



Sarah "Sally" Ballinger

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Sarah "Sally" Ballinger, 82, of Decatur, passed away on Thursday, March 12, 2020 at St. Mary's Hospital, Decatur.

Sarah was born in rural Decatur on the family farm On October 3, 1937 to Albert and Cecilia (Laux) Elam. She married William Ballinger on July 25, 1961, he preceded her in death on December 10, 1995. She is survived by two sons: Lee Ballinger of Decatur and Les Ballinger of Urbana; two daughters: Billeann Wood of Decatur, Lisa (Randy) Gheen of Peoria; one sister: Janet Alexander of Monticello. She was preceded in death by her parents and a sister: Aileen Crowe.

Services to celebrate the life of Sarah Ann Ballinger will be held at 11 AM on Monday March 16, 2020 at the Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home, Visitation will be for one hour prior to services at the funeral home, burial will follow in Fairlawn Cemetery, Decatur. Memorial contributions are suggested to the American Heart Association.

The family of Sarah Ann Ballinger is being served by the Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home, 2091 N. Oakland Ave. Decatur, IL. Please view the obituary, leave condolences and share memories at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.



Events

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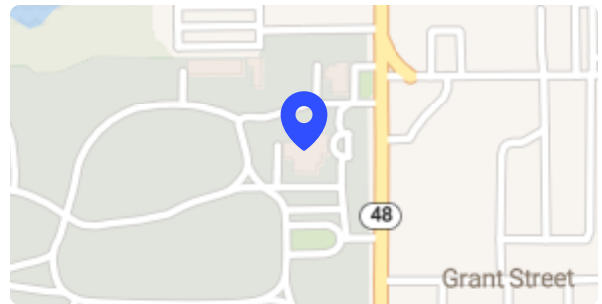
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Visitation

 **Monday**, March 16, 2020

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT


 **Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526

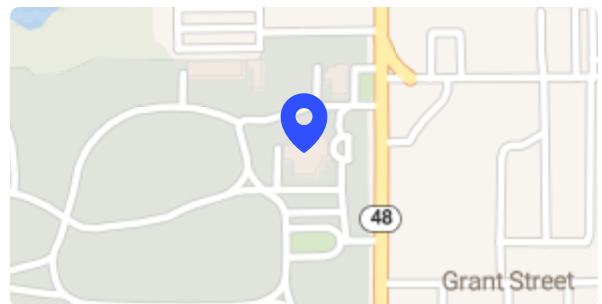


Celebration of Life


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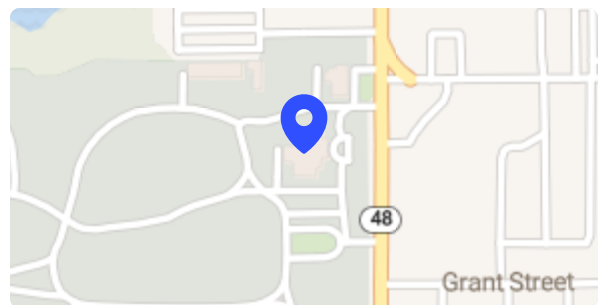
 **Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526



Cemetery Details

 **Graceland Cemetery**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526

 **(217) 615-0724**





Tribute Wall

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Teresa Duley posted:

The Camellia City Rug Hooking Guild sends condolences on the loss of this special lady. She was an incredible gift to the world of rug hooking and she will be missed. Hold warm memories close!

December 17 at 10:43 AM



Anonymous sent an Emerald Garden Basket to the Ballinger family.



March 13 at 12:18 PM



Anonymous sent an Arrive in Style to the Ballinger family.



March 13 at 10:27 AM



Doris Swingler posted:

Within our hearts, the ones we love are never really gone- 'in spirit and in memory their legacy lives on. In your memories may your find comfort. 'in your friends and family, may you find love. And in your heart may you find the strength to help you through this sad timeYou must focus on the good memories to help you to get through this time of your loss.Lisa, I am so sorry to hear of your mother passing. I will keep your family in my thoughts and prayers during this time. Doris Swingler.

March 13 at 6:09 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Sarah "Sally" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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