



## Helen Hilda Livingston

August 29, 1935 - September 5, 2018

Helen Hilda Livingston, daughter of the late Frederick A and Anna (Leetsch) Hearting, was born August 29, 1935 in Rockville, Missouri. Helen attended school in Appleton City and graduated from Appleton City High School in 1953.

Helen went home to be with her Lord Wednesday, September 5, 2018, in her home in St. Robert, having attained the age of 83 years.

On August 22, 1954, Helen was united in marriage to James Richard Livingston and they shared 41 wonderful years of marriage together before James death in April of 1996. Helen and James were blessed with five children: Patricia Louise, Janice Ann, James Darrell (who passed in 1999), Rebecca Lynne (who passed in 1973), and Earl Richard.

Helen and James owned and operated the Chimney Pawn and Gun Shop for several years before closing it in 1996. They also managed Chimney Trailer Court and the family trust for many years. When she was not operating her business, Helen was very involved in the community. She advocated for the Chamber of Commerce, delivered Meals on Wheels, helped with the Red Cross blood mobile, served on the Bell Committee, volunteered at the Genesis House, belonged to the Red Hats Society, and, closest to her heart, she served the Lord through her many works at Faith Lutheran Church.

As a founding member, Helen loved and supported the congregation and community she helped build at Faith Lutheran Church of St. Robert. She was involved with the Ladies Aide, United Church Women, Thrivent, Lutheran Women's Missionary League. In addition, she helped to ensure many children were able to attend Sunday school and Vacation bible school (as her grandchildren fondly remember).

Ever a woman of many talents and passions, Helen enjoyed sewing, knitting and crocheting. She is fondly remembered for the many items she regularly provided to her family, friends, and community for special occasions. Most importantly, she loved her family and would look for every opportunity to get together with them, especially the grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, husband, daughter and son, Helen was preceded in death by three brothers: Walter, Elmer and Wilford Hearting; and two sisters: Ethel Rohlfing and Irma Stephan.

Helen leaves to cherish her memory, her son, Earl Livingston and wife, Samantha of Springfield, MO; two daughters: Patricia King of Laquey, MO and Janice Livingston-Rivard of St. Robert, MO; four grandchildren: Conswelia McCourt and husband, Robert; Kristina Livingston; Shawn Livingston; and Jazmyn Robertson and husband, Vincent; five great-grandchildren: Jenie, Angelica, Xander, Anastasia, and Easton; and a number of nieces and nephews; as well as a host of other relatives and friends.

Helen will be sadly missed, but fondly remembered by all those that knew and loved her.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, September 8, 2018 in the Faith Lutheran Church of St. Robert, Missouri with Pastor John Perling officiating.

Soloist Michelle Jones, along with Pianist Mary Jones, provided the musical selections, "What A Friend We Have in Jesus", "Amazing Grace", "Lift High the Cross" and "On Eagle's Wings". Serving as escorts were Xander McCourt, Robert McCourt, Shawn Livingston, Vincent Robertson, Paul Rasmussen and Young Su Kim. Burial followed in the Waynesville Memorial Park Cemetery of Waynesville. Services were under the direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Memorial contributions may be made in memory of Helen Livingston and may be left at the funeral home.

# Cemetery Details

## Waynesville Memorial Park

Waynesville, MO 65583

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 8. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church  
981 Hwy Z  
St. Robert, MO

## Service

SEP 8. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Hilda Livingston*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *Jinnie Alexander lit a candle in memory of Helen Hilda Livingston*



**Jinnie Alexander** - September 10, 2018 at 04:40 PM



“ *Oh Helen, how I'll miss your company! I sure enjoyed spending time with you while you waited on your car getting an oil change or something. You were a very special person to me and it saddens me that you won't be coming through those store doors anymore. My condolences to all her family and friends. She will be dearly missed!*

**Susan Yardley** - September 10, 2018 at 04:28 PM



“ *Linda George Wheeler lit a candle in memory of Helen Hilda Livingston*



**Linda George Wheeler** - September 08, 2018 at 07:20 PM

JS

“ I was over at their house many times and she always made me feel like one of the family. Her children were the most important thing to her and she would do anything for them. Rest in peace



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**Jeanne Monda Strohm** - September 08, 2018 at 11:12 AM

JS

“ I was over at their home many times and she always made me feel like one of the family. Her children were the most important thing in her life and she would do anything she could for them. Rest in peace

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**Jeanne Monda Strohm** - September 08, 2018 at 11:08 AM

JT

“ So sorry to learn of the loss of Helen. My thoughts and prayers are with her family and so many that were blessed to have known this special lady.

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**Janis Thompson** - September 08, 2018 at 10:51 AM

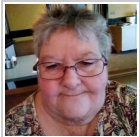
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“ *Condolences to Patty and the family. We will deeply miss Mrs. Helen in the shallow end of the pool in our water aerobics class. She always provided get well and sympathy cards for us to sign for our fellow classmates. She knew everybody. She was also our Princess of Prizes for the Red Hats Forever where she would give a special gift certificate to the birthday winner of the free lunch drawing. She hauled our numerous laminated name plates to each monthly luncheon for years until it was decided that each member would hold onto their own. She was sweet and pleasant all the time like a true Christian and trailblazer. Her excellent example is a legacy that will live in our hearts. She could have complained more about her medical challenges but chose to just step ever so gently with joy. We cherish the many memories of our great friendship and sisterhood.*

*Sincerely,  
Queen Corliss O. Rucker*

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**Corliss O. Rucker** - September 07, 2018 at 08:53 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Helen's passing. I've known her since 1980, and you couldn't ask for a more kindhearted person. while I was the Stewardship Director for five years in the mid to late 90s, she was always encouraging me. Faith Lutheran Church will not be the same without this amazing woman.*

*To all the family and friends, I am praying for peace and comfort over you. Helen has her reward and is in the arms of Jesus, where she has dreamed of for so long.*



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**Janice Howell** - September 07, 2018 at 08:40 PM

RO

“ Aunt Helen was a wonderful person. She was always crafting for the bazaar, never coming to visit without crochet or knit projects. She was devoted to her church and family. We will miss her, but know she is with her Lord.

Robin - September 07, 2018 at 08:23 PM

MD

“ Kris, & Family.. Sorry to hear, of your loved one's passing.. You are in my thoughts and prayers.. My heart goes out to you, and yours. God Bless All Of You.



Margaret DeVido - September 07, 2018 at 07:11 PM

DE

“ Delma lit a candle in memory of Helen Hilda Livingston



delma - September 07, 2018 at 06:02 PM

PG

“ Pulaski County Gideons lit a candle in memory of Helen Hilda Livingston



Pulaski County Gideons - September 07, 2018 at 04:14 PM

CD

“ From the staff of Tiger Typhoon Aquatic Center, we are sorry for your loss and we send thoughts and prayers to your family. Miss Helen was a wonderful lady that we all enjoyed talking with and was such a bright highlight when we got to see her.

God Bless



City of Saint Robert Parks Department - September 07, 2018 at 02:07 PM

BH

“ Thank you Helen for being such a kind loving friend. You will be missed. Prayers for your family. Barb

barbara hause - September 07, 2018 at 12:13 PM

BH

“ Barbara Hause lit a candle in memory of Helen Hilda Livingston



barbara hause - September 07, 2018 at 12:12 PM

JC

“ Helen was such a wonderful person to be friends with. She truly cared about everyone. God loving, she followed the path he set forth and now she has finally reached her goal and is home with loved ones. You will be missed and always in my heart.



Jackie Kubisiak Cato - September 07, 2018 at 11:03 AM

PM

“ *Helen was truly a Christian lady. Her kindness will always be remembered. She had a wonderful sense of humor. Our prayers for comfort to her family.*

**Pete & Chris Malley** - September 07, 2018 at 10:00 AM



“ *Mitzi Sparks lit a candle in memory of Helen Hilda Livingston*



**Mitzi Sparks** - September 07, 2018 at 09:32 AM

AB

“ *Alice Bischoff lit a candle in memory of Helen Hilda Livingston*



**Alice Bischoff** - September 07, 2018 at 08:31 AM

BR

“ *A wonderful lady who cared about so many others. She was a good mother and grandmother and a good friend to many. We were blessed to have known her.*

*Joe & Bev Rasmussen*

**Beverly Rasmussen** - September 07, 2018 at 07:24 AM

ST

“ I've known Helen all my life and I'm sadden to hear of her passing. She was a wonderful lady and always had a smile that would light up a room. To Helens family my thoughts and prayers are with you at this most difficult time.



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**Susan Covert Thaomas** - September 07, 2018 at 06:53 AM