



## Freida Nadine Curtis

June 5, 1925 - November 21, 2015

Freida Nadine Curtis, daughter of the late James Calvin and Henrietta (McDowell) Brown, was born June 5, 1925 in Lebanon, Missouri. She passed away Saturday, November 21, 2015 in the Webco Manor Nursing Home of Marshfield, Missouri having attained the age of 90 years.

At the age of 10, Freida moved to Northern Missouri and attended school at Norborne, Missouri. In 1951, she moved back to the Lebanon area and has been in the St. Robert area since 1960.

During WWII, Freida worked in war plants where they made bullets and also was a riveter on airplanes in Kansas City during the war. From 1947 - 1951, she lived in Corpus Christi, Texas where she was a waitress. After coming back to the St. Robert area, Freida worked for 16 years as a waitress at the Bamboo Lounge.

In 1977, Freida was united in marriage to George Duane Curtis in Waynesville, Missouri. They shared many wonderful years together before he preceded her in death.

In her spare time, Freida enjoyed watching TV and tending to her flowers. She was a life member of the Harry Herron VFW #3176 Ladies Auxiliary and the American Legion 331 Ladies Auxiliary. She was a faithful supporter of the

Disabled American Veteran and volunteered on Fort Leonard Wood for many years.

Freida was a member of the Gasconade Baptist Church and was baptized on May 4, 1984. She loved singing in the choir at church.

Freida will be sadly missed by all those that knew and loved her. She leaves to cherish her memory, two step-daughters: Marina Hildebrand of Pittsburg, PA and Melody Lynn Curtis of St. Robert, MO; nieces and nephews: J.R., Mary, Florence, Nadine, Calvin, Carol, James and Sherie and a host of others.

In addition to her parents and husband, Freida was preceded in death by one son: Cecil James "Jimmy" Brown; five brothers: Kenneth Doyle Brown, Francis Brown, Richard Merle Brown, Ernest Lee Brown and James Edmond Brown; and one half-brother: Frank McDowell.

Funeral services were held at 12:00 p.m. Friday, November 27, 2015 in the Memorial Chapels of Waynesville / St. Robert with Steve Koestere and Pastor John Sheets officiating. The songs "Where We Never Grow Old" and "The Old Rugged Cross" by George Jones and "In the Garden" by Alan Jackson were played. Serving as escorts were family and friends.

Burial followed in the Ozark Memorial VFW 3176 Cemetery of St. Robert, Missouri.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Freida Nadine Curtis to the American Cancer Society.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville/St. Robert  
202 Historic 66 W.  
Waynesville, MO 65583  
(573) 774-6111  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Freida Nadine Curtis*



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**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - December 07, 2015 at 09:26 AM



“ *Freida Nadine Curtis*

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January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *enjoyed having coffee at the truck stop and our other places. doing your yard.love you freida.*



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**peggy medlock** - December 10, 2015 at 12:27 PM



“ *We pray that family members and friends will be comforted and able to share feelings with one another during this season of bereavement, being reassured that no matter the trials, God Cares for each one of us.*



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**PULAKSI COUNTY CAMP GIDEONS** - November 25, 2015 at 10:47 PM



“ 91 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Memorial Chapels and Crematory** - November 24, 2015 at 04:57 PM



“ Loved visiting and having coffee with her at  
28 truckport



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**Elsie Glosser** - November 24, 2015 at 11:36 AM

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“ *MARLIN STEVENS* lit a candle in memory of  
*Freida Nadine Curtis*



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**MARLIN STEVENS** - November 24, 2015 at 07:10 AM