



# Bonnie I. Bowlby

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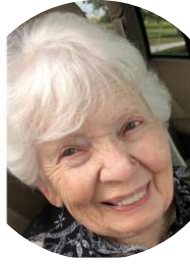
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## **Bonnie I. Bowlby**

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**D**ecatur – Bonnie I. Bowlby, 89, of Decatur, passed away on Sunday, November 8, 2020, with her loving family by her side.

Services to celebrate Bonnie's life will be held at 1 pm on Thursday, November 12, 2020 at Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home. Visitation will be held from 4 to 6 on Wednesday evening at the funeral home. Interment will be in North Fork Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to the Scovill Zoo.

Bonnie was born on February 17, 1931 in St. Elmo, the daughter of George and Lovie (Doty) Evans. She married Marshall Bowlby on March 30, 1957 in Vandalia. Bonnie worked various jobs outside of the home until her children were born, she then became a full time Mom. Bonnie was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She enjoyed going camping, drawing, as well as making mementos and crafts for all of the holidays and family get togethers, making sure to treasure the memories they made as a family.

Bonnie is survived by her husband of over 63 years, Marshall, daughters- Linda Bowlby-Kinders and husband Mark of Edmond, OK and Beverly Bowlby of Forsyth, son- Bruce Bowlby of High Springs, FL, grandchildren- Christian (Melinda) Kinders, Casey (Teresa) Kinders, Jarrod (Kelli) Wrigley, Matthews Kinders, and Kelsi (Chris) Clem, great grandchildren- Caty, Vivian, Zoey, Riley, Finn, Miles, Christian, Cameron and Nate and numerous nieces and nephews.

Bonnie was preceded in death by her parents and six brothers.

You may view the live stream of the service by clicking on the following link  
<http://webcast.funeralrecording.com/events/viewer/40298/hash:FEDDB0FE1EE79571>.

CDC Guidelines will be followed, masks are required.



## Obituary

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Condolences and memories may be shared at [www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com).






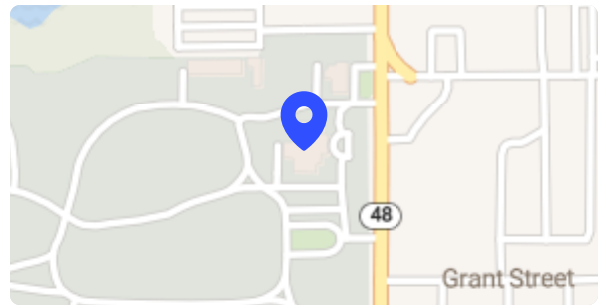
# Events

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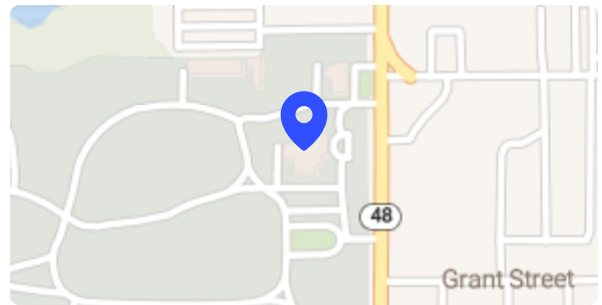
## Visitation

-  **Wednesday**, November 11, 2020
-  4:00 PM - 6:00 PM CT
-  **Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home**  
2091 N. Oakland Ave., Decatur IL 62526





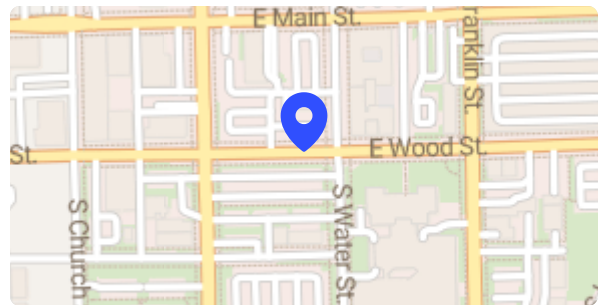
## Funeral Service

-  **Thursday**, November 12, 2020
-  1:00 PM CT
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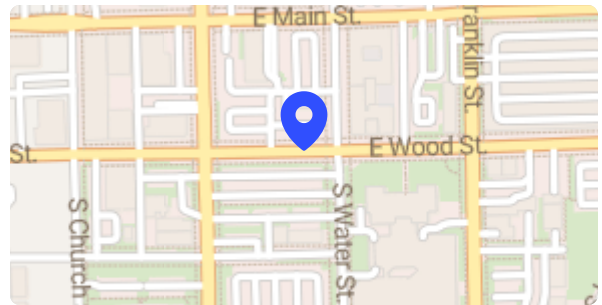
## Burial

-  **Thursday**, November 12, 2020
-  **North Fork Cemetery**  
Decatur IL



## Cemetery Details

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## Tribute Wall

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**Mary Brinkoetter** posted:

My deepest sympathy goes out to the entire Bowlby family! My fondest memories were the trips I took with Marshall, Bonnie and my parents. One in particular, that sticks in my mind, was the trip was to Silver Dollar City. I remember on the ride there, which seemed like an eternity, watching her draw and listening closely to the stories she told. Bonnie always tried to make it as fun as possible for me, since I was the only child traveling with 4 adults. I thank you Bonnie for the wonderful memories. My prayers are with you! Mary Beth (Mize) Brinkoetter

November 11 at 5:34 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Days of Sunshine Bouquet to the Bowlby family.

November 10 at 1:02 PM



**Anonymous** sent an Arrive in Style to the Bowlby family.

November 10 at 9:07 AM





## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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