



## Anne Kathleen Rice

June 24, 1935 - February 18, 2018

Dateline: Benton, IL

Anne Kathleen (Lageman) Rice, 82, passed away at 11:30 a.m. on Sunday, February 18, 2018 at Helia Healthcare in Benton, IL. She was born June 24, 1935 in Alton the daughter of Irvin and Nellie (Saunders) Lageman. She married Robert W. Rice on January 1, 1953 and he survives. After knowing each other only one week, they eloped to Pocahontas, Arkansas and just recently celebrated 64 years of marriage. Anne attended Immanuel Baptist Church in Benton, IL and three years ago put her faith and trust in Jesus Christ. She was a cafeteria worker with Aramark Food Services at West Middle School for 17 years. Besides her husband she is survived by her children, Julie(David) Orr of Plant City, FL, Lori(Floyd) Cairns of Thompsonville, IL and Traci(John) Hobbs of Bennington, NE, eight grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, one sister, Jane Hartley (George) of Royal Lakes, IL and a special niece and nephew. Anne was preceded in death by her parents and one great grandchild. Graveside services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 20, 2018 at Upper Alton Cemetery. Friends and family are asked to come directly to the cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations be made to Immanuel Baptist Church (Building Fund) of Benton, IL. Donations may be made to the funeral home or directly to the church. Additional information and online guest book may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)



# Tribute Wall



“ *Anne Kathleen Rice*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Anne Kathleen Rice*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *I am sorry to hear about Anne. I have so many memories of the many times I spent together with her, Bob and the girls nearly every weekend growing up. My thoughts are with you all. Ron Bligh*

**Ronald Bligh** - February 20, 2018 at 08:08 PM



“ *Lori, Floyd and family: Wishing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories of your mom to forever hold in your hearts. Luann Mikoff, Aunt Bonnie and family.*



**Luann Mikoff** - February 20, 2018 at 05:04 PM



“ *Jill Trudell lit a candle in memory of Anne Kathleen Rice*



**Jill Trudell** - February 20, 2018 at 01:22 AM

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*Rest in Peace!!!* ❤️

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**Jill Trudell** - February 20, 2018 at 01:24 AM

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“ *Methodist Finance Team purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Anne Kathleen Rice.*



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**Methodist Finance Team** - February 19, 2018 at 05:27 PM