



Christine Turpin Bramstedt

March 16, 1928 - April 10, 2022

Dateline: Glen Carbon

Christine Ramsey Turpin Bramstedt, 94, formerly of Alton, died at 6:29 a.m. Sunday, April 10, 2022 at Meridian Village in Glen Carbon. Her husband of 64 years, Karl Dietrich Bramstedt, preceded her in death. Christine was born in Monticello, KY, the daughter of Leon and Gladys (Ramsey) Turpin. She is survived by sons, Mark (Marti) Bramstedt, Yorkville, IL and Timothy (Angela) Bramstedt of Glen Carbon, IL. Surviving also are grandsons: Nathan (Carol) Bramstedt, of Oswego, IL; Matthew (Sarah) Bramstedt of Wilmington, NC: Samuel, George, and Frederick Bramstedt, Glen Carbon, IL. Great-grandchildren: Paul, Ruth, and Lydia Bramstedt, Oswego, IL and Adelyn and Norah Bramstedt, Wilmington, NC. She is also survived by a sister, Mary Turpin, Silver Springs, FL, and a brother, Jerry Turpin, Eldorado, IL. Along with her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a son in 1973, Steven Karl Bramstedt, and brothers, Robert Turpin and Frank Owen Turpin, and a sister, Joann Turpin Stroud.

Christine was a born-again Christian and was an active member of her church, Heartland Baptist Church (formerly Alton First Southern Baptist Church). She taught Sunday School, Vacation Bible School, and was a member of Women on Missions.

She was a graduate of SIU Carbondale, graduating when the campus was at Alton. She retired from Alton Schools and had taught school for over twenty-five years, mostly in the Alton area.

Christine was interested in history and was an early participant and honorary member of The Lewis & Clark Society of America, which helped establish the Lewis and Clark Museum and Visitor's Center at Hartford, IL. She enjoyed genealogy and had researched the family history through membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. until time of funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, April 13, 2022 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Reverend Alex Melton will officiate. Burial will be at Rose Lawn Memory Gardens in Bethalto. Memorials may be made to Heartland Baptist Church or VITAS Hospice. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Rose Lawn Memory Gardens

10 Erwin Plegge Blvd.
Bethalto, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services
2409 State Street
Alton, IL 62002
(618) 466-5544
<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral

APR 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services
2409 State Street
Alton, IL 62002
(618) 466-5544
<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Christine Turpin Bramstedt*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Christine Turpin Bramstedt*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Mrs. Bramstedt was my third grade teacher at Mark Twain Elementary School in Alton. I remember her well and remember how encouraging she was. She always had a smile and she always made me feel highly valued and cared for. My condolences and prayers to her family.*

Don McGarvey - April 14, 2022 at 12:16 PM



“ *I would like to extend my deepest sympathy and condolences to the Bramstedt family for the loss of Christine. I worked with her husband, Karl, at Horace Mann School. That is how I became acquainted with Christine.*

She was such an intelligent, beautiful, and kind person. Every time I saw her, she had a big, beautiful smile on her face. I will always remember her great smile and her kindness to others. She touched so many lives, both young and old. She will always be remembered by all who knew and loved her.



Barbara A. Scott-Jordan - April 13, 2022 at 06:21 AM

JS

“Joyce Mormino-a DAR sister purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Christine Turpin Bramstedt.



Joyce Mormino-a DAR sister - April 12, 2022 at 07:20 PM



“Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Christine Turpin Bramstedt.



April 12, 2022 at 04:40 PM



“Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Christine Turpin Bramstedt.



April 12, 2022 at 09:33 AM

LR

“Linda R Rosenthal Past Regent purchased the Peace Eternal Wreath for the family of Christine Turpin Bramstedt.



Linda R Rosenthal Past Regent - April 12, 2022 at 09:26 AM

TH

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



Terri Hilgendorf - April 11, 2022 at 04:32 PM