



## Mallory LeeAnn Carter

March 25, 2003 - December 3, 2022

Mallory LeeAnn Carter, 19, was united with Christ at 7:57 pm Saturday, December 3, 2022 in Scott County, MO. She was born March 25th, 2003 in Alton, IL, the daughter of James "Jamie" and Linda (Bauser) Carter of Brighton, IL. She was a miracle baby, who survived five umbilical cord knots. Mallory was baptized and raised at St. Alphonsus Catholic Church in Brighton, IL. Her faith grew participating in Encounter (Ecumenical Youth Choir), flourished at the St. John Henry Newman Center at Southeast Missouri State University (SEMO) and strengthened at FOCUS Summer Projects in Maine, always referring to it as her "best summer ever." She loved bow hunting with her dad and watching Little House on the Prairie with her mom. Mallory loved to hike, kayak, and camp with her sister, sister-cousin, and friends. She enjoyed star gazing and water skiing. She would find facts about any topic you could imagine and share their inner workings in detail, so that you would also come to understand the "fun facts" too. She graduated from Southwestern High School in 2021. She was in her second year of studies at SEMO in Cape Girardeau, MO where she was studying Medical Lab Science with a double minor in Biology and Chemistry. She loved her friends at school and discovering her independence. Mallory loved many people and places completely. Along with her parents, she is survived by her sister and brother-in-law, Jennifer "Gigi" and Eli Gravert (St Louis, MO), her niece Naomi who is "her favorite person in the whole world"; Grandmother Janette Carter of Cottage Hills, IL; Uncle Jay Carter of Alton, IL; Uncle David (fiancé Monica)

Carter of Cottage Hills; Aunt Karen (Shawn) Boyd of Alton, IL; Aunt Nancy (Matthew) Tague of Normal; IL; Aunt Shelley (Bob) Eichen of Godfrey, IL; her sister-cousin Meghan (Boyd) Austin of Greenville, IL and cousins: Leslie, Lindsey, Lauren, Kyle, Corey, Josh, Ryan; numerous friends, and her dog Tucker.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents: Leland and Marcella Bauser, James Carter, Peggy Carter; Uncle Ronald Bauser, and her dear friends Audrey Smith of Bridgeton, MO and Andrew Marcuzo of St Genevieve, MO. "He determines the number of stars and calls them each by name." Psalms 147:4

Visitation will be 3:00-7:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 13, 2022 at Gent Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian burial will be at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, December 14, 2022 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Alton.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to the St John Henry Newman Center, 512 N. Pacific St. Cape Girardeau, MO 63701 or Shriners Hospital for Children.

Online guestbook and information may be found at [www.gentfuneralhome.com](http://www.gentfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 13. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
2409 State Street  
Alton, IL 62002  
(618) 466-5544  
<https://www.gentfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Mass

DEC 14. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church  
4th and Henry Street  
Alton, IL 62002

# Tribute Wall



“ *Cindy Seal lit a candle in memory of Mallory LeeAnn Carter*



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**Cindy Seal** - March 29, 2023 at 12:56 AM



“ *Mallory LeeAnn Carter*

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January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Mallory LeeAnn Carter*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Mike, Jake and Kayla purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



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**Mike, Jake and Kayla** - December 13, 2022 at 05:02 PM

BB

“ *Bill and Laura Rainey and Mary Burney purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



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**Bill and Laura Rainey and Mary Burney** - December 12, 2022  
at 07:11 PM

TG

“ *The Boston's and Geisler's purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



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**The Boston's and Geisler's** - December 12, 2022 at 06:06 PM

DH

“ *Madi and I wish to share with you our deepest condolences for your loss. Such an unimaginable loss of a brilliant life.*

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**Dale Chamberlain & Madi Hawn** - December 12, 2022 at 10:11 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



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December 11, 2022 at 08:23 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



December 09, 2022 at 05:40 PM



“ *My heart aches for them. There is truly no greater loss. In my prayers.*

**Margaret Freer** - December 09, 2022 at 02:24 PM



“ *SEMO, Dean of Students purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



**SEMO, Dean of Students** - December 09, 2022 at 12:47 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



December 08, 2022 at 08:40 PM

CP

“ *This is absolutely heartbreaking. She was always a joy to be around. Truly a model student and an even better person. My thoughts and prayers are with her family and friends.*



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**Corey Pace** - December 07, 2022 at 10:30 PM



“ *Express Sympathy and Condolences "I Have You in My Heart" with Butterfly Wind Chime was purchased for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



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December 07, 2022 at 06:20 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mallory LeeAnn Carter.*



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December 07, 2022 at 05:42 PM

KB

“💔 She will ALWAYS be my Zozo's "ZoBo's" "MalPal"💛 and my birthday 🎂 buddy! Like a 4th daughter to me, as the girls were like glue from elementary and on to SEMO😭 She had such a warm and friendly presence wherever she went💖 My prayers are for Linda, Jaimie, and Jennifer along with family friends that adored her and helped throughout this whole tragedy, as well💔 for healing hearts that will always have a piece of her💖 with them forever as we will 😭-Love and friendship in Christ✝️-Rick, Kim, Karlee, Miranda, Caden & Zoe Bohn



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Kimberly Bohn - December 07, 2022 at 04:32 PM