



# **Gloria Mendenall**

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**G**loria Ann Mendenall, 90, of Decatur, IL passed away at her home with her family by her side.

Gloria was born January 20, 1929, in Decatur, IL, the daughter of Herbert and Ida (Miller) Waller. She married Wilburn “Shorty” Moutrey. They were married from 1980 – 2003 and he preceded her in death. She married “Jack” Mendenall. They were married April 17, 2004. He preceded her in death October 12, 2019.

Gloria had retired from the Grigoleit Company. Following her retirement, she accepted a position with the Anna B. Millikin Retirement Home and served there as a caretaker. She was a member of St. Paul’s Lutheran Church.

Gloria was an avid reader, loved bowling and was very loyal to her family and friends.

Surviving are her children, George Eaton III (Sue) of Argenta, IL, Jim Eaton (Ann) of Warrensburg, IL, Marie Eaton of Decatur, IL; 11 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; 3 great-great-grandchildren; 4 stepchildren and numerous step-grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her sons, Greg, Mark and Jeff Eaton.

Funeral services will be 10:00 AM Wednesday, November 27, 2019 at Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 5 – 7 PM Tuesday, November 26, 2019 at Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home.

Memorials: St. Paul Lutheran Church or Cancer Care Specialist of Illinois.

Gloria’s family would like to give special thanks to DMH Hospice for their compassionate care of Gloria.

Condolences may be left to Gloria’s family at [www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com).



## Tribute Wall

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MH

**Mark Hubrich** posted:

Gloria was a sweetheart. We had alot of talks. Sorry, to hear of her passing. She was a friend.  
Mark

January 18 at 10:40 AM

MH

**Mark Hubrich** lit a candle in honor of Gloria.



January 18 at 10:34 AM

LK

**Leslie Kowalski** posted:

I'm sorry to be missing the memorial services for Aunt Gloria, but I am with you all in spirit. Aunt Gloria was the sweetest woman and I am blessed to be able to call her my Aunt. Aunt Elizabeth took care of Gloria in her youth and Gloria took care of Elizabeth in her later years. Both lived into their 90's. Blessings to her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren today and in the days to come. Leslie Kowalski Mesilla, New Mexico

November 27 at 5:01 AM

JE

**Jon Eaton** posted:

So many memories I have pondered concerning my loving Grandmother, while I sit here and write this, enough to fill a book....The many Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners over the years, family gathered together, laughter and conversation. I recall Grandma often singing lyrics of the Pied Pipers while she and Gramps would be in the kitchen preparing food. She loved cooking and loved her family. I'll never forget Grandma's smile and those words "there's Jon boy" when I would come for a visit. She was special to me. Gloria and Shorty Moutrey were a profound influence in my life. My Grandma went through so much in life, but she endured all the way to the age of ninety. Through trials of life, tragic loss and declining health her consistent faith in God provided the strength to carry on. Love you, Grams. It wont be long, and we'll all gather again for a grand reunion beyond.

November 23 at 9:41 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Gloria by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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