



## Bertha Dempsey

April 13, 1929 - January 5, 2013

Bertha (Aldridge) Dempsey, 83, of Red Bud, Illinois, passed away at 12:20 p.m. Saturday, January 5, 2013, at the Red Bud Regional Hospital in Red Bud, Illinois.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, January 10, 2013, at Pettett Funeral Home with Rev. John Cripps officiating and burial at Goodbread Cemetery at Gorham. Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday and until 10 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to Goodbread Cemetery at Gorham. For more information, please visit [www.pettettfuneralhome.com](http://www.pettettfuneralhome.com).

Bertha was born on April 13, 1929, in Union County, Illinois, to James H. and Alice (Addie) Aldridge.

She had retired in Florida as a unit secretary at a hospital.

Bertha married John McElroy in December of 1949, and he preceded her in death on June 21, 1998.

She is survived by one daughter Sharon Clover of Red Bud;

three grandchildren Thomas Clover of Belleville, Brian Clover of Red Bud, and

David Clover of O'Fallon, MO;

six great grandchildren Christina Clover, Megan Clover, John Clover, Conor Clover, Nicholas Clover, and Liam Clover;

two brothers and three sisters James Aldridge of Anderson, SC, Doris Glodo of Longmont, CO, Robert Aldridge of St. Charles, MO, Juanita Land of Jonesboro, and Linda McGee of Cobden.

She was preceded in death by one sister Margaret Aldridge, one brother Carol Dean Aldridge and her parents.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bertha Dempsey*

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October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Sharon and family, we are so very sorry to hear of the passing of your Mom, I've known her all my life and she will be missed by all who knew her. Our love and prayers. Betty and Joe*

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**Betty Clover** - January 07, 2013 at 11:26 AM