



Mary Frances Gilmer

July 16, 1928 - February 5, 2018

Mary Frances Gilmer, 89 of Ozark, Arkansas died Monday, February 5, 2018 in Ozark. She was a retired Administrative Clerk for the Forrest service, a member of First Methodist Church of Ozark, Red Hatters Society, Beta Sigma Phi, Turner Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, and a Blood Drive volunteer. She was born July 16, 1928 in Pine Bluff, Arkansas to Roy Vernon and Oma Cowan Utley Slocum. She was preceded in death by her husband, James Hugh Gilmer; her parents; and a brother, Roy Utley Slocum.

Mary is survived by four daughters, Myrna Carroll of Chattaroy, Washington, Nancy Mangum of Fayetteville, Arkansas, Bettie Jo James of Ozark, and Susan Miles of Lee's Summit, Missouri; a brother, Curtis Slocum of Little Rock, Arkansas; eight grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

Family will visit with friends from 6:00 until 8:00 PM Thursday, February 8th at Shaffer Funeral Home 2315 West Commercial Street in Ozark.

Graveside service will be held 10:00 AM Friday, February 9, 2018 at Highland Cemetery with Brother Jeff Jackson officiating under direction of Shaffer Funeral Home. Serving as honorary pallbearers are Charles Ray White, Tim Culver, Otto Haberer, Mike Gibbons, Tom F. White, Jr., and Don Burns.

Memorial contributions in memory of Mary Frances Gilmer can be made to the First Methodist Church of Ozark, 503 West Commercial Street Ozark, AR 72949.

To leave online condolences visit our website: www.shafferfuneralhomeweb.com

Cemetery Details

Highland Cemetery

Highway 64 West
Ozark, AR 72949

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Shaffer Funeral Home
2315 West Commercial Street
PO Box 680
Ozark, AR 72949
(479) 667-4147
shafferfuneralhome@gmail.com

Graveside

FEB 9. 10:00 AM (CT)

Highland Cemetery
Highway 64 West
Ozark, AR 72949

Tribute Wall



“ *Shaffer Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Frances Gilmer*



Shaffer Funeral Home - February 07, 2018 at 07:58 PM



Precious memories! So very beautiful! 🙏❤️
Lynda Spencer

Lynda Spencer - February 08, 2018 at 02:29 PM



“ *Mary Frances Gilmer*

January 30, 2023 at 02:28 AM



“ *Pat Gattis sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Frances Gilmer*



Pat Gattis - March 28, 2018 at 12:44 PM

SB

“ I remember Mary as a child when I was going to the Forest Service Office with my dad and later in life talking about our precious dachshund puppies she was always kind and a delight to be around!!!



Stephanie Belt - February 08, 2018 at 09:05 AM

LW

“ We wish we could be there with you. Sending all our love to y'all. Praying for you,
Lori and Debbie

Lori Whitson - February 07, 2018 at 07:42 PM

LW

“ Lori Whitson purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Mary Frances Gilmer.



Lori Whitson - February 07, 2018 at 07:39 PM



“ I just posted one of my Favorite pictures of you girls!

Nancy Bryan-Slocum - February 07, 2018 at 05:41 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Nancy Bryan-Slocum - February 07, 2018 at 05:40 PM

CT

“ *I always enjoyed her visits at city hall. Such a sweet lady. She will really be missed.*

Carol Triplett - February 07, 2018 at 01:33 PM

DN

“ *Miss Mary Francis has a special place in my heart. It was always a pleasure to spend time with her. Rest In Peace, sweet child of God. You are with our sweet Jesus at last. You are missed on earth, but we rejoice with you in your heavenly home. God speed.*

Dawn Nevel - February 07, 2018 at 12:57 PM



“ *May the light of God shine on your family at this time. Y'all are in our families hearts and prayers. All our love Roy and Nancy Slocum*



Nancy Bryan-Slocum - February 07, 2018 at 09:10 AM

JH

“ Jeff, Rhonda, Ford, Grant and Will Heins purchased the *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* for the family of Mary Frances Gilmer.



Jeff, Rhonda, Ford, Grant and Will Heins - February 06, 2018
at 09:07 PM

TH

“ Betty Jo and family,
I'm so sorry for the loss of your sweet mother.
You all are in my thoughts and prayers.
Tammie Hayes-Sharum



Tammie Hayes-Sharum - February 06, 2018 at 08:57 PM

SC

“ Ms Mary was the sweetest mom . Susan you and your precious family are in our prayers and hearts.

shannon Dryer Crabill - February 06, 2018 at 08:47 PM

KC

“ Kay L. Coley lit a candle in memory of Mary Frances Gilmer



Kay L. Coley - February 06, 2018 at 06:57 PM

DD

“ You know our mothers were ahead of their time when they "job shared" at the Forest Service. It was in the mid-1960's. Mother kept Susan in the morning while Mary Frances worked and she kept John in the afternoon while Mother worked. It was all part of them supporting each other and their families when two little ones arrived. Lori and I love you girls and want you to know how blessed you are to have had her so long and to have been with her in her last moments. We were blessed to be with our mother in those moments. Prayers are ongoing for peace and comfort during this time as you learn to live without her daily presence. Love all of you!

Debbie Whitson DiLella - February 06, 2018 at 06:12 PM



“ *Basket of Memories* was purchased for the family of Mary Frances Gilmer.



February 06, 2018 at 05:18 PM