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## Kathryn McMurry

DE SOTO - Kathryn Elizabeth (Robison) McMurry passed away at 4:17 a.m.



March 27, 2010, at her home.

Saturday,

Kathryn was born Sept. 19, 1920, in Hurst to William E. and Daisy D. Stell Robison.

McMurry.

She graduated from Hurst-Bush School.

She graduated Feb. 13, 1943, from Englewood Hospital School of Nursing and served as a World War II 1st lieutenant flight nurse from Feb. 13, 1943, to May 15, 1946. She was in the Army Nurse Corps.

Kathryn married Dr. William S. McMurry on Feb. 2, 1946, at Topeka Army Base.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William McMurry; brother, Noel Robison; and nephew, Jeff Robison.

Survivors include nieces, Kristy and Ed Meredith and their daughters, Melissa and Michelle and Kathy Robison Boyes; sister-in-law, Barbara Robison of California; grandnephew, Tyler Robison of Colorado; niece, Susan and Peter Lang; nephews, **Buddy McMurry and Charles** goddaughters, McMurry; Susan Lakatos of Ohio and Sarah Scolari; and longtime friend, (Kenny) Mary C. Cahnovsky.

She was a wonderful loving friend, like a mother to many people. She was strong-willed and did it her way.

To all the special friends: Buddy, Charette, Lori, Linda, Nancy, Lola, Jetta, Jack, Roger, Reginal, Julia, Renae, Sam, Lisa, Katie, Jackie, Paul, Barbara and Ron. All many wonderful loving cousins. All dear and very special friends not named.

Memorial services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, April 1, 2010, in Mount Calvary Lutheran Church in De Soto, with the Rev. Timothy A. Bean officiating. Interment will be at 12:45 p.m. today in Jefferson Barracks. Those who would like to attend should meet at the gates before interment.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to De Soto Elementary School Playground Fund, Mount Calvary Lutheran Church Elevator Fund or Hospice of Southern Illinois.

Walker Funeral Home of Carbondale is in charge of arrangements.

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