



## Edith S. Turner

August 15, 1923 - October 22, 2017

Dateline: Alton

Edith S. Turner, 94, died at 4:55 p.m. Sunday, October 22, 2017 at Integrity of Wood River. Born August 15, 1923 in Christian County, IL, she was the daughter of George C. and Rosa (Beck) Neal. Mrs. Turner was a member of the First Christian Church in Alton and the Life Widow's Club. She had worked in the domestic department for Smith Funeral Home for 18 years. On May 20, 1940 she married Harry A. Turner in Bowling Green, MO. He preceded her in death on December 21, 1994. Surviving is a son and daughter-in-law, Harry Lee and Kathy Turner of Wood River, two grandchildren, Michael H. Turk (Lori) of Champaign, IL, and Lana Turner-Weber (Jackie) of Godfrey, four great grandchildren, Lee Tinnon of Phoenix, AZ, and Hannah, Samuel and Peyton Turk all of Champaign, IL, and one brother, Clifford J. Neal of Jerseyville. Along with her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Beverly Turner-Turk and a sister, Lillian Blasa. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. until time of funeral service at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, October 25, 2017 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Jim Johnston will officiate. Burial will be at West Cemetery in Thayer, IL. Memorials may be made to OSF St. Anthony's Hospice or the First Christian Church. Online guestbook and information may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## West Cemetery

Thayer, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 25. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
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Alton, IL 62002  
(618) 466-5544  
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## Funeral

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Edith S. Turner*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Edith S. Turner*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Jill Fowler-Trudell lit a candle in memory of Edith S. Turner*



**Jill Fowler-Trudell** - October 24, 2017 at 10:30 PM



“ *Condolences to the family.....what a beautiful picture of Edith. I was going to visit her on Sunday but did not feel well so I missed saying a final goodbye. When she left a message on the answering machine she always ending with " love you...bye bye" I have so many memories and stories I could tell and probably not enough space here to write them. I will say she was like my second mom and a dear friend to my mom. And Beverly, her daughter, was my closest friend and miss her so very much. Edith had many friends and was a good friend. And a wonderful cook. I guess her compliments to me on my cooking was truly a compliment for she would know. Especially gravy for breakfast. I will miss her so much. She was truly one of the nicest people I have known. She is without pain and at peace now. And in God's House*

**Patricia West** - October 24, 2017 at 08:27 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edith S. Turner.*



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October 24, 2017 at 12:13 PM



“ *lone lit a candle in memory of Edith S. Turner*



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**lone** - October 24, 2017 at 09:05 AM



“ *Dawn of Remembrance Basket was purchased for the family of Edith S. Turner.*



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October 23, 2017 at 11:49 PM