



## Dorothy "Dottie" Bertolletti

December 16, 1928 - November 10, 2020

Dateline: Alton, IL

Dorothy Ann "Dottie" Bertolletti, 91, died at 10:39 a.m. on Tuesday, November 10, 2020 at her residence. She was born December 16, 1928 in Alton the oldest daughter of the late John M. and Esther Dorothy (Hoekstra) Duvall. Dottie Ann graduated from Alton High School and was in the last nurse's aide class of 1975 at St. Joseph's Hospital, then was employed in their newborn nursery until her retirement. She was a longtime member of the Upper Alton Baptist Church and a 50-year-old member of the Eastern Star now of Bethalto. On October 21, 1956 she married Louis Bertolletti and he preceded her in death on June 5, 2009. Surviving are one son, James Ronnie Bertolletti (Tina) of Fosterberg, four grandchildren, Bryan Bertolletti (Jamie) of Prairietown, Sandra (Rudy) Zidarevich Roxana, James Russell Bertolletti (Jamie) of East Alton, John Louis Bertolletti (Liz) of East Alton and eight great grandchildren, two sisters, Florence Ellen Duvall Brandt of Bryan, OH, and Velma Jean Duvall Schmidt of Wood River and one brother, John Allen Duvall of Fosterberg. Along with her parents and husband she was preceded in death by one son, Kevin John Bertolletti, three brothers, Harold M. Duvall, Alva Vernon Duvall and Reinder H. Duvall and one sister, Esther Marie Duvall Walkington. Private graveside service will be at Upper Alton Cemetery with Pastor Brad Donoho. Memorials may be made to the Upper Alton Baptist Church. Additional information and online guest book may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)



# Cemetery Details

## Upper Alton Cemetery

Oakwood Avenue  
Alton, IL 62002

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy "Dottie" Bertoletti*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Dorothy "Dottie" Bertoletti*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *I remember Dottie from being Kevin's grade school friend. She was a nice lady!*

*John Fischer*

**John W. Fischer** - December 05, 2020 at 04:50 PM



“ *Aunt Dot,*

*You have forever inspired me. You have always worked hard and been there for your family. You seem to take care of everyone and have time to garden and sew. Karen and I both sew because we were inspired by you and our time learning from you how to mend. Thank you for sharing life in all the many forms you have blessed us with in our journey together. I love you. I know mom loves you even though she does not understand. She always says, "...I do not know anymore, you will have to ask Dottie, she knows, I do not remember". Mom and Dad enjoyed their vacations in Alton and time with you and Uncle Louie. I am sorry but Dad understands even less than Mom. Every time I sew, I think of you!*

*Richard and Flo and Bob*

**Richard A. Brandt** - November 16, 2020 at 10:16 PM

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“ Aunt Dottie, even though you were not really my aunt, I loved you. Karen Sue and I read your letters to each other, relishing in your words of wisdom, laughing with you, sharing your memories of Uncle Louis. I will miss those letters but most of all, I will miss you!

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**Melissa Epperson Reddin** - November 16, 2020 at 11:31 AM

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“ Dearest Aunt Dottie,  
You mean so much to us. All the things you have taught us, your love, your contagious laughter, and wonderful memories shall sustain us until we are blessed to see each other again. Ronnie and Tina, our thoughts and prayers go out to you all. We love you.  
Karen, Tom, & Anthony Fago

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**karen Fago** - November 16, 2020 at 11:19 AM

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“ Ron..... Sorry to hear of your mom, Mrs. B as we referred to her, passing. I have alot of fond memories working on our cars in your parent's garage in our younger days. Know that you, Tina and our family are in our thoughts and prayers.

*Kip Shewmaker*

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**Kip Shewmaker** - November 12, 2020 at 03:58 PM