



Patricia Hanley Gero

June 9, 1934 - November 4, 2023

Patricia Hanley Gero, age 89, of Pierce City, MO passed away peacefully on Saturday, November 4, 2023. She was born in Plattsburgh, NY on Saturday, June 9, 1934; daughter of Halsey and Genevieve (Garrant) Calkins. Patricia moved from New York to Pierce City, Missouri to live with her daughter and son-in-law. Patricia loved to dance and was a member of the Polar Squares, a square-dancing group, for several years. She worked at the AuSable Chasm KOA Campground along the side of her husband, Rodney, for many years. Patricia enjoyed cooking. She made the best pies, cakes, and cookies. She also enjoyed crocheting, gardening, and reading.

Patricia is survived by the following: three children and their spouses, Bruce and Beverly Hanley, Donna and Daniel Witt, and Scott and Michelle Hanley; 8 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

Patricia was preceded in death by her husband of 42 years, Rodney Hanley; her second husband, Joseph O. Gero; her parents, Halsey and Genevieve (Garrant) Calkins; one brother, James Calkins; and one sister, Theresa Kilgore.

Memorial Mass will be at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pierce City, MO on Saturday, November 11, 2023, at 11:00 AM with Father Matt Rehrauer officiating. Arrangements are under the personal care and direction of Lakin Funeral Home in Pierce City, MO.

Previous Events

Memorial Mass

NOV 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
200 Front Street
Pierce City, MO 65723
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