



## Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager

May 7, 1974 - September 22, 2025

Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager, age 51, of Versailles, passed away Monday, September 22, 2025, at University of Missouri Hospital and Clinics in Columbia. She was born May 7, 1974, in Waverly, Missouri, a daughter of John F., Sr. and Betty Jane (Chenoweth) Leach.

Johnetta was a soil and water conservationist working at the Morgan County USDA Service Center. She was a member of the Versailles First Assembly of God Church.

She found joy in the simple things – her blooming coneflowers and tiger lilies, the thrill of a good thrift find and most of all, her love for her daughters, Sydney and Kynzie and her dog, Oscar.

Johnetta was rarely seen without a smile and often behind a camera, snapping selfies with family and friends, capturing the moments that mattered most. A dedicated 4-H volunteer, she gave her time generously, encouraging young people and sharing her passions with them.

Whether she was digging in the garden, searching for treasures at garage sales, or laughing with her best friends, Pam and Michael, she brought warmth and light wherever she went. Her love was deep, her joy contagious and her absence will be deeply felt by all who knew her.

She is survived by her daughters, Sydney Yeager and Kynzie Yeager both of the home; her mother, Betty Jane Leach of Versailles, Missouri; her sister, Michele Edrington of Huntsville, Alabama; brother, John F. Leach, Jr. of Columbia, Missouri; half-sister, Jennifer Leach and many other relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her father, John F. Leach, Sr.

Funeral services will be held at 12:00 Noon, Tuesday, September 30th, at the Kidwell-Garber Funeral Home of Versailles with Pastor Blake Tiemann officiating. Graveside services and interment will follow in the Versailles Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon, Tuesday, at the funeral home. Memorial contributions are suggested to <https://gofund.me/872c26221>.

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

SEP 30. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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

## Service

SEP 30. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Marilyn Gann lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



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**Marilyn Gann** - September 29, 2025 at 08:54 PM

MD

“ *Mary Ellen Dunnaway lit a candle in memory  
of Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



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**Mary Ellen Dunnaway** - September 29, 2025 at 05:27 PM

TD

“ *Sincere Sympathy in your loss. Prayers for  
comfort and peace. Hold tight to your  
memories. From the Lincoln USDA Service  
Center, Benton Co. SWCD*



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**Tina Dulaban** - September 29, 2025 at 03:09 PM



“ 51 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



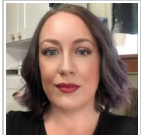
**Kidwell-Garber Funeral Homes** - September 29, 2025 at 02:39 PM

MW

“ *Melissa Wellman lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



**Melissa Wellman** - September 29, 2025 at 11:40 AM



“ *Kat McKinzie lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



**Kat McKinzie** - September 29, 2025 at 10:43 AM

LP

“ *Lisa Parton lit a candle in memory of Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



**Lisa Parton** - September 26, 2025 at 09:29 PM

SS

“ *Stan And Sherri lit a candle in memory of Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



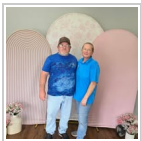
**stan and Sherri** - September 26, 2025 at 09:25 PM

KD

“ *Kim Davidson lit a candle in memory of Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



**Kim Davidson** - September 26, 2025 at 01:46 PM



“ *Hilgar's Painting lit a candle in memory of Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



**Hilgar's Painting** - September 26, 2025 at 01:14 PM

PC

“ Pamela Cornelius lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager



Pamela Cornelius - September 26, 2025 at 12:45 PM

RW

“ Rich Williams lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager



Rich Williams - September 26, 2025 at 12:09 PM

SB

“ Sharon Branch lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager



Sharon Branch - September 26, 2025 at 10:32 AM

JS

“ Jessica Shefferd lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager



Jessica Shefferd - September 26, 2025 at 09:58 AM



“ *Tammy Akers lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



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**Tammy Akers** - September 26, 2025 at 08:26 AM



“ *Misty Shewmaker lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



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**Misty Shewmaker** - September 26, 2025 at 02:43 AM



“ *Carrie Masters lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



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**Carrie Masters** - September 26, 2025 at 02:29 AM



“ *Debbie Mccollom lit a candle in memory of  
Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



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**Debbie Mccollom** - September 26, 2025 at 12:04 AM

CJ

“ *Cami Jennings-Truett lit a candle in memory of Johnetta Marie (Leach) Yeager*



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**Cami Jennings-Truett** - September 25, 2025 at 06:59 PM