



Audrey Mae Hutchings

March 11, 1931 - November 10, 2024

Audrey Mae Hutchings, age 93 of Mattoon, IL passed away on November 10, 2024, in Maroa, IL.

A funeral service in her honor will be held at 10:00 AM, Monday, November 18, 2024, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 8975 E. County Rd 1200 N., Mattoon, IL 61938. Reverend Dan Ulrich will officiate. A committal service will immediately follow at Resthaven Memorial Gardens, in Mattoon, IL. The visitation will be held from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM on Sunday, November 17, 2024, at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL 61938.

Audrey was born on March 11, 1931, in Mattoon, IL to the late Claude M. and Mary M. (Taylor) Oakley. She married Lyle B. Fitt; he preceded her in death on June 26, 1969. She later married Edward C. Hutchings on May 29, 1971, in Dorans, IL; he preceded her in death on August 7, 1990. She is survived by four children: Dennis R. Fitt and wife Susan, David L. Fitt, Donna R. Noble, and Gary Hutchings all of Mattoon, IL; daughter-in-law, Mary Hutchings of Sullivan, IL; twelve grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; and several great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two sons, Michael Doug Fitt, Dennis Hutchings; one brother, Richard O. Oakley; one daughter-in-law, Pat Hutchings.

Audrey was a devoted member of the St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Mattoon, IL where she was active in the St. Paul's Board of Finances and Bible School. She retired from General Electric in Mattoon, IL as a quality control specialist.

She was the owner of Gills Drive Inn in Mattoon, IL for more than twenty years which her daughter, Donna managed. Possessing the heart of a servant, Audrey was a faithful supporter of her community and volunteered in multiple locations including Mattoon Community Food Center, the American Red Cross Blood Drive Call Committee, and was a Board Member of the LifeSpan Center in Charleston, IL.

A card club member, she took pleasure in playing Hand and Foot and many various card games and dominos. She enjoyed dining at Gills Drive Inn and traveling with her group of eight friends.

A woman of great faith, a loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt, and friend. Audrey will be lovingly remembered.

Memorial donations in her honor may be made to the Mattoon Community Food Center, 600 Moultrie Avenue, Mattoon, IL 61938 or Illinois Association of Court Appointed Special Advocates, 211 W. Wacker Drive, Floor 3 PMB1710, Chicago, IL 60606.

Please visit www.mitchell-jerdan.com or www.facebook.com/mitchelljerdanfuneralhome to light a virtual candle in her honor or share a memory with the family.

Cemetery Details

Resthaven Memorial Gardens

1701 Dewitt Avenue
Mattoon, IL 61938

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 17. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home Ltd.
1200 Wabash Ave
Mattoon, IL 61938
(217) 234-8828
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<https://www.mitchell-jerdan.com/>

Service

NOV 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
8975 E Co Rd 1200N
Mattoon, IL 61938

Tribute Wall



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Audrey Mae Hutchings.

November 18, 2024 at 11:40 AM



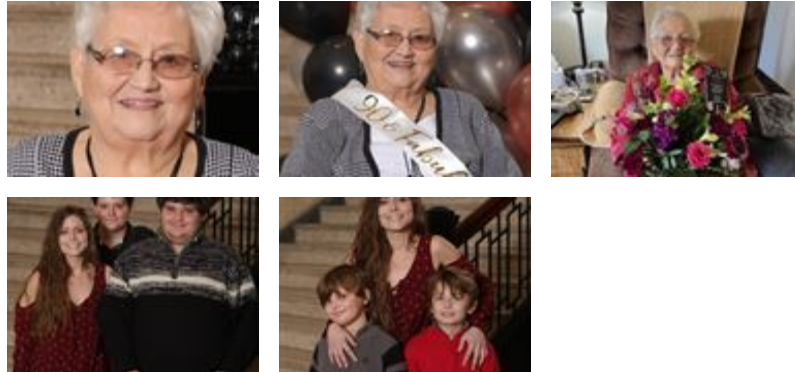
“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Audrey Mae Hutchings.



November 18, 2024 at 11:40 AM



“ 66 files added to the album Life Tributes



Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home - November 15, 2024 at 06:24 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Audrey Mae Hutchings.*



November 14, 2024 at 10:04 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Audrey Mae Hutchings.

November 14, 2024 at 10:04 AM



“ *Larry, Robin, Rachel, Caden, Tyler and J purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Audrey Mae Hutchings.*



Larry, Robin, Rachel, Caden, Tyler and J - November 13, 2024 at 06:15 PM



“ *Kathi Sewell Cobble lit a candle in memory of Audrey Mae Hutchings*



kathi sewell cobble - November 13, 2024 at 10:26 AM

JP

“ Justin, Veronica & Cooper Peters purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Audrey Mae Hutchings.



Justin, Veronica & Cooper Peters - November 12, 2024 at 09:35 PM

SE

“ Stacy Eich lit a candle in memory of Audrey Mae Hutchings



Stacy Eich - November 12, 2024 at 06:50 PM



“ Audrey was a special lady. She loved to play cards. I enjoyed our time together going to card party Very caring person



Linda Wilson - November 12, 2024 at 06:10 PM

MS

Audrey was a good friend of my Mom, Leona Muessman. I loved her kindness and her smile. A very special lady. Hope she's enjoying heaven!

Marlene Sieben - November 18, 2024 at 01:00 PM