



Mary "Guessie" Elizabeth Pierce

October 24, 1960 - December 17, 2023

Mary "Guessie" Elizabeth Pierce, age 63, passed away on Sunday, December 17, 2023, at her home in Pierce City, MO. She was born in Monett, MO on Monday, October 24, 1960; daughter of Gerald and Betty (Craton) Wrobleski. She was a 1979 graduate of Pierce City High School where she was president of the Pep Club. She married Gary Pierce on Saturday, September 20, 1980, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pierce City, MO. Mrs. Pierce loved her family. She loved being a Nana. Her grandchildren were her everything; she followed all their school activities and sporting events. She was a homemaker who had a passion for cleanliness, nothing was out of place, and the house was decorated beautifully. She very much enjoyed Christmas, watching it snow, cooking, laying out at the pool, being in the pool with family, sewing, and crafts. Mrs. Pierce loved being outside in the sun and always had a beautiful tan. She liked going to the beach where she enjoyed looking for and collecting seashells. Christmas was her favorite time of year. She always had the house looking festive and wanted to make it perfect for her family. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pierce City, MO. She belonged to the PCCW group and cooked for the school for eight years. Everything she did, she did well. She will be missed by many!

Surviving are the following: her husband, Gary of Pierce City, MO; two daughters, Amy (Matt) Holt of Marshfield, MO and Bethany (Derrick) Cox of Monett, MO; one son, Andrew "Andy" (Brooke) Pierce of Monett, MO; one

brother, Rodney (Missy) Wrobleski of Monett, MO; two sisters, Brenda Buchanan of Liberty, MO and Jacki (Kyle) Edwards of Monett, MO; eight grandchildren, Cayden Holt, Brooklynn Holt, Crosby Cox, Izzabella Holt, Grace Pierce, Graham Pierce, Huxlee Cox, and Paxton Cox; and many cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends.

Mrs. Pierce was preceded in death by her parents, Gerald and Betty Wrobleski.

The family will receive friends at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pierce City, MO on Wednesday, December 20, 2023. Prayer Service and Rosary will begin at 6:00 PM with visitation to follow until 8:00 PM.

Funeral Mass will be at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pierce City, MO on Thursday, December 21, 2023, beginning at 10:30 AM with Father Matt Rehrauer officiating. Burial will follow at Berwick Cemetery in Pierce City, MO.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Mary's Catholic School in care of the funeral home. Arrangements are under the personal care and direction of Lakin Funeral Home in Pierce City, MO.

Cemetery Details

Berwick Cemetery

Pierce City, MO

Previous Events

Prayer Service/Rosary

DEC 20. 6:00 PM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
200 Front Street
Pierce City, MO 65723
(417) 476-2827

Visitation

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Funeral Mass

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