



Betty M. Vachata

November 13, 1934 - April 28, 2011

Betty M. Vachata, 76, of Grand Tower, Illinois, passed away at 12:15 p.m. Thursday, April 28, 2011, at St. Joseph Memorial Hospital in Murphysboro, Illinois.

Gravesite services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Friday, April 29, 2011, at Walker Hill Cemetery in Grand Tower with Rev. Donald Grammer officiating. Family and friends are asked to go directly to the cemetery. Pettett Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Betty was born on November 13, 1934, in Murphysboro, to Mr. and Mrs. Needling.

Mrs. Vachata had worked as a nurse's aid at a nursing home and had been the custodian at the First Baptist Church in Grand Tower, where she was a member.

She is survived by two sons and one daughter in law Elmer J. and Carolyn Vachata of Herrin and Terry Vachata of Grand Tower;

six grandchildren William Nicholson and his wife Tammy Nicholson, Orville Hobbs, Jessica Vachata, David Vachata and his wife Kim Vachata, Charlie Vachata and Danae Vachata;

and four great grandchildren Caleb Nicholson and Aniston Nicholson, Casey Johnson, and Cameron Vachata.

She was preceded in death by one daughter Barbara Hobbs, two brothers, and three sisters.

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty M. Vachata*

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“ *Elmer and Terry - I happened to do a google search for aunt Betty tonight as I was talking to Denny on the phone because he was going to try to contact her. I am so sorry to hear of her passing. I have fond memories of her. My deepest sympathy goes out to you and your families. God bless. your cousin, Robin*

Robin (Rowe) Larson - May 30, 2011 at 11:33 PM