



Winifred Joan Bensman

October 21, 1936 - September 29, 2021

Winifred Joan Bensman, 84, died at 6:48 a.m. Wednesday, September 29, 2021 at Good Samaritan Society in Mountain Home, AR. Born October 21, 1936 in Alton, she was the daughter of James and Winifred (White) Howard. She married Donald William Bensman on December 29, 1956. He preceded her in death on November 30, 2002. Surviving are two daughters, Debora Lutomski (William) of Denver, CO, and Mary Rios (Steve) of Parker, CO, two sons, Tom Bensman (Cathy) of Mountain Home, AR, and Jim Bensman of Alton. Also surviving are two grandchildren, Alyssa Killebrew (Brandon) and Eric Lutomski, one great grandson, Ethan Killebrew, and a sister, Mary Jane Metz of Delta, CO. Along with her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a sister, Katie Wittman. Visitation will be from 4:00-7:00 p.m. Monday, October 4, 2021 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. A funeral Mass will be held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, October 5, 2021 at St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Godfrey. Father Steven Janoski will officiate. Burial will be at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Alton. Memorials may be made to Saint Peter The Fisherman Catholic Church in Mountain Home, AR or St Ambrose Catholic Church in Godfrey, IL. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Cemetery

525 East 4th Street
Alton, IL 62002

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 4. 4:00 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

OCT 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Ambrose Catholic Church
820 W. Homer Adams Parkway
Godfrey, IL 62035

Tribute Wall



“ *Winifred Joan Bensman*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Winifred Joan Bensman*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Our deepest sympathy to the Bensman Family. We purchased our very first home from her on McKinley Blvd. She was a beautiful woman with a sincere heart. God Bless.*

Frank Rogg Jr. - October 04, 2021 at 01:05 PM



“ *Many, many years ago when I was playing the guitar at some of the children's Masses at St. Ambrose I remember that Joan was always at the Masses. We used to talk after the Mass was over while I was packing up my guitar. I enjoyed that. She was a beautiful person then and I am sure she stayed that way. I'm sorry for your loss.*

Linda Springman - October 02, 2021 at 10:48 PM



“ *I am so very sorry to loose a close friend and cousin. Joan was an inspiration to me often and a faithful Catholic. May she rest in peace with Jesus.*

Prayers for her eternal rest!

Mary Ann Bray

mary Ann Bray - October 02, 2021 at 06:18 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Winifred Joan Bensman.*



October 02, 2021 at 11:47 AM



“ *Your Co-Workers & All of Liberty Bank purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Winifred Joan Bensman.*



Your Co-Workers & All of Liberty Bank - October 01, 2021 at 04:51 PM