



## Mrs. Mable Estelle Ross

August 24, 1943 - June 20, 2023

Mrs. Mable Estelle Ross, 79, transitioned to her heavenly home at 9:56 pm on Tuesday, June 20, 2023 at her residence surrounded by her family.

Mable was born on August 24, 1943 in Cairo, IL to Christina Prince and Percy King, Sr. She married L.C. Ross in Peoria, IL in 1983.

Mable last worked at OSF St. Francis Medical Center as a physical therapist transporter supervisor, retiring in 1989. She was a longtime member of Rising Sun Christian Church. Mable loved to bowl and was a member of a bowling team. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star as Worthy Counselor of Eureka Court #38.

Mable leaves to cherish her most precious memories, two sons, Harold (Edie) Smith, Sr. and Rodney Smith; four daughters, Jerri Smith, Stephanie Butler, Ani'Shaun Smith all of Peoria, IL and Shellie (Roger) Brown of Bartonville, IL; one brother, Eugene (Shirley) King of Peoria, IL; a special friend, Nettie Eppinger of Peoria, IL; three grandson; four granddaughters, fourteen great grandchildren; two great-great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends who loved her. She is preceded in death by her parents; husband; two sons, Carl Edwards and Merian "Jack" Smith; one daughter, Johnnie Smith; four brothers, Robert King, George King, Percy King, Jr. and Charles King and two sisters, Loretta King and Sarah Jones.

Funeral services will be held at 11 am on Friday, July 7, 2023 at Rising Sun Christian Church, with a one-hour visitation prior beginning at 10 am. Pastor John Gibson will officiate. Mable will be laid to rest at Lutheran Cemetery.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [SimonsMortuary.com](http://SimonsMortuary.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Lutheran Cemetery

914 S Pleasant St  
Peoria, IL 61604-5954

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Rising Sun Christian Church  
4310 W. Charter Oak Rd.  
Peoria, IL 61615  
<http://www.risingsunchristianchurch.org/>

## Funeral Service

JUL 7. 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM (CT)

Rising Sun Christian Church  
4310 W. Charter Oak Rd.  
Peoria, IL 61615  
<http://www.risingsunchristianchurch.org/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Mable Estelle Ross*



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**Simons Mortuary** - July 10, 2023 at 02:39 PM



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**Simons Mortuary** - July 05, 2023 at 01:57 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Burial at Lutheran Cemetery*



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**Simons Mortuary** - July 10, 2023 at 02:39 PM

LH

“ *Rest Easy beautiful Queen. I'll never forget the kindness you showed me. Love Luwana!*

**Luwana Holmes** - July 08, 2023 at 08:48 AM

AB

“ *Central Illinois Agency on Aging*



**Anita Brown** - June 30, 2023 at 11:38 PM

MR

“ *Mattie Risby sent a virtual gift in memory of Mable Ross*



**Mattie Risby** - June 27, 2023 at 01:52 PM

AL

“ *Annette Lucy lit a candle in memory of Mable Ross*



**Annette Lucy** - June 27, 2023 at 01:18 PM

DA

“ So blessed to have been loved our new angel.  
Condolences family you are in my prayers 🙏



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**Dawn** - June 27, 2023 at 09:57 AM

YL

“ So sorry for your loss. Mable was a good  
friend of my mom, Vivian Griffin..  
Yvonne Lawton & family.



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**Yvonne Lawton** - June 26, 2023 at 04:25 PM

NB

“ nettie m. Banks lit a candle in memory of  
Mable Ross



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**nettie m. Banks** - June 25, 2023 at 10:16 PM

VG

“ Vicky Gagliardi sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Mable Ross



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**Vicky L Gagliardi** - June 24, 2023 at 08:57 PM

VG

“ Mom you look at me like one of your daughters. Just like family. I can't believe you have left 💔 us. Miss and love you RIH

Vicky L Gagliardi - June 24, 2023 at 08:54 PM

JB

“ Really Going To Miss Her. So Sorry To Hear Of Mrs Mable E. Ross Passing She Was A Beautiful Woman That Loved The Lord As Well As She Loved Her Family And Friends. RIH GBNF ❤️ Prayers Family. She's Resting Now In Arms Of Jesus. 🙏🙏🙏



Joanie Brown - June 23, 2023 at 08:08 PM

PB

“ To my cuzn we have shared a lot of talks and laughs but God knew best. We will never know how or what God does. But he pick the most expensive and beautiful flower out of his garden of life. Rest on cuzn Mable Ross until we meet again.



Pastor Joseph Bowers & Faith Deliverance Holiness Temple  
COGIC Church Family

Pastor Joseph Bowers - June 23, 2023 at 04:04 PM

CR

“ Corine Roberson lit a candle in memory of Mable Ross



Corine Roberson - June 23, 2023 at 10:50 AM

CL

“ I love you Mom! RIP until we meet again! I am going to really miss you! My condolences to the family! Sending prayers 🙏🙏🙏🙏



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**Carolyn Lobdell** - June 22, 2023 at 03:26 PM