



# Doris Mattchen

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**D**oris Mattchen, 90, of Decatur, passed away Sunday, September 24, 2017, at Evergreen Senior Living.

Doris was born January 3, 1927 in Decatur, to Frank and Callie (Ray) Nalefski. She married Jim R. Mattchen in 1947. They were married for 68 years. He passed away April 6, 2016. Doris was an avid bridge player, Cubs Fan, and spent summers on the boat and winters in Florida.

She is survived by her son, Michael (Arlene) Mattchen of St. Petersburg, FL; two daughters, Sharon (Clair) Wingard of Decatur and Janet (friend, Barb Dyke) Fulk of Decatur; 7 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; and one brother, Robert Nalefski of Decatur.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Jim; one great-great-granddaughter; 3 brothers and 8 sisters.

The family would like to give special thanks to Harbor Light Hospice and Evergreen Senior Living for their compassion and care.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 1 p.m. Friday, September 29, 2017, at Holy Family Catholic Church 2400 S Franklin Street Rd, Decatur, with Very Reverend Joseph M. Molloy, V.F., officiating. Visitation will be from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m. Friday at the church before the service. Burial will be in Graceland Cemetery. Memorials may be directed to Harbor Light Hospice.

The family of Doris Mattchen is being served by Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home, 2091 N. Oakland Ave. Decatur, IL. Please view the online obituary, send condolences, and share memories at [www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com).



## Tribute Wall

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SJ

**Suzanne Jacobs** posted:

To , Mike, Sharon and Janet, I'm so sorry for your loss. I know she will be missed. I have so many good memories of our families at "the bay". Those were good times. My deepest sympathy.Suzanne Jacobs

September 30 at 3:38 AM

LG

**Larry Grabb** posted:

Sharon. My deepest symphonies. You were blessed with wonderful parents. Been a long time but I still remember your family fondly. Larry Grabb

September 29 at 2:47 PM

MD

**Mike Dawson** posted:

Dear Michael, Sharon, and Janet, I am so sorry for your loss. My mom lives at Imboden Gardens now so I frequently drive by your house on Medial and remember the old days when we were all so young. My deepest sympathy, Mike Dawson

September 28 at 6:01 AM

ER

**Ed And Karen Root** posted:

We were so sorry to hear the news. Doris was a ray of sunshine and will be missed. We all spent a lot of hours on Lake Decatur and at the Dolphin Boat Club. Your folks, the Henrys, DeLongs, Isomes, Mom and Dad, etc. Those were good times. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.Ed and Karen Root

September 28 at 3:18 AM

DF

**David And Cindy Fitzgerald** posted:

Lit a candle in memory of Doris Mattchen

September 27 at 5:38 PM

JB

**Jenny Batman** posted:

Prayers Hugs and Love coming to all of the family.Jenny (Nalefski) and Jim Batman.

September 27 at 4:25 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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