



## Alma Griffith

April 24, 1930 - May 6, 2019

Alma Griffith, age 89 of Elkhville, passed away, Monday, May 6, 2019 in Memorial Hospital of Carbondale.

She was born April 24, 1930 to Edgar and Bertha (Hurley) Gower in Carterville.

On April 19, 1996 Alma married Alvin R. Griffith. They shared 23 years of making wonderful memories.

She was a homemaker and a professional seamstress. She had worked at Good Luck Glove Factory in Carbondale. She loved to quilt.

She was a member of First Baptist Church in Elkhville.

Alma is survived by her husband, Alvin of Elkhville; a son, Mark Hill (Valerie Hesslink) of Madison, WI; a daughter-in-law, Wendy Hill of Clearwater, FL; nieces, nephews, other relatives; a special caregiver, Debi Rice of Elkhville and many friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a son, Marvin Hill, Jr.; sisters, Vera Freeman; Anna Gower and her twin sister, Velma Gower and brothers, Bill, Bob, Richard and Odell Gower.

Funeral Services for Alma Griffith will be Thursday, May 9, 2019 at 11:00 am in First Baptist Church of Elkhville with Rev. Scott Slone officiating.

Interment will follow in Oakland Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 10:00 am until the hour of the service at the church.

Memorials can be made to the First Baptist Church of Elkhville.

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Cemetery

Oakland Cemetery

Carbondale, IL,

# Events

**MAY 9**   **Visitation** 10:00AM - 11:00AM  
First Baptist Church in Elkhville  
510 N 4th St., Elkhville, IL, US

**MAY 9**   **Service** 11:00AM - 12:00PM  
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# Comments

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“ Dad

You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Love  
Marcia



**Marcia Rock** - May 07, 2019 at 08:19 PM

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“ Marcia and Russel Rock purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Alma Griffith.



**Marcia and Russel Rock** - May 07, 2019 at 08:16 PM

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“ Alvin,

So sorry to hear of Alma's passing. I met her briefly a few times at GSSI meetings, but I especially remember what a charming hostess she was when you and I were preparing a Saga article on Pope County in your home. That was years ago, but the fond memory lingers. May she rest in peace.

Ed O'Day

**Ed O'Day** - May 07, 2019 at 04:46 PM