



Fern Marie McGinnis

October 16, 2006

Fern Marie McGinnis, age 71, of Versailles, passed away Monday morning, October 16, 2006 at St. Mary's Health Center in Jefferson City. She was born July 28, 1935 in Versailles, the daughter of Grace and Tiblow Gunn Bland.

She was united in marriage on August 21, 1955 to James McGinnis who preceded her in death on July 23, 2001.

Mrs. McGinnis was a member of United Pentecostal Church of Versailles. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by two daughters, Brenda Caviness and husband Dorsey, of Versailles, Ramona Brown and husband Charles, of Versailles; four sons Phil McGinnis and wife Jeanie, of Versailles, Till McGinnis and wife Kim, of Fortuna, Dennis McGinnis and wife Cindy, of Barnett, Randy McGinnis and wife Carol, of California; two brothers T.W. Bland, of Independence, Roger Bland, of Barnett; five sisters Brooks Surritte, of Versailles, Nancy Jacobs, of Kansas City, MO, Alma Land, of Holts Summit, Nellie Turley, of Kansas City, MO, Phyllis Shewmaker, of Gravois Mills; fifteen grandchildren, Carol Coffin, Emily Reynolds, Ginger Craig, Jessica Sanders, Austin McGinnis, Tracy Cary, James Caviness, Kayla McGinnis, Tiffany Herrmeyer, Miranda Yoder, David McGinnis, Kasey McGinnis, Douglas McGinnis, Racheal Brown, and Joshua Brown, fourteen great-grandchildren, many other relatives and friends. In

addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by one son, Andy Gene McGinnis, one brother, two sisters, one grandchild, and one great-grandchild.

A celebration of life funeral service will be at 11:00 A.M. Thursday, October 19, 2006 at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Versailles with Dan Sinclair officiating. Vocalist will be Robert Ross and organist will be Virginia Ross. Burial will be in the Versailles Cemetery. Casketbearers will be Curtis Fare, Marty McGinnis, Kevin Bland, Matthew Bland, Gregory Bland, and Nathan Cary. The family will receive friends from 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. Wednesday, October 18, 2006 at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home in Versailles. Memorial contributions are to the donors discretion. Condolences may be sent to www.kidwellgarber.com. Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles (573) 378-4655