



## Katherine Alice Mathes

December 15, 1935 - January 19, 2014

Dateline: Alton

Katherine Alice Mathes, 78, devoted wife, mother, grandmother, and sister, passed away at 5:25 a.m. Sunday, January 19, 2014 at her home in Alton. Born December 15, 1925 in Oxford, Florida, she was the daughter of the late William Earl and Iva Mae (Nichols) Talbott. Katherine was an avid reader and loved to vacation in Florida with her family and lifelong friends. She was a member of Abundant Life Community Church and worked as a cashier for Walmart in Centralia and Wood River. On September 18, 1955 she married Reverend Robert Lee Mathes Sr. He survives. Also surviving are three children, Bridget Renée Jones (Rodney Glenn) of Ft. Worth, TX, Robert Lee Mathes Jr. (Marsha Kay) of Huntsville, Alabama, and Carla IvEtta Chappee (Eric Even) of Alton, grandchildren, Mitchell Scott Mathes, Jessica Renée Jones, Parrish Channing Dunbar, Callie Jane Chappee, and Joselyn Noemi LeeEtta Chappee. She is also survived by her siblings, Charlie Talbott (Rosa), Glenn Talbott (Shirley), Bob Talbott (Fannie), Paul Talbott (Paulette), and Earline Matthews (Dick), and many much loved and cherished nieces, nephews, and friends. Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, Juddie Talbott. Visitation will be from 4:00-8:00 p.m. Thursday, January 23, 2014 at Abundant Life Community Church where funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. Friday, January 24, 2014. Burial will be at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery in St. Louis, MO. Pastor David Fields of Grace Community Church in Mount Vernon, IL, will officiate. In lieu of flowers,

memorials may be made to the family for them to purchase a memorial in memory of Kathy.

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Katherine Alice Mathes*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Katherine Alice Mathes*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Though I did not know Katherine well, I knew her daughter IvEtta from gradeschool and came across this sad news while trying to re-connect with her. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family IvEtta. I know she was a Godly woman and is peacefully with her heavenly father now. IvEtta, if you see this, feel free to contact me. I would love to re-connect. 678-988-1944 or on FB "Pamela Weiss Johnson". I live in Atlanta, GA but visit Granite City a few times each year to see family and friends. God Bless you all.*

**Pamela Weiss Johnson** - February 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I was so sorry to hear of Kathy's passing, but know that she is rejoicing in Heaven. My prayer of peace and comfort are with your family through this time.*

*Love, Rhonda (Rea) Anderson*

**Rhonda (Rea) Anderson** - January 22, 2014 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ *Uncle Robert, you and your whole family have my deepest sympathy. Just know I have all of you in my thoughts and prayers. Love, Marilyn Mathes Beste (Hugh's daughter)*

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**Marilyn Beste** - January 22, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *So sorry we can't be there in person. Know our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time of sorrow. God bless.*

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**Curtis & Donna Miles** - January 21, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *OUR PRECIOUS CHURCH FRIENDS THAT WE HAVE KNOW WELL OVER THE PAST 5 YEARS. WE LOVE YOUR KINDNESS, ALWAYS FRIENDLY AND LOVING. WILL MISS KATHY AND WISH THE BEST FOR THE MATHES FAMILY. DELORES AND DON WESTFALL*

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**Delores & Don Westfall** - January 21, 2014 at 12:00 AM