

"The Athen Family would to sincerely thank you for your support and prayers during the past months."

IN LOVING MEMORY OF

Nancy Sue Athen

MEMORIAL SERVICE

11:00 am, Wednesday

July 2, 2025

Fair Grove United Methodist Church

Fair Grove, Missouri

OFFICIANT

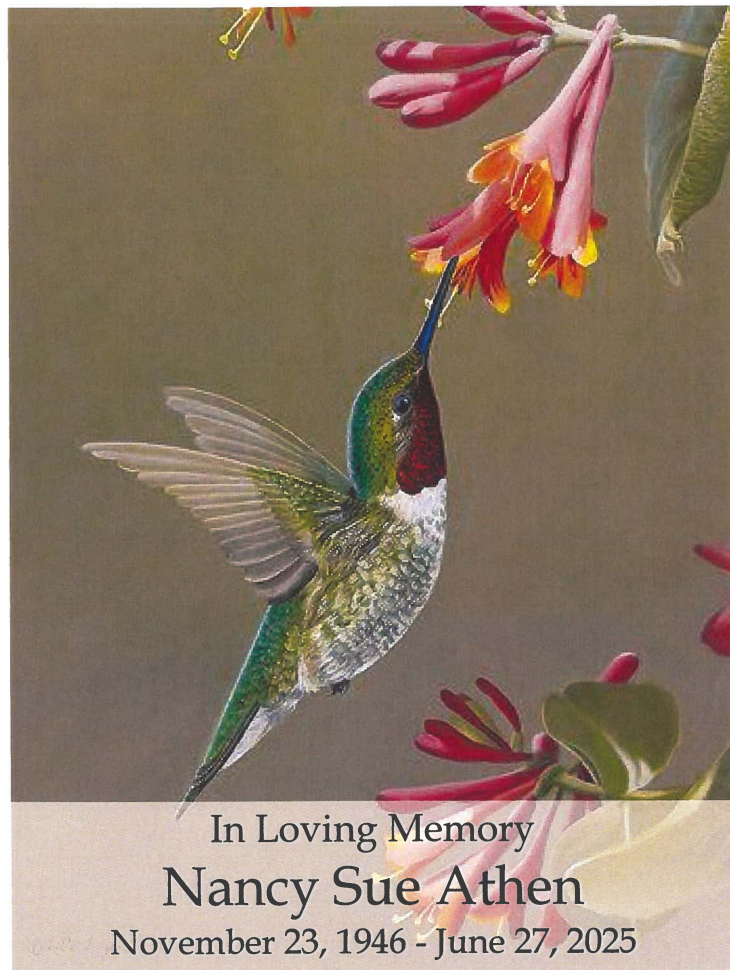
Pastor Jeff Brann

CONGREGATIONAL SONG

"How Great Thou Art"

*Herman H. Lohmeyer Funeral Home
500 E. Walnut Street
Springfield, Missouri 65806*

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"Let not your heart be troubled;
you believe in God, believe also in Me.
In My Father's house are many mansions;
if it were not so, I would have told you.
I go to prepare a place for you.
And if I go and prepare a place for you,
I will come again and receive you to Myself;
that where I am, there you may be also."

John 14:1-3
NKJV

Nancy Sue Athen, 78, Buffalo, MO passed on to heaven Friday, June 27 in Woodland Manor, Springfield, with her husband Dennis by her side. She was born on November 23, 1946 in Fargo, North Dakota to Addison "Bud" and Beall Thomas. She was a retired administrative secretary for the Missouri Department of Corrections and Missouri Department of Natural Resources at Big Lake. Nancy loved gardening, crafts, and camping, especially volunteering as campground hosts with Dennis at Big Lake, Stockton, and other state parks. She loved going to music shows in Branson. Nancy was very proud of her grandsons and loved attending their band competitions and football games. Nancy had a heart for Jesus. She was active in church throughout her life, and was a member of the Fair Grove United Methodist Church.

Nancy was preceded in death by her parents and brother, John Thomas, and brother-in-law, Larry Athen. She is survived by her husband Dennis, son and daughter-in-law Brian and Carla, and grandsons Grant and Carter; sister-in-laws Gay, Joan, and Marianne, and brother-in-law Kent. Aunt Nancy is loved by multiple nieces and nephews.