



Myrtle Ruth Brilley

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Myrrtle “Ruth” Brilley, 89, of Decatur, Illinois, passed away August 30, 2023.

Ruth was born in Lindseyville, Kentucky on September 27, 1933, the daughter of Charles and Pearl (Vincent) Skaggs. She married John P. Brilley Jr. on March 21, 1953, in Decatur, Illinois. She was a caring, nurturing mother to her children, and her love grew beyond measure with the arrival of her grandchildren. Her grandchildren were the center of her life. She lived for them and adored them. She was a proud, lifelong member of Midway United Missionary Baptist Church in Lindseyville, Kentucky and also Metropolitan Baptist Church in Decatur.

Ruth is survived by her children Stephen Brilley of Decatur, Timothy Brilley of Tallahassee, Florida, Martin (Sheryl Haab) Brilley of Decatur, and Kristina (Bruce) Porter of Glen Carbon, Illinois; grandchildren Adam, Aaron, Amanda, Megan, Ethan, and Stefani; and great-grandchildren Jameson, Bethany, Carter, Corrie, and Porter. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and son Barry Brilley.

A graveside service will be held at 2pm Thursday, September 7, in Graceland Cemetery in Decatur. Memorials may be directed to Shriner’s Hospital for Children in St. Louis, Missouri. Condolences may be shared with the family at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.




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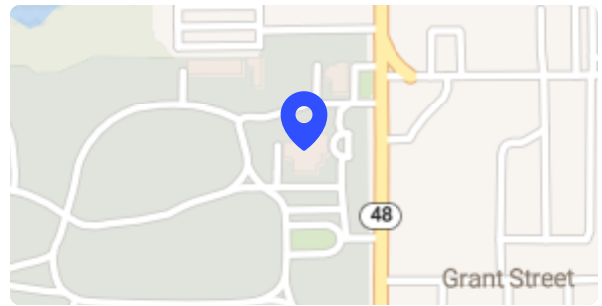
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Graveside Service

 **Thursday**, September 7, 2023

 2:00 PM CT

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





Tribute Wall

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Melody Prunty posted:

Marty, Kris, Tim and Steve I'm so sorry to hear about your Mom. I remember how happy we all were when your family came to Lindseyville to spend time with us. She was so kind and showed her love in lots of ways including writing poems for different people in the family. I always think of her kindness and love for my Dad and Mom. She was a special sister to them. Prayers for your family. Love,
Melody

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Memories only last if you share them

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



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