



## Alice L. Buckley

July 22, 1924 - February 17, 2023

Alice L. Buckley, age 98, of Buckingham passed away Friday, February 17, 2023 at Ascension Heritage Village in Kankakee. She was born July 22, 1924 in Kankakee, the daughter of Thomas & Estella (Cart) Crawford. Alice married Viator A. Buckley on July 9, 1949 at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Kankakee. He preceded her in death on May 17, 1996.

Alice was a homemaker and worked as a Registered Nurse at St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee. She graduated from Herscher High School and St. Mary's School of Nursing and was a member of the St. Mary Nursing Alumni Association. Alice enjoyed attending county fairs where her grandchildren showed animals.

She was a parishioner of St. Mary's Church in Reddick, where she was also a member of the CCW.

Surviving are three sons and one daughter-in-law, Timothy Buckley of Herscher, Thomas L. & Beverly Buckley of Buckingham, and Terrance Buckley of Buckingham; twin daughters and one son-in-law, Marjorie & Matthew Chorski of Aurora and Mary Alice Buckley of Plainfield; one sister, Emma Mae King of Reddick; four grandchildren, Scott Buckley, Lisa Patchett, Michelle Pinsky, and William Chorski; and five great-grandchildren. In addition to her husband, Viator Buckley. Alice is preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Thomas Crawford, one sister, Myrtle Saffer; and one grandson, Brian Buckley.

Visitation will be held from 9 a.m. until the time of the 11 a.m. funeral Mass on

Tuesday, February 21, 2023 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Reddick.

Interment will follow at St. Joseph Cemetery in Cabery.

Memorials may be made to the donor's choice.

Arrangements by Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Cemetery

Cabery, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 21. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church  
116 East Lincoln Street  
Reddick, IL 60961

## Funeral Mass

FEB 21. 11:00 AM (CT)

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116 East Lincoln Street  
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# Tribute Wall

DS

“ *Dave and Eva Saffer visited Alice, Mickey, and Myrtle in 2018. It was fun listening to the stories from the three of them.*



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**Dave and Eva Saffer** - February 20, 2023 at 07:04 PM

MC

“ *Sincere condolences.  
Sue and Pat Foley  
Michele and Matt Cannon*

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**Michele Cannon** - February 20, 2023 at 10:38 AM

FP

“ *How providential that a Viatorian priest from Saint Patrick Parish in Kankakee should have been called upon to give the Last Rites to your mother and loved one.*

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**Father John Peeters** - February 19, 2023 at 10:05 PM

MP

“ *My condolences to the family of the passing of your mother. Your family were our neighbors “on the farm” in Reddick. Alice was always so kind and friendly to us when we came down to play with you. Just a genuine neighbor.  
My sympathy to all.*



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**Mary Prince** - February 19, 2023 at 03:56 PM

RG

“ *When visiting Heritage Village, Mrs. Buckley was always a highlight. She had such a kind disposition and a sweet smile. We shared our Reddick roots. My deepest sympathy to all of her children. She was a special lady.*

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**ROSANNE GIANOTTI** - February 18, 2023 at 10:17 AM

MS

“ *Mary Ann Senesac lit a candle in memory of Alice L. Buckley*



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**Mary Ann Senesac** - February 17, 2023 at 09:46 PM