



## Lillian Ann Jaco

April 11, 1935 - April 15, 2019

### Obituary

Lillian Ann Smallwood was born on April 11, 1935 in Fulton, Missouri to the union of Roger and Eliza Smallwood. Lillian grew up in Fulton, Missouri and at an early age sang in the choir at Calvary Baptist Church. Lillian graduated from Lincoln High School in Jefferson City, Missouri in 1953. Lillian married Bentley Jaco of Yankton, South Dakota on December 4, 1958 in Sioux Falls South Dakota. The union produced two sons, Bentley Roger and Christopher David. In 1969, Lillian began her career at Sears and Roebuck. After many years of service, she took early retirement and returned to her first career as a dental hygienist. Lillian loved spending time with her brothers and sisters and traveling with her husband. Lillian was also a faithful member of Central Christian Church (Disciples in Christ). Lillian's parents and brother Billy Smallwood, sister Evelyn Mae Keeyes

and husband Bentley preceded her in death. She departed this life on April 15, 2019 at Kansas City Hospice & Palliative Care. Left to cherish her memory are: her two loving sons Bentley and Christopher (Tracey) of Kansas City. She also leaves her two grandchildren Devin Jaco and Moriana Jaco, a brother Roger Smallwood (Winnie), sister Nancy Smith, sister-in-law Ruby Smallwood, uncle Henry I. Thomas (Evelyn) and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday, April 23, 2019 at St. James United Methodist Church 5540 Wayne Avenue KCMO 64110. Visitation 9:00 A.M. Interment Leavenworth National Cemetery.

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to the family or plant a tree  
in memory of Lillian Ann Jaco, please visit our floral store.

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JF

“ We are sorry for your loss; we will continue to keep you and the family in our prayers 🙏❤️🙏

Joe & Lillian Fanning - April 26, 2019 at 02:19 PM

KC

“ A candle was lit in remembrance

Kimberly Curtis - April 23, 2019 at 08:57 PM

MG

“ To Lillian's family, I know this is a difficult time for the family, my hope is that you will be comforted from God's inspired word the Bible. John 5:28,29 and Revelation 21:3,4 gives hope of a future resurrection and the complete elimination of death, pain and mourning. May the sure promise of a resurrection, comfort and strengthen you in the days ahead, knowing that the One who promised, "cannot lie" (Titus 1:2) Please accept my deepest condolences.

M. Gee - April 23, 2019 at 07:30 PM

ES

“ A Beautiful in Blue was ordered on April 23, 2019

Expression of Sympathy - April 23, 2019 at 06:53 PM

KW

“ Love you my dear auntie. See you in paradise. Kay your neice

Karen Williams - April 20, 2019 at 09:16 PM

KW

“ See you in Paradise. Love you and you be in our heart forever.  
Will miss you auntie. Love niece Kay

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**Karen williams** - April 20, 2019 at 09:32 AM

DH

“ Dear Family, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one  
and send you my sincere condolences. May you find comfort from  
God's word at Revelation 21:3,4 and John 5:28,29. Heartfelt prayers  
are with you during this difficult time.

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**D. Harris** - April 19, 2019 at 07:24 PM

KW

“ Love you my dear auntie. See you in the paradise. Kay and  
family. Will always keep a special place for u in my heart

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**Karen Williams** - April 19, 2019 at 04:13 PM