasured the time she spent with them.

Bon is survived by her children, Lee Haines (Ann) of Sunrise Beach, Missouri and Nancy Haines Trotter (Steve) of Versailles, Missouri; six grandchildren, Amanda, Leanna, Megan, Justin, Madison and Tiffany; four great-grandchildren, Charles, Makenzy, Calleanna and Jettsen and many other relatives and friends. In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by her brother, Stuart Lovelace.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, August 15th, at the

Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Versailles. Graveside services and interment will follow in the Versailles Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., Thursday, at the funeral home. Following the services, there will be a luncheon for family and friends at the upper level of the Osage Community Elks Lodge 2705 in Laurie.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles.

Cemetery Details

Versailles Cemetery

550 Clay Road
Versailles, MO 65084

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home - Versailles Chapel
207 North Monroe St.
Versailles, MO 65084
(573) 378-4655

Service

AUG 15. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DM

“ Nancy I am so sorry about your Mom. Prayers to you and your family



Diana Moore - August 14, 2024 at 08:49 PM

LH

“ 3 files added to the album Claire and John



Laura Haines - August 12, 2024 at 02:00 PM

DL

I have been missing you so my BonBon. Every time I go to Rods I do what I always did before you went home to be the Lord. I wondered if "today would be a good day to visit!" Then I find myself fighting back the tears & feelings of regret that I didn't act on those thoughts and took a chance more often than I did to visit you my beautiful friend! You are so missed. I live around the corner from where your body has been laid to rest & some days I avoid driving that way because the sadness is overwhelming, but the other day I searched for you headstone for and 15-20 minutes & I never found it. That day I felt defeated with sorrow and a sense of failure like I didn't try hard enough! So I called the funeral home in Versailles hoping to get some directions to where your body Rests. I just wanted to talk to you & share some things like we'd do before. I'm working on something real pretty for you Bon, a something fall to place on your headstone! I thank God that He guided me to a home only a minute from you so this way I can come talk to you & bring you pretty things and clean up your area if need be! Your house was always so tidy so it's been on my mind a lot wondering if there's debris or anything else taking away from yours & Leeroy's rest place! When I am making something pretty for you I make it with all my love, respect & I make it with you & your Leeroy in mind although I didn't know him, I know how much you loved & missed him! I look forward to the day we meet shy& I get to meet your life partner who you now rest with in our eternal home! I love you Bon. I miss you so much . Until we meet again R.I.P. with a sound mind and a joyful heart with no more confusion! ❤️🥹🤔👍

Deena Lea - September 24, 2024 at 02:33 PM

KG

“ I will always remember Claire and what a great friend and neighbor she was for many years. Lots of great memories of both our families at the Lake of the Ozarks. I especially enjoyed our visits on her patio watching boats go by. May she rest in peace. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Karen Gibson-Hull - August 11, 2024 at 08:11 PM