

Mary Ella Null, 82, of De Soto died Sept. 3, 2016, in Belleville, Ill. Mrs. Null was a nurse's aid. She enjoyed listening to music, watching TV and drinking coffee while visiting with family and friends. She also was a huge Elvis fan and shared a birthday with him.

Born Jan. 8, 1934, she was the daughter of the late Samuel and Getta Hellen (Murray) Lamkey. She was preceded in death by her husband: William Arnold Null Sr.

She is survived by three sons: William (Jill) Null of Bismarck, Michael Null of De Soto and Donald Lee Null of De Soto; two daughters: Barbara Null of De Soto and Shirley Glenn of Branson; 15 grandchildren: Lisa (Ronald) Harmon, Tina Cook, Barney (Heather) Cook Jr., Billy Null III, Chris Null Sr., Kelly (Chris) McKee, David Null, Mike Null Jr., Donald Null Jr., Cody Glenn, Nick Glenn, Ashley Glenn, Heather Payne, Brandon Null and Grant Null; 16 great-grandchildren: Brandy Harmon, Katie Harmon, Ashley Riddle, Heather Riddle, Kaylee Riddle, Aubrey Cook, Alexis Cook, Nolan Cook, Trinity Cook, Corbin Cook, Miranda Null, Mike Null III, Kylie Hemming, Dylan Null, Linken Null and Chris Null Jr.; and three great-great-grandchildren: Mersadie, Makenna and Maliah Harmon.

Mrs. Null also was preceded in death by a daughter: Sherry (Barney Sr.) Cook; two brothers: Alvin Lamkey and Vernon Lamkey and a great-grandchild: Brittany Harmon.

Visitation will be from 11 a.m. until the funeral at 1 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 8, at Mahn De Soto Chapel, 900 N. Main St., in De Soto, officiated by Pastor Gene Moses. Burial will be in Hillsboro City Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the family. Arrangements are under the direction of Mahn Funeral Home.

