



Ruth "Gerry" Geraldine Morber

September 7, 1937 - March 29, 2013

Ruth Geraldine "Gerry" Morber, 75, of Murphysboro, Illinois, passed away at 1:30 p.m. Friday, March 29, 2013, at her residence in Murphysboro.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, April 1, 2013, at Dutch Ridge Baptist Church and burial at Dutch Ridge Cemetery. Friends may call from 12 noon to 1 p.m. at the church. Memorials may be made to Dutch Ridge Baptist Church, Pomona, Illinois. Pettett Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Gerry was born to Bill and Eunice (Sprou) Baseden on September 7, 1937, in Pomona, Illinois.

She married Melvin "Coogan" Morber on October 17, 1958, and he preceded her in death on July 12, 2012.

She is survived by one son and daughter in law Mike and Laura Morber of Murphysboro, one daughter and son in law Sandra and Shane Stroud of Murphysboro;

three grandsons Chris Morber and his wife Sarah Morber, Tyler Morber and Logan Morber;

two granddaughters Shannon Stroud and Cassie Stroud;

one great granddaughter Layla Morber;

two step daughters Jackie Rains and her husband Don Rains of Carlyle, IL and Jeanne Morber of Granite City, IL;

one brother Bill Baseden of Murphysboro;

three sisters Betty Weston of West Plains, MO, Mary Hicks and Ollie Schemonia and her husband Glen Schemonia, all of Pomona;

several nieces and nephews; and her church family of Dutch Ridge Baptist Church, where she was a member and former Sunday School Teacher.

Gerry worked as care-giver and personal attendant for the past twelve years and was a homemaker.

For more information, please visit www.pettettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth "Gerry" Geraldine Morber*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *We will remember Gerry always smiling. She was so proud of her kids and grandkids. We have many memories of Gerry and Cougan at Morber family reunions. So happy together here on Earth, now they are happy together reunited in heaven. You will see them again one day!! Hang on to your memories and carry on their happiness and love of their family in your own lives. They were an example to all of us. So sorry we were not able to attend today. Aunt Mary told us it was a beautiful tribute to her life. Love you all.*

Murl and Shirley Reiman, Ted and Cheryl Rose, Cindy Reiman, Murl and Peggy Reiman - April 01, 2013 at 09:37 PM



“ *All of us who were blessed to have known and loved your Mother will miss her so very much and always remember how it felt to be loved by her. She understood that we are on earth to love and help each other, and she showed us what that means every minute of every day of her life. She was there for me and Luke so many times-I don't know what we would have done without her. She once told me that church is where people go into a huddle to plan what they're going to do next to help people. I'm going to believe that she's up there now, in a huddle, making plans for us all.*
With deepest sympathy,
Sharon

Sharon - April 01, 2013 at 09:06 AM

BM

“ You will be greatly missed Aunt Gerry by our whole family. God got a wonderful angel. Prayers & love to you & your family.

Billy Wayne & Mary - April 01, 2013 at 04:35 AM

PA

“ Aunt Gerry was with me the day my Momma passed. She told me I was an angel doing all the things I was doing. Aunt Gerry was the angel, she was there for us. I love you Aunt Gerry. May God bless the family.

Patty - March 31, 2013 at 09:23 PM