



## Alice E. McMahon

August 22, 1922 - December 7, 2011

Dateline: Alton

Alice E. McMahon, 89, died at 4:50 a.m. Wednesday, December 7, 2011 at Rosewood Care Center in Edwardsville. Born August 22, 1922 in St. Louis, MO, she was the daughter of Charles and Marcella (Connor) Sinclair. She retired as a secretary for Marquette Catholic High School in Alton after over 15 years of service and was a member of Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church. On June 19, 1946 in St. Louis, she married Joseph F. McMahon. He preceded her in death on June 26, 1989. Surviving are three daughters and sons-in-law, Mary and John Melaga of Peoria, Patricia and Gerald Stolze of Alton, and Maureen and Jeffrey Wilson of Edwardsville, two sons and a daughter-in-law, John J. and Beverly McMahon of Winfield, MO, and Daniel J. McMahon of Birmingham, Alabama, 10 grandchildren, five great grandchildren, and one brother, Robert F. Sinclair of Treasure Island, Florida. She was preceded in death by two brothers, Charles and Donald Sinclair. Visitation will be from 4:00 – 7:00 pm on Friday at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. A Mass of Christian burial will be 10:00 am Saturday at Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic in Alton with Fr. Delix Michel officiating. Burial will be at Calvary Cemetery in St. Louis. Memorials may be made to the National Parkinson Foundation at 1501 NW 9th Ave. Bob Hope Road, Miami, FL 33136. Online guestbook and additional information may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

PDF Printable Version

# Tribute Wall



“ *Alice E. McMahon*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Alice E. McMahon*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *We were so sorry to just hear of your loss. We loved Alice and have so many fond memories growing up with your family and ours. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all,  
Tass Farrell Mertens and family*

**Kathleen Mertens** - December 26, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *I have great memories of growing up with all the McMahon's and your mother was so kind to me at your home and at school - She was a wonderful lady and you were a wonderful FAMILY TO BE around - Remember the happy days you had many - Hopefully time will make you all sit around and tell stories of all the love that was in your house*

**Diane Doran** - December 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Alice E. McMahon*

**Jacki Clancy** - December 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ Alice McMahan is my former mother-in-law. I loved her as my own mom and am so sorry she has passed. This brings up memories from the past of great times. She was a good woman. I still have items hanging in my house that she personally made for me. I'll never forget her. God love you and Joe.

---

**Carol (McMahan) Doerfler** - December 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Dear Dan, Trish and all the family: I was sorry to see this obit in the paper.  
My sympathy to all the family in your loss of your Mother.  
Your friend and neighbor,  
D. Weaver

---

**Dolores Weaver** - December 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ I am not sure if this is the mother of the Daniel McMahan I lived next on 4th St. in Alton. If so Dan it would be good to hear from you. My email is dan68\_00@yahoo.com if this is no relation then please forgive me and I apologize. With deepest sympathy Danny Bunker.

---

**Danny L Bunker** - December 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ We send our deepest sympathy on the sad loss of your mother. It's so hard to lose a parent. Prayers, thoughts and hugs are sent your way.  
Love, Louise & Tony

---

**Louise & Tony Matalonis** - December 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ *Mrs McMahon was very kind to me and made my years at Marquette better because she was there.  
May she rest in peace.  
My sympathies to her children.*

---

**Mary (Goeken) Donahue** - December 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KH

“ *I have so many great memories of Mrs. McMahon. She was my 4H leader. Yes, she had a 4H group on McKinley Blvd, in the heart of Alton, Illinois. She was always encouraging. We even went to the state fair with our cookies and sewing. She always made me feel safe and loved. She and my Mom were two peas in a pod. It is fitting they go to heaven so close together in time.*

---

**Kathie Woelfel Henderson** - December 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *My Aunt Alice will forever be remmebered as the kindest, most loving, always smiling person at family reunions. The world needs more people like sweet Aunt Alice. Sorry I can't be there but I'm there in spirit.*

---

**Kelley Sinclair Allton** - December 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ *So sorry for your loss. Mrs. McMahon was certainly one of the people who made MHS memorable. I can't even imagine what the office would have been like after she left. My sympathies to the family.*

---

**Terri (Treichel) Brooks** - December 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TO

“ So sorry for your loss, I remember her well, from our days at Marquette. Alice will surely be missed, and once again..my condolences.

---

**Tom Ontis** - December 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM