



Betty Ann Kinsler

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Betty Ann Kinsler, 97, of Naperville formerly of Decatur, IL, passed away peacefully on Sunday June 2, 2024. Betty was born on March 22, 1927, in Decatur to Charles Deister and Ann (nee Dugan).

Loving mother of Debbie (Russ) Bryan and Diane Kinsler. Beloved grandmother of Kevin (Gina) Garren, granddaughter in law Katie Bryan, and Jason (Brie) Bryan. Adored great grandmother of Taylor Bryan, Cooper Bryan, Derek Bryan, Trey Bryan, Kellen Garren, and Caleb Garren.

Betty was preceded in passing by her parents, husband of 23 years William “Bill” Kinsler, daughter Connie Brown, and grandson Nick Bryan.

Betty grew up in Decatur, IL, and attended Steven Decatur before switching to St. Theresa High School. Betty worked for the Wabash Railroad before meeting the love of her life Bill at work. The two were married on June 27, 1948, at St. Thomas Catholic Church in Decatur. Betty and Bill began a family and lived in Decatur for most of their lives.

Betty loved to play bridge with anyone who would play with her. She was also a accomplished seamstress and made many of her girls clothes including dresses for Homecoming and other special events. Betty enjoyed traveling, especially the trips she took with Debbie to Florida. In her free time Betty read books voraciously, her taste in books ran to autobiographies and fiction.

Funeral Mass will be held at 11:00 AM Monday, June 24, 2024, at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church.

Condolences may be left to Betty’s family at www.gracelandfairlawn.com.

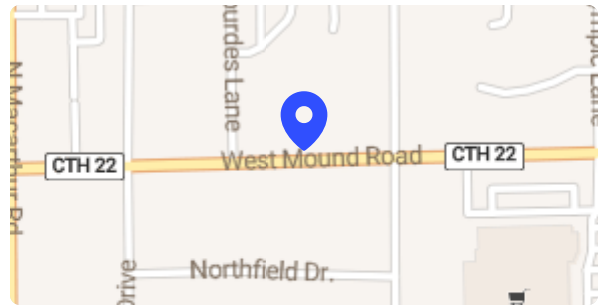


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Funeral Mass

- Monday**, June 24, 2024
- 11:00 AM CT
- Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church**
3580 Lourdes Drive, Decatur IL 62526



Cemetery Details

- Graceland Cemetery**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526
- (217) 615-0724**





Tribute Wall

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NK

Nancy Bunker Koester posted:

Sincerest condolences, Debbie and Diane. Your mama was a wonderful lady and such a great friend to my parents, Nadine and Harlan Bunker. Lots of bridge games, among many other activities through the many many years they knew one another. Bet they're in Heaven playing bridge together now!! God bless them all and you and your families!! Nancy Bunker Koester

June 22 at 11:46 AM

MD

Michael C. Delahunty posted:

I was saddened to hear of Bettie's passing. I remember her and your father when I was growing up how fun I had with them both. I will be out of town when the funeral will occur, or I would be there. My prayer are with you and your family and for Betty. Michael C. Delahunty

June 14 at 5:55 AM

SM

Susan Mcnamara posted:

Debbie and family, Very sorry about your Mom. What a blessing though to have had her for so long. Such a pretty lady. Take care, Susie (Fitzpatrick) McNamara.

June 10 at 5:22 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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