



## Dolores "Dodie" Jean Roberts

April 12, 1930 - February 23, 2018

Dateline: Alton, IL

Dolores "Dodie" Jean Roberts, 87, died at 12:20 a.m. on Friday, February 23, 2018 at Eunice C. Smith Nursing Home. She was born April 12, 1930 in St. Louis, the daughter of Lester and Nellie (Corwin) Kropp. She was a personal banker at Wedge Bank in Alton for many years. Dodie was a past president of the Godfrey Woman's Club, an avid Alton High School booster, was an avid sports fan and enjoyed watching her grandchildren's athletic activities. She was a member of 12th Street Presbyterian Church where she enjoyed singing in the choir. On June 18, 1949 she married Elmer Roberts and he survives. Also surviving are two daughters, Nancy Killam(Karl) of Lawrence, KS and Janis Meyers (Robert) of Chesterfield, MO, four grandchildren, Sarah Schmitt (Peter) of Lawrence, KS, Karla Letourneau (Jacob) of Eudora, KS, Derek Meyers (Sharon) of Ballwin, MO and Mackenzie Brown (Samuel) of Chesterfield, Mo, and seven great grandchildren, Liam, Isla, Emerson, Capelli, Brynlee, Sullivan and Augustus. Funeral services will be private at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Burial will be at Valhalla Memorial Park in Godfrey. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association. Additional information and online guest book may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dolores "Dodie" Jean Roberts*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Dolores "Dodie" Jean Roberts*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Jani and Nancy and families: I always enjoyed chatting with your mom whenever I saw her volunteering in the AMH gift shop, in a store or wherever I would see her. She would keep me up to date on your families very proudly. So sorry for your loss. Jani, it's been years since we worked together at Olympic Federal or it may have even been under Anchor Saving.*

**Luann Mikoff** - March 02, 2018 at 02:53 PM



“ *For many years I called them Mr. and Mrs. Roberts..even after I got not my adult years...that's how much I respected them both. Then one day they said were Dodie and Elmer. And that's how it's been since. To Nancy and Jani, I still remember the pool parties during the hot summers. Something I will never forget. Your mom is a special person. I say is because I will never forget her. Saw her at the Nited Methodist Village during her better days and she surprised me when she said she knew who I was when I asked her. Take care of your Dad and yourself and families. Again it is special that I knew your mom and the part she played in my life.*

*George Depper*

**George Depper** - February 26, 2018 at 11:55 PM

MD

“ I've known the family for close to 60 years. I am so sorry for Elmer and the girls. Dodie was a sweet, wonderful woman. I always looked forward to her hugs. I'll see you again Dodie.

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**Mike Drake** - February 26, 2018 at 11:44 AM

SP

“ My deepest condolences to Elmer and the girls. Some of the best memories of my younger life were with the family. She will forever be in my thoughts and prayers. I was so happy to have seen her a few times when I was visiting my mother at Eunice Smith last year. Eternal Blessings for her in Heaven.

*Steve & Julie P*

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**Steve P** - February 26, 2018 at 10:22 AM

FK

“ I so fondly remember Dodie I met her at the such A special caring person. I knew her and Elmer both they always spoke Dodie shared hard times side affects of her cancer. The world needs more Dodies! miss our visits we had at the bank. Frances Knight

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**frances knight** - February 25, 2018 at 07:34 PM

DI

“ So very sorry for your loss, from all of us from the Friday night dances at the Alton VFW an the Alton Eagles ,we all loved seeing you both there an enjoyed celebrating your birthdays . We know how much each of them loved listening to the bands an dancing,especially when DD Revival played. We truly will miss Dodie an wish Elmer all the best, an will keep the rest of the family in our prayers . Donna an Larry Ingersoll

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**Donna an larry Ingersoll** - February 25, 2018 at 07:05 AM

JF

“ *Jill Fowler-Trudell lit a candle in memory of Dolores "Dodie" Jean Roberts*



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**Jill Fowler-Trudell** - February 24, 2018 at 07:22 PM

DH

*Dodie and Elmer jumped in when I needed them the most. They took one of my babies to care for while I sat at the hospital waiting for a live or die outcome from an automobile accident my husband had been in. Elmer were always doing good things for others. Always the life of the party 😊 Best dancers ever. I loved Dodie and Elmer. ❤️ Bless Elmer and the family. Savor memories of her love. Dana williams*

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**dana hielema** - February 26, 2018 at 06:28 PM

DR

*So sorry to here about Dodie what a special lady. Always enjoyed talking to her and Elmer. Never forget dogsitting for them many years ago. Would love to see and talk to Bob and Jani will always be in our hearts.*

*Sincerely,  
Dennis and Carol Reynolds*

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**Dennis Reynolds** - February 26, 2018 at 08:13 PM