



Margaret Lucille Southard

December 1, 1941 - November 4, 2014

Margaret Lucille Southard, daughter of the late Clayton L. and Mamie (Anglin) Harrington, was born December 1, 1941 in Nunnely, Tennessee where she grew up and attended school.

On January 30, 1960, Margaret was united in marriage to Ralph Clinton Southard, who was a United States Army soldier. They were married at Fort Campbell, Kentucky and shared the next 51 years together before he passed away on July 24, 2011.

Due to Ralph being in the military, Margaret and the family moved several times and they were eventually stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. At that time, Margaret, who had earned her GED diploma, went on to further her education and obtained her Bachelor of Science Degree in Health Care Management from Park University.

Margaret was a hard working woman. She loved helping people, and because of her degree was able to work as a nurse in several nursing homes in the area (Life Care Center, Sunset Village of the Ozarks and Piney Ridge). She became the director of adult daycare at "Choices for People" in Waynesville and retired in 2009.

After her retirement, Margaret was able to enjoy more of the things that she

liked to do. One of those things was going to the Lake and her and Ralph moved to Linn Creek, Missouri so they could enjoy the Lake more. Margaret loved to fish, work in her gardens, and watch birds. She was an avid bird figurine collector and reader. Most importantly, she treasured spending time with her grand and great grandchildren. They were her pride and joy and she would also have a smile on her face and a twinkle in her eye when she was around them.

Margaret passed away Tuesday, November 4, 2014 in her home having attained the age of 72 years, 11 months and 3 days. She will be sadly missed but fondly remembered by all those that knew and loved her.

Margaret leaves to cherish her memory, her children: Melissa Wilson and husband Sean of Crocker, MO, Timothy Southard and wife, Nikki of Lebanon, MO and Jerry C. Southard and wife Wendy of Crocker, MO; four siblings: Harry Harrington of Centerville, TN, Jesse Harrington of Nashville, TN, Francis Campbell of Centerville, TN and Geneva Buchner of Cumberland Gap, TN; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

In addition to her parents and husband, Margaret was preceded in death by one sister, Bonnie Tucker.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Monday, November 10, 2014 in the Memorial Chapel of Richland of Richland, Missouri with Pastor Doug Jacobson officiating. The songs "Amazing Grace" by Elvis, "Sissy's Song" by Alan Jackson, "Voice of Truth" by Casting Crowns and "The Dance" by Garth Brooks were played. Serving as escorts were Tim Southard, Sean Wilson, Chance Southard, Zac Helms, Michael Rosencrans, Jason Brandon, Jerry Southard and Drew Lowe.

Burial followed in the Freedom Cemetery near Linn Creek, Missouri. Services were under the direction of Memorial Chapels and Crematory of Waynesville / St. Robert.

Cemetery Details

Freedom Cemetery

Linn Creek, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **10**. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Memorial Chapel of Richland
715 E. Jefferson Avenue
Richland, MO 65556
(573) 765-5300
richlandmc@memorialchapelsandcrematory.com

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - November 13, 2014 at 04:13 PM



A very lovely tribute to a very lovely lady.

Nina Adamson - November 22, 2014 at 03:44 PM



A VERY BEAUTIFUL LOVING AND CARING COUSIN SHE WILL ALWAYS BE DEAR TO ME.

GYNELL GREEN - November 22, 2014 at 07:21 PM



“ *Margaret Lucille Southard*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *Learned very late of her passing- I had been her husbands company commander in Vietnam- hope this might find someone who can put me in touch with her sons..*

blessings

jack kelley

910-978-8777

jack kelley - August 28, 2018 at 07:51 PM



“ *Judith Powers lit a candle in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



Judith Powers - November 10, 2014 at 12:49 PM

BD

“ *Bill Dolly lit a candle in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



Bill Dolly - November 09, 2014 at 06:21 PM

MC

“ *Mary Campbell sent a virtual gift in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



mary Campbell - November 07, 2014 at 03:12 PM

MC

“ *Mary Campbell lit a candle in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



mary Campbell - November 07, 2014 at 03:06 PM

MS

“ *MARLIN STEVENS lit a candle in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



MARLIN STEVENS - November 07, 2014 at 07:25 AM

MC

for my loving big sister I'll miss forever now u will be with Ralph, mommy,dad and sister Bonnie. love u all mary frances

mary Campbell - November 07, 2014 at 02:57 PM

LH

*Ms. Campbell,
She is also with the child she miscarried and mourned every winter.
May God have mercy on her soul.*

Lee Hyung-ja - December 24, 2014 at 10:39 PM

CC

“ *Colleen Clarke-Daniely lit a candle in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



Colleen Clarke-Daniely - November 07, 2014 at 06:44 AM

DO

“ *Dolly&Bill lit a candle in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



Dolly&Bill - November 06, 2014 at 09:21 PM

PC

“ *Pamela Cox lit a candle in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



Pamela Cox - November 06, 2014 at 06:43 PM

PN

“ *Patricia Nicks lit a candle in memory of Margaret Lucille Southard*



Patricia Nicks - November 06, 2014 at 04:18 PM

 Nina Adamson

“ *I usually started my day on Facebook with Margaret. She was always thinking of others even during times when she was suffering with pain. It was a pleasure to reconnect with Margaret after so many years and to find out about her life and family. I will greatly miss her each day but consider myself lucky to have known her. She loved her family and I loved hearing about her outings with her granddaughters. We could all count on Margaret to remember and request prayers for those in need of them. My day will just not be the same without her Good Night and Good Morning post each day. To her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, my deepest sympathy to you.*

Nina Adamson - November 06, 2014 at 03:17 PM

Nina
Adamson

“ *Nina Adamson lit a candle in memory of
Margaret Lucille Southard*



Nina Adamson - November 06, 2014 at 03:01 PM

MR

“ *Margaret Roberts lit a candle in memory of
Margaret Lucille Southard*



margaret roberts - November 06, 2014 at 02:49 PM

WH

“ *Whitney lit a candle in memory of Margaret
Lucille Southard*



Whitney - November 06, 2014 at 10:45 AM