



Katinell Finke Traynor

November 30, 1951 - August 28, 2020

Katinell Finke Traynor, age 68, of Louisiana, formerly of Bowling Green, passed away Friday, August 28, 2020 at Mercy Hospital in St. Louis.

Funeral services will be held 10:00 am Tuesday, September 1, 2020 at the Second Baptist Church in Bowling Green with Pastor Mark West and Rev. Jerry Gamm officiating. Burial will be in the Greenlawn Cemetery in Bowling Green. Visitation will be held from 4:00 pm until 8:00 pm Monday, August 31, 2020 at Bibb-Veach Funeral Home in Bowling Green.

Katinell was born November 30, 1951 in Hannibal, the daughter of Frederick Louis and Mildred Elaine Cobb Finke. She married Ronald Haverich July 11, 1970 and to this union three children were born. Later, she married Marion Traynor April 10, 2004 and received two step-children. He survives.

Other survivors include son Craig W. Haverich (Micah) of Owatonna, MN; daughters Elaine K Gray (Chris) of Louisiana and Melinda R Patrick (John) of Silex; step-children Joseph Traynor of Louisiana and Melinda Butler of Clarksville; six grandchildren Samantha Lagemann, Austin Lagemann, Brendan Gray, Jocelyn Gray, Memphis Haverich, and Auron Haverich; many nieces, nephews, and relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents and brother Charles Finke.

Katinell was born in Hannibal, MO, raised in Bowling Green and graduated from Bowling Green High School in 1969. Her family moved to Eolia in 1978, where she lived most of her adult life until she moved to Louisiana in 2001. She was a member of the Second Baptist Church in Bowling Green, where she volunteered in many capacities and has been the church librarian since 1978. Her dedication and desire to serve others in volunteer work was visible in the many clubs she belonged to, including GFWC Aeolian Club in Eolia since 1982 where she served as district 4 president as well as state treasure from 2000 until 2002. Other volunteer work included GFWC Chautauqua Club in Clarksville, Eolia ballpark board for 5 years, Eolia Volunteer Fire Department secretary\treasure, as well as the American Legion Auxiliary where she has served since 2001.

Katinell was a dedicated hard-working individual. From 1973 until 1978 she worked for the Pike County Memorial Hospital in the respiratory department. From 1979 until 2003 she served as a secretary for Louisiana Manufacturing Company\Hubbell Electrical and from 2003 until she retired in 2016, she served as an OSA at the Northeast Missouri Correctional Facility.

Katinell loved spending time with her family. She enjoyed her girls weekends with her daughters and getting to love on her grandchildren every chance she could. She and Marion enjoyed fishing and even had a points system in place to see at the end of the day who won for the most fish. Of course, Katinell created the point system and might have skewed it slightly in her favor at a 10pt to 1pt ration with the loser having to buy the winner a gift that she got to pick out either way. In her younger years she enjoyed playing pinochles.

Her love for Snoopy, Charlie Brown and the Peanuts gang was a perfect fit with her love for Christmas, as A Charlie Brown Christmas was her favorite Christmas movie. She enjoyed going on car rides with her daughters looking

at Christmas lights and decorating her own home for the season. She could always be talked into going on a trip to Dairy Queen for some ice cream or stopping by Bankheads Chocolates for a box of turtles.

Katinell was loved by many and will be missed by all who knew her.

Serving as pallbearers will be Austin Lagemann, Brendan Gray, David Finke, Danny Finke, Jacob Bowen, and Charles Bowen. Honorary pallbearers will be Terry Traynor, Clint Bowen, Thomas Finke, and William Finke.

Memorials may be made to American Cancer Society or Donors' Choice.

Cemetery Details

Green Lawn Cemetery

Bowling Green, MO 63334

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 31. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's & Crematory LLC - Bowling Green
606 West Main Street
Bowling Green, MO 63334
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Funeral Service

SEP 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

Second Baptist Church
Bowling Green, MO 63334

Tribute Wall

MK

“ *Elaine, Melinda, and families, I send my sympathy, thoughts, and prayers. May GOD give you peace and comfort. Kati will be missed tremendously.*

MARSHA L KIEL - September 01, 2020 at 06:19 PM

MG

“ *Mona (Bibb) Grote lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Mona (Bibb) Grote - September 01, 2020 at 09:29 AM



“ *43 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's, LLC. - August 31, 2020 at 03:30 PM

DS

“ *Katie was fun to work with at the hospital when we were young. She will be missed*



Deb Skirvin - August 30, 2020 at 05:03 PM

CM

“ *Katinell will be missed. Prayers to everyone.*



Colleen Meyer - August 30, 2020 at 04:54 PM

CM

“ *Sorry to hear about Katinell. She always took so much responsibility in planning our '69 class reunions and keeping up with classmates and friends. She had a car in college days and provided rides to classmates when they wanted to come home. We spent many hrs on road traveling to and fro from Bowling Green and Kirksville--no matter what weather might be. She was probably one of the first friends that I got to stay all night with. Whenever I saw her she would ask how life was going and shared stories of her family. She was so proud of her kids and grandkids.*

Colleen Meyer - August 30, 2020 at 04:51 PM

SP

“ *Kati was such a sweet friend and loving mother. She will be missed not only by her wonderful family, but also by all those that knew her. I'm praying for comfort for her family and for God to wrap His arms around you all. She leaves behind a legacy of love and service to others.*

Sherri Patrick - August 30, 2020 at 03:31 PM

CM

“ *Carla Mills lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Carla Mills - August 30, 2020 at 02:10 PM

EL

“ *Elenora Lobb lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Elenora Lobb - August 30, 2020 at 11:50 AM

EL

She was a wonderful sister in law and will be greatly missed

Elenora Lobb - August 30, 2020 at 11:50 AM

MG

I knew Katinell all of her life and was fortunate to be a next-door neighbor to her in our younger years. She was one of the most pleasant people I have ever known. I was honored to be a bridesmaid in her first marriage, and to work with her on helping to plan our class reunions. Katinell had so much energy in finding special gifts to give out to our classmates and to find out where everyone was living. We will miss her terribly not only for her assistance in planning and carrying through with those plans. Even when she was terribly ill, she did not show this to others. We will miss her terribly but feel blessed to have been her friend.

Mona (Bibb) Grote - August 31, 2020 at 03:29 PM

TA

“ *Tammiries-mcpike lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



tammiries-mcpike - August 30, 2020 at 12:40 AM

JB

“ *Prayers for strength, peace and comfort to Kati's family and friends! I LOVED workin mg with her when we worked evenings and weekends at Walmart together. She was always so sweet and kind and had a smile on her face! Her memory will always be cherished!!*

Jessica Lindsay Bauman - August 29, 2020 at 11:45 PM

DF

“ *I remember Katinell from BGHS and was saddened to hear of her passing. The Bible says that here we walk by faith and not by sight, but now she is seeing the splendors of heaven. God put His loving arms around her family and comfort you as only He can. Donna Price Francis*

Donna Francis - August 29, 2020 at 11:18 PM

DH

“ *Diana Hoehne lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Diana Hoehne - August 29, 2020 at 09:24 PM

DH

So sorry for your loss. She was my aunt and I was her flower girl in her wedding many years ago. I remember her especially for her ability to remember everyone's birthdays and anniversaries. She was such a kind generous person. She will be missed by many.

Diana Hoehne - August 29, 2020 at 09:29 PM

PC

“ *Pam Cole lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Pam Cole - August 29, 2020 at 08:46 PM

RG

“ *Robin Graver lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Robin Graver - August 29, 2020 at 08:00 PM

RG

I am truly sorry for your loss Elaine and Melinda. I enjoyed working with your mother she was always happy and smiling. Sending prayers to your family.

Robin Graver - August 29, 2020 at 08:04 PM

DS

“ *Debra L Smith lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Debra L Smith - August 29, 2020 at 07:03 PM

TH

“ *Ted And Fran Haverich lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Ted and Fran Haverich - August 29, 2020 at 05:21 PM

CO

“ *Cindy Poyser Osborne lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Cindy Poyser Osborne - August 29, 2020 at 04:27 PM

Doris
Bryce
Love

“ *Doris Bryce Love lit a candle in memory of Katinell Finke Traynor*



Doris Bryce Love - August 29, 2020 at 03:05 PM

CW

“ *So very sorry for your loss. Katie was such a sweet outgoing person! She will be deeply missed. My thoughts & prayers are with you.*



Chrystal Walker - August 29, 2020 at 01:30 PM

HS

“ *I am deeply saddened to hear of Katinell's passing. She was a wonderful lady and woman of God. I always enjoyed visiting with Katinell at church. I am keeping her loved ones in my thoughts and prayers.*

Heather Spegal-Ritchey - August 29, 2020 at 01:21 PM

CH

“ *My condolences to Elaine, Melinda, and families. I have fond memories of growing up at church with your mom. She was such a sweet, kind woman. Most importantly she her Christian faith was always an example to all.*

Christina Allensworth Hays - August 29, 2020 at 01:12 PM