



## Rose Marie Klein

August 4, 1927 - October 28, 2016

Rose Marie Klein, 89, of Cairo died at 4:00 am, Friday, October 28, 2016 at her home.

She was born August 4, 1927 in Cairo, the daughter of John Albert and OT (Mansfield) Spies, Sr. She married John R. Klein, Sr. on February 3, 1951 he preceded her in death on July 15, 1975.

Rose Marie retired as a bookkeeper in the family business Klein's What-A-Burger, also at 1st Southern Baptist Church and 1st State Bank & Trust Co. She loved to crochet, knit, and play cards and bingo. She was a lifetime member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Altar Guild and Daughters of Isabella. She also was an active member of LutherAnns, VFW Auxiliary and a supporter of Deana's Dance Studio.

She is survived by her sons, John (Anne) Klein of Kirkwood, MO, Steve (Elaine) Klein of Stafford, VA, Larry (Ruthy) Klein of Cairo, IL, Greg (Lori) Klein of Jonesboro, IL and Mark (Torrie) Klein of Ripley, TN; daughter-in-law, Becky (Stan) Vaughn of Union City, TN; 14 grandchildren; 2 great grandchildren; many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Rose Marie was preceded in death by her husband, parents, son, Jimmy Klein, in 2001; daughter, Mary Anita Klein, in 1956; brothers, Charles, Jimmy

and John Albert Spies, Jr.; sisters, Ann Simpson and Loretta Hutton.

Visitation for Rose Marie Klein will be from 4:00pm to 7:00pm, Monday, October 31, 2016 and 9:00am to 10:00am, Tuesday, November 1, 2016 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Cairo in the upstairs sanctuary. Rosary service will be at 6:30pm Monday, October 31, 2016.

Funeral Mass will be at 10:00am, Tuesday, All Saints Day at the church with Father Chris Mujule officiating. Interment will follow at Green Lawn Memorial Garden.

Memorials may be made to St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **31**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Patrick's Catholic Cathedral  
312 9th St  
Cairo, IL 62914  
(618) 734-2061

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NOV **1**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Rose Marie Klein*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Rose...a beautiful God-fearing person loved by all will be missed by all especially her card playing LutherAnn friends. There can be no sub for Rose. I recall Rose and John's dedication in the early seventies in helping to get the SPMD reading program going at St Joe which possibly kept St Joe open for a greater length of time. The reading materials coming from the Netherlands were delivered (due to Customs) to the Klein house on Washington Ave and placed on the porch where I picked them up. My heartfelt sympathy to the family. My prayers are with you. Angela Greenwell*

angela greenwell - November 02, 2016 at 04:32 PM



“ *My sympathy to all of the family. Rose was a wonderful, kind, warm woman. I treasure the goodness and support she gave me when I lived in Cairo. May you find comfort in your memories of her well-lived life. My prayers are with you. Ruth Roetheli Ehresman*

Ruth Ehresman - October 31, 2016 at 12:24 PM



“ *JUNE HARTLINE lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Klein*



JUNE HARTLINE - October 31, 2016 at 10:09 AM

BE

“ *BHMG Engineers purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Rose Marie Klein.*



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**BHMG Engineers** - October 31, 2016 at 10:08 AM

LK

“ *What a wonderful Lady--moved to Cairo and right away we were good friends. Played Bingo with her until my work schedule no longer gave me this pleasure. I will never forget you or your wonderful smile. Much Love-----you will be missed more than you know. Bill and Joyce*



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**lyvonda kirkleiner** - October 30, 2016 at 10:31 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rose Marie Klein.*



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October 30, 2016 at 06:53 PM

VR

“ *I will always, remember Rose as long as I live. We worked together in the banking system.*

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**velma Riley** - October 30, 2016 at 02:53 PM

KH

*Sorry for your loss. It's always hard losing your mother. Prayers for you all.*

*Kim (Sasseen) Haffly*

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**Kim Haffly** - October 30, 2016 at 07:04 PM

MS

*I got to know Rose during our wonderful card games and she was always a delightful person whom I will miss very much. The family have my most heartfelt sympathy and prayers.*

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**Mary L. Smith Steele** - October 31, 2016 at 03:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rose Marie Klein.*



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October 30, 2016 at 11:45 AM

PC

“ Life takes us to many places along many paths. My siblings and I are fortunate to have encountered someone with the character and sweetness of our Aunt Rosie. As a child, when times were tough, Aunt Rosie treated all of us as her own children. The love was palpable. Although she did yell at us from time to time (and we deserved every bit of it) she always made us feel how much she cared for us. Rose Klein was a spectacular example of humanity. Her spirit and love have touched so very many and through her efforts, the world is a better place. I know that she has found her everlasting life in the arms of a welcoming God. But here on earth, she lives on in all of our hearts, immortal in that the good she did in life will continue to echo throughout the future. We miss you Aunt Rosie. But thank you for the joy you shared with the world.

*Doris, Michael, Barbara, and Paul - the Carr kids*

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**Paul Carr** - October 30, 2016 at 10:56 AM

CG

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family

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**Carol and Randy George** - October 30, 2016 at 09:03 AM

TO

“ So sorry for the loss of wonderful Lady. Your family will be in our prayers.

*Tom Oakes*

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**Tom Oakes** - October 30, 2016 at 08:28 AM

SW

“ *Scott And Cheryl Walston lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Klein*



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**Scott and Cheryl Walston** - October 29, 2016 at 01:09 PM

DP

“ *Dave And Judy Petermichel lit a candle in memory of Rose Marie Klein*



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**Dave and Judy Petermichel** - October 28, 2016 at 06:50 PM