



## Ruth Marie Alvey

March 11, 1925 - March 13, 2024

Ruth Marie Alvey of St. James, Missouri passed away peacefully surrounded by her family on Wednesday, March 13, 2024 just two days after her 99th birthday. Ruth was born in Salem, Missouri on March 11, 1925 to the late Robert, and Julie (Norris) Mounce.

Miss Ruth Marie Mounce was united in marriage to the late James Alvey, this union was blessed with two children.

Ruth was a longtime member of the First Assembly of God Church. She enjoyed the outdoors, planting flowers, mowing, and keeping her yard looking impeccable; she also enjoyed camping, going to Blue-Grass Festivals, and dancing. Ruth especially loved her family. She loved to cook a family meal and have everyone over, she was an exceptional homemaker, she enjoyed cooking, baking, and sewing. She sewed for her children when they were growing up and made quilts when the grandchildren came along. She lived an incredible life for 99 years and will be greatly missed by all that knew and loved her.

Ruth Marie Alvey is survived by her brother, Robert Mounce and wife Dolly, of St. James, MO; grandchildren, Amanda Terrill and husband Blake, of St. James, MO, and Sean Barber and wife Tatum, of St. James, MO; great-grandchildren, Kameron Barber, Kyler Barber, Kaylan Barber, Karson Barber, Halle Terrill, and Sophia Terrill; a host of nieces, nephews, extended family

and friends. In addition to her parents Robert and Julie Mounce, she was preceded in death by her husband James in 1979; daughter, Linda Burley; son, Eugene Alvey; brothers, Homer and Jimmy Mounce; sister, Ada Gibson.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, March 18, 2024 at 1:00PM at the St. James Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary with Reverend Mick Thrasher officiating. Visitation for family and friends will be held at the Chapel prior to the service on Monday from 11AM until service time at 1PM. Ruth will be laid to rest at the Asher Cemetery next to her beloved James Alvey. In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorials to the Asher Cemetery, cards are available at all James & Gahr locations. For online condolences please visit [www.jamesgahrmortuary.com](http://www.jamesgahrmortuary.com)

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# Cemetery Details

## Asher Cemetery

St. James, MO 65559

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 18. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

James & Gahr Mortuary - St. James  
117 Seymour St.  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Marsha Ray lit a candle in memory of Ruth Marie Alvey*



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**Marsha Ray** - March 16, 2024 at 03:22 PM

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“ *Laura & Carl Hellweg purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Ruth Marie Alvey.*



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**Laura & Carl Hellweg** - March 15, 2024 at 09:21 PM