



## Marian L. Truitt

June 2, 1934 - June 4, 2025

IN MEMORY OF:

Marian L. Truitt

Serving Location:

CRAIN PLEASANT GROVE-MURDALE FUNERAL HOME

31 Memorial Drive, Murphysboro, Illinois

Marian L. Truitt, age 91, of Murphysboro, passed away on Wednesday, June 4, 2025 at her home.

She was born on June 2, 1934 to John P. and Agnes M. (Bowsman) Ketchum in St. Louis, Missouri. Marian was married to Gene Truitt for over 50 years until his passing.

Marian retired from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale where she had worked as a Administrative Assistant. She was a Past Matron of Electra & Ruth Chapter #379 of the Order of the Eastern Star in Murphysboro and Past Worthy High Priestess of the Murphysboro White Shrine.

Survivors include her four daughters, Lorraine McTaggart, Eileen Castle, Gail

Truitt, and Diana Truitt-Graff; one son, James Truitt; 13 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; sister, Christine Imbs; brother, Robert Paddock; along with nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Along with her parents and husband, she is preceded in death by two sons-in-law.

Family will gather later this summer to celebrate Marian's life.

A private inurnment will be held at Pleasant Grove Memorial Park.

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

# Cemetery Details

## **Pleasant Grove Memorial Park**

31 Memorial Dr.  
Murphysboro, IL 62966  
(618) 687-1145  
[crain@crainsonline.com](mailto:crain@crainsonline.com)

# Tribute Wall

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**Robert Paddock** - June 07, 2025 at 05:21 PM

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“ Thoughts and prayers to family and friends

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**Julie Loy** - June 05, 2025 at 09:01 PM