



Mrs. Melweda Allen

November 11, 1938 - April 28, 2016

Mrs. Melweda Allen, 77, of Peoria, IL passed away peacefully at 8:10 pm, Thursday, April 28, 2016 at Heartland Healthcare Manor Care.

Melweda was born November 11, 1938 in Bloomington, IL to Ernest and Arizona Mae (Beecham) Beard. She worked for District 150 at Irving School as the "Lunch Lady" retiring in 1993 after many years of service.

Melweda married the love of her life, Claude Allen. They were married over 50 years until his death, April 19, 2016.

Melweda was a gifted seamstress, painter and artist. She loved children and was known to spoil all kids with whom she came in contact. She leaves to mourn her loss her step daughter, Norma Allen of Texas; three nieces, Mary Galloway, Robin and Vera Lin Robinson Prince all of Peoria; three nephews, John Majors of Seattle, WA, Rodney Davis of Portland, OR and Ernest Beard, Jr., of Littleton, CO; a cousin, David (Gail) Bowens of Peoria; and a host of other relatives and friends.

A double memorial service will be held at 10 am, Tuesday, May 17, 2016 at Simons Mortuary with a visitation beginning at 9:30 am. Inurnment of Melweda and Claude Allen will be in East Lawn Cemetery in Bloomington, IL. Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at simonsmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

East Lawn Memorial Gardens Cemetery

1002 Airport Rd.
Bloomington, IL 61704

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 17. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Simons Mortuary Chapel
912 W. John H. Gwynn, Jr. Ave.
Peoria, IL 61605
(309) 674-2638
info@simonsmortuary.com
<https://simonsmortuary.com>

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Patrick Bowens lit a candle in memory of Melweda Allen



Patrick Bowens - January 12, 2024 at 06:12 PM



“ Mrs. Melweda Allen

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



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January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ Abigail Barnett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Melweda Allen



Abigail Barnett - May 17, 2016 at 10:34 AM



“ Prayers to the Allen family.

Yvette McNary - May 01, 2016 at 10:16 PM