



Evelyn A. Ross

September 18, 1921 - May 6, 2014

Evelyn A. Ross, age 92 years, a resident of rural Tunnel Hill, Illinois, passed away Tuesday afternoon, May 6, 2014, at 12:35 PM at her home.

Evelyn was born September 18, 1921 in Johnson County Illinois. She was the daughter of Guy McKinley Goddard and Nellie (Vaughn) Goddard.

On June 4, 1942, Evelyn was united in marriage to Alva J. Ross at Charleston, Missouri. He preceded her in death on August 25, 2012.

Evelyn is survived by: her sons – Glenn Ross of Marion and Lonnie (Vickie) Ross of Tunnel Hill; her daughter – Jeanne Ross of Tunnel Hill; her grandchildren – Will (Jo Ashley) Ross and Katie (Nick) Turvold; 5 great grandchildren – Lane, Rylee Jo Ashley, Evelyn Faith, Nevaeh Sky, and Kaitlin Grace; 3 sisters – Joan Boner of Chicago, Mary Hale of Georgia, and Nancy Tite of Ozark; a brother – George Goddard of Salem; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and many friends.

In addition to her parents and husband, Evelyn was preceded in death by a brother – Samuel Goddard; and 2 sisters – Demarise Payne and Edna Hughes.

Evelyn was a homemaker. During the time Alva served in the military, Evelyn

was employed as a retail sales clerk by Sears-Roebuck, Inc. in Chicago. She was later employed as a cook at the Tunnel Hill Grade School.

Evelyn was a faithful and devoted member of the Reynoldsburg Church, where she had formerly served as a ladies Sunday School class teacher. Evelyn is remembered for her love of quilting. She also enjoyed shopping, especially with her granddaughter Katie, and working crossword puzzles. Evelyn had a deep love for her family and especially cherished the time she spent with them. She enjoyed preparing Sunday dinner for her family and friends.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning, May 9, 2014, at 11 AM at the Reynoldsburg Church. Pastor Shorty Alsip will officiate. Burial will be in the Reynoldsburg Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 5 PM – 8 PM Thursday at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna and from 10 AM – 11 AM Friday at the church.

Memorials may be made to the Heather Harper Treat Memorial Fund, PO Box 98, Vienna, IL 62995 or to the TIP/VNA Hospice, 125 Leigh Drive, Anna, IL 62906

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 8. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
Vienna, IL 62995
(618) 658-2311
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com
<https://baileyfh.com>

Visitation

MAY 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Reynoldsburg Church
Reynoldsburg Road
Tunnel Hill, IL 62972

Service

MAY 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

Reynoldsburg Church
Reynoldsburg Road
Tunnel Hill, IL 62972

Tribute Wall



“ Evelyn A. Ross

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ Jane Ross Wright lit a candle in memory of Evelyn A. Ross



Jane Ross Wright - May 28, 2014 at 03:02 PM



“ Lonnie, I am so sorry for you in the loss of your mother. Her picture here is just lovely. She had a long life and I'm sure was blessed having you as her son. Thinking of you my friend.



Myra Wood Bennett - May 22, 2014 at 04:30 PM



“ Jeanne, Lonnie, and family. I just learned of your Mother's passing. She was a wonderful lady. I remember working with her at Daddy's years ago and enjoyed her friendship so much. I love the picture of her. May God bless you all. Blessings, Linda Trover Choate

Linda Chote - May 09, 2014 at 06:06 PM

HD

“ Thank you to the family of Evelyn for thinking of others during this time and leaving memorials to the memorial fund. Our prayers are with you all.

Heather Treat Memorial Directors - May 09, 2014 at 11:24 AM

RH

“ Evelyn was there all my life growing up and I will never forget her kind and sweet ways. She always supported me in my adult life and made sure that her and Alva voted each time and making sure that they came and seen me and told me that they were supporting me once again. Her last vote at the school she was smiling and laughing and teasing as usual that is a great memory to carry me on during my life. Prayers to Jeanne, Lonnie and Glenn and to the grandkids and great grandkids who she always wanted by her side.

Robin Harper-Whitehead - May 09, 2014 at 11:20 AM

 Brenda Goddard

“ Brenda Goddard lit a candle in memory of Evelyn A. Ross



Brenda Goddard - May 07, 2014 at 06:39 PM

PW

“ Pat Womack lit a candle in memory of Evelyn A. Ross



pat womack - May 07, 2014 at 05:19 PM

JF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Uncle Alvie and Aunt Evelyn are together again. We love you all.

Jeff and Dene Ford - May 07, 2014 at 01:26 PM

JR

“ Aunt Evelyn was a warm hearted and very kind soul, she was always ready to help out where she could! She was a blessing to the Ross family over and over. God rest her sweet soul. Johnny Ross

Johnny Ross - May 07, 2014 at 08:28 AM

RH

“ Ms. Evelyn was a saint...She is now in Heaven with Mr. Alva. Nanny and Papa and them are once again together singing his praises.

Robin Harper-Whitehead - May 07, 2014 at 08:15 AM

GD

“ Gloria Duer lit a candle in memory of Evelyn A. Ross



Gloria Duer - May 06, 2014 at 08:58 PM

GD

You will always be in my heart.

Gloria Duer - May 06, 2014 at 08:59 PM

MH

“ So sorry Will and family, praying for you all.

Mary Lou Hynes - May 06, 2014 at 05:11 PM

JT

“ *JACK TRAVELSTEAD lit a candle in memory
of Evelyn A. Ross*



JACK TRAVELSTEAD - May 06, 2014 at 04:06 PM