



## Alma L. Bailey

September 22, 1931 - February 8, 2013

Alma L. Bailey, 81, a longtime Rushville resident, passed away at her home in Rushville on February 8, 2013. She was born September 22, 1931 in Decatur, IL to William F. & Emma B. (Schimanski) Luka. Alma spent her early life in Decatur, IL. She had been in Rushville since 1978.

Alma graduated in 1949 from Macon High School in Illinois. She married John L. Bailey on October 25, 1953. John preceded her in death on February 9, 2001. She and her husband Co-owned Coast to Coast Hardware in Rushville from 1978-1998. She was a very active member of St. Paul United Methodist Church. She was also a member of the Helpful Hints Homemakers Club and the Arlington Widow's Group.

She is survived by her sons, Michael A. & wife Theresia Bailey of Rushville and John T. Bailey & longtime companion Chris Goddard of Lake Santee, brothers, Paul E. Luka of Thomasville, GA., Raymond E. & wife Pat Luka of Blue Mound, IL., and Fred E. & wife Margo Luka of Stilesville, IN., sisters, Bertha "Betty" Wall of Decatur, IL., Mary Pruss of Wenatchee, WA. and Helen Entler of Decatur, IL. In addition to her parents & husband, Alma was preceded in death by 4 brothers & 3 sisters.

Services will be held at 10 AM Tuesday, February 12, 2013 at St. Paul United Methodist Church in Rushville with Rev. Larry Dimick presiding. Friends are welcome to visit from 4-8PM on Monday, February 11 at Moster Mortuary in Rushville. Burial will be in Rushville's East Hill Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the St. Paul United Methodist Church

in Rushville.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Alma L. Bailey*

January 28, 2023 at 12:19 PM



“ *One of my good fortunes in this life, was to have worked for over 10 years for John and Alma Bailey. They were thoughtful, good and kind people and a pleasure to be around. John was always witty and joking with the customers and Alma always watching him to make sure he didn't give the place away. And who can ever forget Almas' 40 weight coffee? But it sure kept you awake during store hours. The Baileys were good people to be around and I'm proud to have known and worked for them and prouder still to have called them friends.*

*Roger Dice*

**Roger Dice** - February 12, 2013 at 05:24 AM



“ *Cathy Hankins lit a candle in memory of Alma L. Bailey*



**Cathy Hankins** - February 10, 2013 at 11:45 PM