



Bessie E. Baker

January 24, 1925 - February 12, 2014

Dateline: Godfrey

Bessie E. Baker, 89, died at 11:15 p.m. Wednesday, February 12, 2014 at St. Anthony's Health Center in Alton. Born January 24, 1925 in Hardin, IL she was the daughter of the late Herman and Rose (DeMoss) Beer. She was a 50 year member of the North Alton Southern Baptist Church where she worked as a secretary and served as Sunday school secretary for several years. On July 1, 1966 she married Robert Baker. He survives. Also surviving are three daughters, Bette James (Roland) of Godfrey, Lisa Pruitt (Ernie) of Cottage Hills, and Kathy Schmoeller of Godfrey, two sons, Jerry Ford (Ruth) of Godfrey, and Richard Evans (Linda) of Naperville, IL, 11 grandchildren, and nine great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a brother, Howard Beer, and three sisters, Mary Craigmiles, Pauline Lampkin, and Elsie Pilkington. Funeral services will be private at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Reverend Sonny Renken will officiate. Burial will be at Oak Grove Cemetery in Jerseyville. Memorials may be made to the North Alton Southern Baptist Church.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bessie E. Baker*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Bessie E. Baker*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss uncle Bob. Aunt Bessie is now home. May God comfort and embrace you.*

Craig Baker - February 16, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all
From the crew of the M/V LEE ANN INGRAM*

Captain Ervin Rineheart - February 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *My deepest sympathies to the entire family. I have fond memories of Bessie and you all.*

Jody (Sample) Kemp - February 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *love you grandma may you rest in peace*

kimberly halley - February 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ *Love u Mom!*

Jerry & Ruth Ford - February 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *May you feel the presence of the Lord during this time of loss, but know one thing Bessie is home perfect and in the presence of her Savior.*

Sonny Renken - February 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM