



## Gloria Jean Bell

February 14, 1955 - May 11, 2024

Dateline: Bethalto, IL

Gloria Jean Bell, 69, died at 8:05 a.m. on Saturday, May 11, 2024 at her residence. She was born February 14, 1955 in Alton the daughter of the late Raymond and Mary Louise (Gleason) Mackelden. She was a member of Messiah Lutheran in Alton. On December 11, 1970 in St. Charles, MO she married Carson Dennis Bell and he survives. Also surviving are one daughter, Claudia Price (James) of Godfrey, Terry Bell (Cinda) of Alton, six grandchildren, Alex Price, Cheyenne Price, Dennis Price, Rayann Price, Terry Bell and Christian Bell, five great grandchildren, Micah, Myyah, Mark, James and Kira and one brother, Thomas Mackelden. She was preceded in death by two brothers, Billy and Raymond and three sisters, Helen, Florence and Mary Jo. Visitation will be from 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 16, 2024 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton where funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, May 17, 2024. Burial will be at Maple Lawn Cemetery in Fidelity, IL. Memorials may be made to Burts Shelter Care on Milton Road in Alton. Additional information and online guest book may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 16. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home  
2409 State Street  
Alton, IL 62002

## Funeral

MAY 17. 10:00 AM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home  
2409 State Street  
Alton, IL 62002

# Tribute Wall

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“ I will never forget the true friendship we shared at church. We shared laughs, tears, stories and many hugs. She was the most genuine and giving person I've ever met and somehow she said we were supposed to be related but never did figure it out! She made the absolute best angel food cake ever. She had such strong love for her family, especially her one true love, Denny. She will certainly be missed.

*Her friend, Linda Wilson*

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**Linda Wilson** - May 16, 2024 at 12:59 PM

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“ So sorry for your lost Gloria was one of a kind. There will be a empty spot in our family. She will be missed. Prayers for family.



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**Earl Bailey** - May 13, 2024 at 09:51 PM

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“ Claudia, Jimmy, Terry & Cinda purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Gloria Jean Bell.



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**Claudia, Jimmy, Terry & Cinda** - May 13, 2024 at 08:01 PM