



## Paula Maree Eickelman

December 26, 1927 - August 2, 2017

Paula Maree Eickelman, 89, of Collinsville, formerly of Tamms, died at 9:44 am on Wednesday, August 2, 2017 at her home in Collinsville.

She was born the daughter of Paul and Ruth (Gilbert) Miller. She married Billy Joe Eickelman on December 22, 1946. He preceded her in death on November 13, 1998.

From the mid 1970's to the mid 1980's, Paula helped raise money to get the Anderson Hospital in Maryville, Illinois built. She volunteered as a Pink Lady after the hospital was open. Over the years, many people have enjoyed keeping warm under her beautiful handmade afghans. Everyone loved her delicious peanut brittle and looked forward to the holidays when she would make dozens of batches to give to family and friends. Paula also loved serving her home town, the Village of Tamms. She served on the Tamms town board for two terms.

Paula is survived by her daughter, Phyllis Jo Eickelman of Collinsville; grandson, Jason Christopher Eickelman; granddaughter, Tammy Eickelman; great-grandchildren, Jessi Eickelman, Anthony Eickelman all of Collinsville; nephews, Stephen Eickelman of Dongola, Bruce Eickelman of Sydney, Australia; dear friends, Judy and Lowell Mendenhall of Olive Branch, Tom Riston and Richard Kee, both of Tamms

She was preceded in death by her parents; daughters, Julie Sides and Cheryl Patterson.

Visitation will be from 5:00 to 8:00pm, Saturday, August 5, 2017 at Crain Funeral Home in Tamms.

Funeral service for Paula Maree Eickelman will be at 1:00 pm, Sunday, August 6, 2017 at the funeral home with Larry Buckles officiating. Interment will follow at St. John's Cemetery in Dongola.

# Cemetery Details

## St. John's Cemetery

St Johns Rd  
Dongola, IL 62926

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 5. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Tamms  
420 Front St.  
Tamms, IL 62988  
(618) 833-2176  
crain@crainsonline.com

## Service

AUG 6. 1:00 PM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Tamms  
420 Front St.  
Tamms, IL 62988  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Paula Maree Eickelman*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *PJ EICKELMAN lit a candle in memory of Paula Maree Eickelman*



**PJ EICKELMAN** - October 04, 2017 at 10:52 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Paula Maree Eickelman.*



August 04, 2017 at 11:14 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Paula Maree Eickelman.*



August 04, 2017 at 01:17 AM