



## Phyllis O'Halleran

August 8, 1936 - January 31, 2020

Phyllis M. O'Halleran, 83, of Richmond, IL, passed away Friday, January 31, 2020 peacefully at home, with her immediate family by her side.

She was born in Hebron, IL on August 8, 1936, a daughter of the late Gertrude (Bogard) and William B. Covell.

She was married to James J. O'Halleran on August 1, 1953, at St. Patrick's in McHenry and he passed away May 14, 2011.

She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Richmond, and a member of the Altar and Rosary Society.

She was a graduate of Richmond-Burton High School in 1953. She had a infectious laugh which would make you smile. She loved spending time with her family.

Phyllis is survived by three daughters, Pam (Steve) Fiedler, of Richmond, IL; Chris (Dennis) Holian, of Richmond, IL; Kathleen (Jeremy) Marx, of Ramsey, IL; three sons Tom (Debbie) O'Halleran, of Pell Lake, WI; Jamie (Amanda) O'Halleran, of Crystal Lake, IL; Kevin (Sandy) O'Halleran, of Powers Lake, WI; 21 grandchildren; 21 great grandchildren; a sister, Patricia (late Melvin) May, of Charlotte, NC; a brother, Mike (Gay) Covell, of Castle Rock, CO and

daughter-in-law Joan O'Halleran of Genoa City, WI.

She was preceded by a son David, a granddaughter Natalie OHalleran, a great grandson Tanner O'Halleran, a brother William Covell, a sister Jean Fischer and stepmother Dorothy Covell.

Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Wed. Feb. 5, 2020 at Ehorn-Adams Funeral Home 10011 Main St., Richmond. Mass of Resurrection at 1:00 p.m. Wed at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 10519 Main St., Richmond, IL, with Msgr. Martin Heinz officiating.

Interment will be in St. Joseph Cemetery in Richmond, IL.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Richmond Fire/Rescue District 5601 Hunter Dr. Richmond, IL 60071.

For information, please call 815 678-7311 or visit [www.ehornadams.com](http://www.ehornadams.com).

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Cemetery of Richmond

11100 Burlington Road  
Richmond, IL 60071

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 5. 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Ehorn-Adams Funeral Home (Richmond)  
10011 N Main St  
PO Box 375  
Richmond, IL 60071  
(815) 678-7311  
bruce@ehornadams.com  
<http://www.ehornadams.com>

## Mass of Resurrection

FEB 5. 1:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church (Richmond)  
10519 N. Main St  
Richmond, IL 60071  
(815) 678-7421  
saintjosephchurch@gmail.com  
<http://stjosephrichmondil.weconnect.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Phyllis O'Halleran*

January 29, 2023 at 06:51 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy for your loss Joan. Prayers for you and your family. Love, Audrey Spicer - Electra Sales*

**Audrey Spicer** - February 04, 2020 at 06:57 PM



“ *Our sympathy to Phyllis' whole family. She was a lovely lady who brought happiness to her many friends and family. Rest in peace. Dave and Rita Popenhagen*

**Rita Popenhagen** - February 04, 2020 at 05:15 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



February 04, 2020 at 03:29 PM



“ *Your Millennium Family purchased the Bright and Beautiful Spray for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



**Your Millennium Family** - February 04, 2020 at 01:48 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



February 04, 2020 at 01:10 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



February 04, 2020 at 01:07 PM



“ *Watlow purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



**Watlow** - February 04, 2020 at 11:26 AM



“ *I REMEMBER the good times we shared growing up love Patti*

**Patti Bays** - February 04, 2020 at 09:46 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



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February 03, 2020 at 05:15 PM



“ *If real "Beauty is skin deep" Phyllis O'Halleran was the most beautiful woman our family has ever known. Phyllis lived life with such joy, selflessness, faith, and love. For a time when my Mother was a single parent living on a shoestring budget raising 4 children, Phyllis was a true friend who treated her with grace and dignity. Phyllis was our second Mom. She opened her home, her heart, and in even greater amounts lived as an example of generosity and kindness. Phyllis helped us kids by allowing those harder times to be the funnest days of our young lives. Giving of her love as natural as she gave her own children. As my Mother reminded me, the memories we will hold dearest are all those days, that turned into months, that turned into years of our times together as family. "Death and Love are the Two Wings that Bear the Good Woman to Heaven" Upon her passing we are certain those Wings materialized to fly her to those who had made the journey before her, joyfully embracing, and reuniting once again. Phyllis was an ordinary woman who did extrodinary things, with an unconditional love that will live on in our hearts. Our deepest and heartfelt sympathies to all of her family.*

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**Terry kerkman** - February 03, 2020 at 11:14 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



February 03, 2020 at 10:29 AM



“ *Love, Dan, Sue, Ally and Louis purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



**Love, Dan, Sue, Ally and Louis** - February 02, 2020 at 08:21 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



February 02, 2020 at 05:52 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



February 02, 2020 at 04:52 PM

MD

“ *Marijane and Dan Deters purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



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**Marijane and Dan Deters** - February 02, 2020 at 03:08 PM

MP

“ *Mike & Patty purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Phyllis O'Halleran.*



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**Mike & Patty** - February 01, 2020 at 12:08 PM