



Josephine Bates

February 12, 1918 - January 29, 2008

Funeral services for Mrs. Josephine Louise Bates, 89, of Louisiana, Missouri will be held at 11:00 A.M. Wednesday, February 6th at the Collier Funeral Home in Louisiana, Missouri. The Rev. Jessie Jones will officiate. Visitation will be held from 10:00 A.M. until time of funeral service at 11:00 A.M.

Wednesday at the funeral home. Burial will be in the Riverview Cemetery in Louisiana. Mrs. Bates passed away Tuesday, January 29, 2008 at the St. Mary's Health Center in St. Louis, Missouri.

She was born February 12, 1918 in Louisiana, Missouri to Joseph and Sallie Rudd Higgins.

She married William McKinley Bates March 17, 1941 and he preceded her in death December 14, 1963. She was also preceded in death by one daughter, Barbara Joanne Scott who died March 13, 2005.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Shirley Williams of St Louis, Missouri, 18 Grandchildren, 7 Great-Grandchildren, Two cousins, Mrs. Donna Shavers of Chicago, Illinois and Mrs. Betty Henderson of St. Louis, Missouri and other relatives.

Mrs. Bates graduated from the Lincoln High School in Louisiana, Missouri.

She was a member of the Maryland Street Baptist Church in Louisiana.

Pallbearers are: James Scott, Kevin Scott and Gary Richardson.

Online condolences may be sent to collierfuneral.com

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“ *Josephine Bates*

November 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



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