



## Helen Faye Birk

October 31, 2013

Helen Faye Birk, 93, of Cape Girardeau, MO died Thursday, October 31, 2013 at the Lutheran Home in Cape Girardeau, MO. She was born Saturday, July 3, 1920 in Greenway, AR to the late Reynold E. and Lucille Stokes Alcorn. Helen and Elbert A. Birk were married April 25, 1943. He preceded her in death on April 1, 1989. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church, a member of the Ladies Senior Aid at church and was a homemaker, She is survived by four children, Carol (Gary) Schmidt, Roy Birk, Dan (Lynne) Birk and Gary (Donna) Birk, all of Cape Girardeau, MO; a sister, Lyla Mullins of Saint Louis, MO; 11 grandchildren, Cory (Janna) Crosnoe, Rex (Nikki) Crosnoe, Danielle Kelley, Melissa (Fred) Edwards, Mindy (Robbie) Jenkins, Jeremy Birk, Jamie (Reva) Birk, Heather (Brian) Holdman, Amber (Shane) Brown, Andrea (Chad) Bogenpohl and Garrett Birk; 19 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Elbert and one brother, A.J. Alcorn. Visitation will be today from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel. Funeral service will be at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, November 2, 2013 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Cape Girardeau with Rev. Douglas Breite officiating. Burial will be at Cape County Memorial Park in Cape Girardeau. Memorial contributions may be given to the Trinity Lutheran Church Prayer Shawl Ministry.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Carol my prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. Take care.

Clara Howell Ross - April 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ The pain of losing someone as special as a mother can be overwhelming; I too know that pain. May your family find comfort as I have in knowing that our loving heavenly Father promises us that very soon he will 'wipe out every tear from our eyes, and death will be no more.' (Revelation 21:4) What a wonderful day that will be!

K. Jackson - February 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ Carol, So sorry to hear about your mom. I will always remember her in heels. Our prayers and love are with you at this time.

Debbie and Gary Newcomb - February 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

NI

“ I was so saddened to read about Helen. I know she had a good life and enjoyed life from visting with her. I will always think of her high heel shoes when I think of her. My thoughts and prayes are with you during your sorrow. Nelda

Nelda Ireland - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ So sorry to hear that your mom has passed away. She was such a part of my childhood and I have such great memories of our family times together. My prayers are with you all.

Mary Jo Tolbert - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

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**Nancy Calvin-Naylor & Garrett Birk** - January 11, 2013 at 12:00 AM