



Veronica E. Kern

August 13, 1912 - May 5, 2011

Veronica E. Kern, 98, died at 8:50 a.m. Thursday, May 5, 2011 at Bethalto Care Center. Born August 13, 1912 in Bluffton, MN, she was the daughter of Herman N. and Mary (Heltemes) Rohr. She was a member of SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Alton and served on the Altar Society. She was one of the first residents of the Hillcrest Apartments and lived there for 28 years. On October 1, 1938 in Blue Grass, MN, she married Jerome Joseph Kern. He preceded her in death on August 30, 1970. Surviving are four daughters and sons-in-law and one son and daughter-in-law, Janice and Rex Harnetiaux of Alton, Judith and Jerry Williams of Alton, Jackie and Jim Rankin of Deming, NM, James F. and HiSuk Kern of Spokane, Washington, and JoAnn and David Miller of Moorhead, MN, eight grandchildren, Mike Harnetiaux, Eric Harnetiaux, Laura Emmons, Jennifer Baldwin, Jason Rankin, Shawn Miller, Jessica Anicas, and Emily Kern, and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, one brother, and five sisters. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. until time of Mass of Christian burial at 10:00 a.m. Monday at SS Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Alton. Father Peter Donohoe will officiate. Burial will be at St. Patrick's Cemetery in Godfrey. Memorials may be made to St. Vincent DePaul Society or Masses at SS Peter & Paul. Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Veronica E. Kern*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Veronica E. Kern*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *The pain of losing someone you love can be overwhelming, especially when it's your mother. I too know that pain. As you cherish the fond memories that you hold dear, may you also find comfort in knowing that our loving heavenly Father Jehovah promises us that very soon all those in the 'memorial tombs' will hear the voice of his son Jesus and 'come out' by means of the resurrection. (John 5:28,29) What a wonderful day that will be!*

Kevin Jackson - May 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *A sympathy card has been sent to a friend or relative of Veronica E. Kern.*

May 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Aunt Fronie was the sweetest most gentle lady....God took another angel home.*

Vivian Brahmer - May 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ *My condolences on your loss. I've never known a more humble soul and she has surely received her reward.*

Scott Johnson - May 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *We are so sorry to hear of the passing of your Mom. She was truly a grand lady. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*

David and Lois Downs - May 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ *When I think of Froni I think of a gentle woman who loved others unconditionally. She was a wonderful hostess. When I visited her and eventhough, I did not spend a lot of time with her she definately touched my life.*

Mary Horstmann Alberg - May 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

EB

“ *All the great visits we had and we enjoyed everyone of them. I really appreciated the quilting tips I received from you. Love you much and will miss you*

Ed and Shirley Brose - May 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *I have known you for ten years or better and my life is better for it. I will miss you and know that you are in a far better place no more pain and suffering. rest in Peace young lady.*

Stephen Bast - May 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ I have such fond memories of Fronie. She was such a dear friend of Granny's (Pauline Kenig). I still have quilt that Granny gave me, Fronie sewed it together for her. What a truly wonderful person. I pray for God's peace and comfort to be with you all during this time.

Suzie (Foster) Dickey

Suzie (Foster) Dickey - May 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ Judy and Laura and all the family: so sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Kern. I know she had to be a sweet lady, because I know how you both turned out! Love and Hugs, Karen

KAREN ANSELL - May 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM