



## Alma C. Gruner

August 16, 1915 - August 28, 2009

Alma C. (nee Taylor) Gruner, age 94, of Old Ripley, IL., died Friday, August 28, 2009, at Alhambra Care Center in Alhambra, IL.

She was born August 16, 1915, in East Saint Louis, IL., the daughter of Zachery Taylor and Lillian (nee Garrison) Geiger.

On September 2, 1933, she married Edward J. Gruner, who passed away October 2, 1993.

She was a member of Grantfork United Church of Christ; Women's Guild at the church.

Born and raise at East St. Louis, IL. She was raised by James and Dolly Altic, she always felt like they were her parents.

After marriage lived all her life on the Gruner family farm, Old Ripley, IL. She always worked on the farm; had a big garden; a special love for dogs and cats. Her grandchildren nick named her "Grandma Kitty Cat".

Survivors include Son-Ronald J. "Rocky" (Maxine) Gruner of Grantfork, Ill., Grandchild-Rhonda (Steve) Brendel of Grantfork, Ill., Grandchild-Kurt (Kathy) Gruner of Grantfork, Ill., Grandchild-Karl (Kristy) Gruner of Grantfork, Ill., Step-grandchild-Larry Novy, Great Grandchild-Chelsey (Dustin) Alldredge, Great

Grandchild-Shea Brendel, Great Grandchild-Derek Gruner, Great Grandchild-Megan Gruner, Great Grandchild-Kayla Gruner, Great Grandchild-Kara Gruner

She was preceeded in death by Father-Zachery Taylor, Mother-Lillian (nee Garrison) Geiger, Raised by:-James and Dolly Altic, Husband-Edward J. Gruner (died-10/02/1993), Daughter-Geraldine Blair, Step-daughter-Cleda Novy, Brother-Roy Cox