



## Betty Alice Salois

November 15, 1933 - October 21, 2025

Betty Alice Salois, 91, of Vandalia, passed away Tuesday, October 21, 2025, at Baptist Home Tri-County, SNF in Vandalia.

A memorial visitation for Betty will be held Saturday, October 25, 2025, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. with sharing of memories and short prayer from 5:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Bibb-Veach Funeral Homes and Crematory in Bowling Green. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, November 1, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 5567 Gildehaus Rd., Villa Ridge, Missouri, 63089, with a visitation from 9:00 a.m. until the time of service. Burial will be at St. John the Baptist Catholic Cemetery in Villa Ridge.

Betty was born November 15, 1933, to William John "Bill" and Mildred Kathleen (Kintz) Ronan in St. Louis, Missouri. She was united in marriage to Paul Salois on Thanksgiving Day, November 27, 1952. Paul preceded her in death.

Betty grew up in St. Louis, next to Sportsman Park and was a lifelong Cardinal's fan. She attended Sacred Heart Catholic grade school and graduated from Rock Catholic High School, both in St. Louis. Betty and Paul moved to Bowling Green in 1966.

Before marrying, Betty was employed as a secretary. Once married, Betty was a stay-at-home mom until she and Paul established the local radio station, KPCR, upon relocating in 1966. At that point she and Paul worked together to operate the station. They owned the station until 1996, just short of 30 years. They were members of the Missouri Broadcaster's Association, where they received many awards for their efforts.

Betty also belonged to The Red Hatters, Eagle RV Club, and other RV clubs, and most recently the Missouri Good Hands Cribbage Club #344 in Washington, Missouri.

Some of Betty's interests included painting, creating stained glass masterpieces, playing golf, traveling in the RV, swimming and playing cribbage. Nothing meant more to Betty than her faith and family. Betty was a devout Catholic her entire life.

Betty is survived by her son, Joseph Salois (Debbie) of Vandalia, Missouri; daughters: Sister Michelle Salois, RSM of St. Louis, Missouri, Patricia "Patty" Marshall of Scottsdale, Arizona, Mary Salois of Weldon Spring, Missouri, and Margaret "Peggy" Pruett (John) of Bernie, Missouri; grandchildren: Stephen Marshall (Ashlee), Benjamin Marshall (Susan), Nicole Marshall (Alejandro), Jeff Salois (Gina), Matt Salois, Tiffany Wilcox (Garrett), and Allison "Ally" Beausejour (Hays); and great-grandchildren: Jillian, Kevin, Madeline, Eliana, Harrison, Logan, and Grayson; along with many nieces and nephews, cousins, and extended family.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Paul; sister, Billie; and son-in-law, Charlie Marshall.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Mercy Professional Services, Sacred Heart Catholic Church, or Community Loving Care Hospice.

Online condolences may be made at [www.bibbveach.com](http://www.bibbveach.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **25**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's & Crematory LLC - Bowling Green  
606 West Main Street  
Bowling Green, MO 63334  
(573) 324-2211  
office@bibbveach.com  
<https://www.bibbveach.com/>

## Visitation

NOV **1**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. John The Baptist  
5567 Gildehaus Rd  
Villa Ridge, MO 63089-1228  
(636) 583-2488

## Memorial Funeral Mass

NOV **1**. 10:00 AM.

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church  
Villa Ridge, MO

## Burial

NOV **1**.

St. John the Baptist Catholic Cemetery  
Villa Ridge, MO



# Tribute Wall

BK

“ *Mrs. Salois was a gracious and kind person.  
My condolences to the family.* ”



**Billy Knock** - October 28, 2025 at 10:47 PM



*Thank you Billy.*

**Mary Salois** - October 29, 2025 at 10:28 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of  
Betty Alice Salois.* ”



October 28, 2025 at 01:46 PM

SG

“ *Stephanie Sellars &fam&The Greenwoods planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in  
honor of Betty Alice Salois.* ”

**Stephanie Sellars &fam&The Greenwoods** - October 28, 2025 at 01:46 PM

DF

“ Michelle, you may not remember me from BGHS days but I want to express my sympathy to you in the loss of your Mom. You were blessed to have her so long. May God comfort your heart  
You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Donna Price Francis - October 28, 2025 at 10:06 AM

XB

“ XO, Tracey and Bill purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Betty Alice Salois.



XO, Tracey and Bill - October 26, 2025 at 02:21 AM

XB

“ XO, Tracey and Bill planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Alice Salois.

XO, Tracey and Bill - October 26, 2025 at 02:21 AM

AJ

“ Our deepest condolences & prayers of comfort Betty's family.

Angie Jakoubek - October 25, 2025 at 01:15 PM



Thank you very much.

Mary Salois - October 25, 2025 at 01:44 PM



“ 282 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



**Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's, LLC.** - October 25, 2025 at 12:33 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Betty Alice Salois.



October 25, 2025 at 11:10 AM



“ *Louis & Lynette and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Alice Salois.*

**Louis & Lynette and family** - October 25, 2025 at 11:10 AM

RD

“ Dear Mary, Michelle, and family,  
Catherine Gamblin from Mercy sent me Betty's Obituary and news of her passing this week. I'm so very sorry for your loss of a beautiful mother and friend. I remember the many gatherings we as a Mercy team had at her and your house, and in other locations. She was always an adventuress, and a warm, good humored, and wise woman. I'm so thankful to have known her, and also to have known and worked with you, Mary and Michelle.  
In gratitude and loving prayer always,  
Renée

Renee Dewhurst DHM - October 24, 2025 at 10:06 PM



Thank you so much Renee.

Mary Salois - October 25, 2025 at 01:45 PM

MS

Thank you Renee!

Michelle Salois - October 26, 2025 at 12:56 PM

AY

“ Mary, so sorry for your loss. We enjoyed so much the years we had sharing the pond with you and Betty. She was a terrific lady and a wonderful neighbor. Prayers for your entire family at this time.  
Andy, Melinda & Clayton Young

Andy Young - October 24, 2025 at 08:31 PM



Thank you all so much.

Mary Salois - October 25, 2025 at 01:46 PM

PC

“ Pike Lincoln Technical Center purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Betty Alice Salois.



Pike Lincoln Technical Center - October 24, 2025 at 05:28 PM

LW

“ I remember many times when mom, Wanda Willis, worked weekends at KPCR. Also I remember the "composure" concerts, the Memorial Day weekend Jerry Lewis telethon that we volunteered at, those were good happy memories.



Lawanda Willis - October 23, 2025 at 09:57 PM

PP

Sweet memories. Thank you.

Peggy Pruett - October 23, 2025 at 11:43 PM

BH

“ Bernadette g H. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Alice Salois.

Bernadette g H. - October 23, 2025 at 09:26 PM

GT

“ Gary Meier & Chris Tipp planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Alice Salois.

Gary Meier & Chris Tipp - October 23, 2025 at 03:41 PM

GT

“ Gary Meier & Chris Tipp purchased the Gracious Lavender Basket for the family of Betty Alice Salois.



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**Gary Meier & Chris Tipp** - October 23, 2025 at 03:41 PM

AJ

“ Rich & I enjoyed spending time with Betty over the years. Mary was also great to visit with. Betty loved the azalea walk. The smells & beauty of the flowers. I regret that we were unable to join you both there. Our deepest sympathy. She will be greatly missed.

*Angie Jakoubek & Rich*

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**Angie Jakoubek** - October 23, 2025 at 12:37 PM



*Thank you Angie and Rich.*

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**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 12:46 PM

MS

*Thank yo Bernadette!*

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**Michelle Salois** - October 26, 2025 at 12:57 PM

LN

“ May the angels lead her into paradise and the saints come out and welcome her and guide her to the Holy City the new and eternal Jerusalem. Condolences to the family. Celebrate her life well.

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**Les Niemeyer** - October 23, 2025 at 10:29 AM



*Thank you Les.*

**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 12:33 PM

JS

“ *Jerry & Cheryl Salois purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Betty Alice Salois.*



**Jerry & Cheryl Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 09:58 AM

RF

“ *Our sincere condolences to the Salois family. God Bless you all in this time of sorrow.*

**Ron & Jeannie Brown Frisby** - October 23, 2025 at 09:21 AM

PM

*Thank you so much Jeannie and Ron. Your love and friendship mean a lot to me.*

**Patty Marshall** - October 23, 2025 at 02:37 PM

PI

“ *My condolences to your family for your loss. I was blessed to have her as my friend. I will miss her deeply.*



**Pati Ingram** - October 23, 2025 at 08:55 AM



*Thank you Pati.*

**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 09:59 AM

PM

*Thank you Pati. I am in her apartment till Sunday morning and would love to see you if your shift allows.*

**Patty Marshall** - October 23, 2025 at 02:38 PM

SR

“ *Michelle and Mary, I am so sorry to hear the news of your mother’s passing! May she Rest In Peace and Enjoy her Heavenly Reward!!! Holding you all, and your family, specially in my prayers!* 🙏🕯️🙏

**Sr. Claudia Ward, RSM** - October 22, 2025 at 10:26 PM



*Thank you Sr. Claudia.*

**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 10:00 AM

MS

*Thank you Sr Claudia*

**Michelle Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 01:05 PM

SS

“ *My very good friend Sr. Michaelanne (who is in heaven with Betty) loved to spend the night at the home of Betty and Mary in the Washington, MO area. She spoke so fondly of Betty and what fun they had playing games into the night. Thank you, Betty, for the joy that your brought to so many, and blessings to your devoted family.*

**Sr. Denise Sausville** - October 22, 2025 at 09:57 PM



*They are probably playing some card games now! And Sr. Reine too. Thank you Sr. Denise.*

**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 10:02 AM

HC

*Our prayers are with you- I know it's tough losing a mom as wonderful as yours. Peace be with you, love Helen & Walt Crew*

**Helen Crew** - October 23, 2025 at 12:28 PM

PM

*Thank you so much Helen and Walt. Your love were a great friend to mom and we so appreciate what you did for her and us.*

**Patty Marshall** - October 23, 2025 at 02:42 PM

MS

*Thank you Denise!*

**Michelle Salois** - October 26, 2025 at 12:57 PM

SC

*“ Mary, I am so sorry for your loss. I enjoyed being with your mom in St. Louis when we were there. What a lovely woman! You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers!*

**Sr. Maryanne King, CSR** - October 22, 2025 at 08:56 PM



*Thank you Sr. Maryanne.*

**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 10:01 AM



*“ OUR LOVE AND SYMPATHY TO JOE AND DEBBIE AND FAMILIES*



**Larry-Nancy Nation** - October 22, 2025 at 08:55 PM

PP

*Thank you so much!*

**Peggy Pruett** - October 23, 2025 at 11:42 PM

DS

*Thank you Larry and Nancy Nation. Joe and Debbie*

**Debbie Salois** - October 30, 2025 at 10:54 AM

AM

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. My prayers are with Betty and her family and friends.* ”

**Amy** - October 22, 2025 at 08:05 PM



*Thank you Amy.*

**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 10:02 AM

TM

“ *Tennessee Marshalls planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Betty Alice Salois.* ”

**Tennessee Marshalls** - October 22, 2025 at 07:36 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Alice Salois.* ”



October 22, 2025 at 07:36 PM

DP

“ *Betty, we will miss you tremendously! What a light of joy and love you have always been in our lives. What joy you brought to my mom for 8 decades! I feel so blessed that you were part of our lives. Thank you for your love always. May you forever rest in peace. Love you forever!! Diane Pierce*



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**Diane Pierce** - October 22, 2025 at 04:54 PM



*The best friends are together again! Thank you Diane. Mom loved following your travels on Facebook and your Christmas updates. She traveled vicariously through you even after she couldn't do it herself anymore.*

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**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 10:05 AM

SM

“ *Mrs. Salois is a life long friend of my family. She went thru school with my mom, our families hung out together for years. And right up till the end of my moms life they still hung out sometimes, maybe not as often, but they did as much as they could. She was a beautiful woman inside and out. You will be missed. Hopefully now, they can hang out again in heaven.*

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**Sharon Manning** - October 22, 2025 at 04:50 PM



*Thank you Sharon. What a happy reunion they must be having.*

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**Mary Salois** - October 23, 2025 at 10:08 AM

RF

“ *Ron & Jeannie Brown Frisby purchased the Lavender Love Bouquet for the family of Betty Alice Salois.*



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**Ron & Jeannie Brown Frisby** - October 21, 2025 at 05:57 PM