



Betty Lou Collins

April 2, 1938 - November 16, 2020

Betty L. Collins, 82, of Peoria, IL passed away at 4:02 PM on Monday, November 16, 2020 at Unity Point Methodist Hospital due to complications of Covid-19.

She was born on April 2, 1938 to Fred and Viola Rapp who preceded her in death. She married Jesse A. Collins, Sr. on June 3, 1966, and he preceded her in death.

She retired from Belwood Nursing Home after 15 years. She was a member of El Vista Baptist Church since 1999.

Betty is survived by her children, Hardy Collins, of Peoria, Claude (Kathy) Collins, of Galesburg, Mary Collins, of TN, Edward (Tammie) Collins, of TN, Julia Fuller, of Peoria, Marty Schmidt, of CA, Donald Collins, of Peoria, and two children that were adopted out; step-children, Tom Bolander, of SC, Joe Bolander, of Sunnyland, and Becky Collins, of East Peoria; 40 grandchildren; and 65 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and four step-children.

A private family graveside service will be held at Swan Lake Memory Gardens.

Memorial contributions may be made to El Vista Baptist Church.

Schmidt-Haller Burial and Cremation Services is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Lou Collins*

Schmidt Haller Burial and Cremation Services - August 13, 2024 at 01:18 PM



“ *~~~~~ Alice loved you so much and will and JesseRay they always watched the peoria christmas parade with you. Aluce passed awat in2018 the boys had t seen you but they loved you. Now you and Aluce are tgether with her dad n your son rest.i. peace Betty you will be missed but you are 100 percent better. ~~~~~*

Rae Wheeler - November 22, 2020 at 12:00 AM



“ *~~~~~ Rest in peace mom love you ~~~~~*

Claude collins - November 19, 2020 at 12:00 AM