



## Dorothy Mae Cunningham

October 11, 1926 - February 1, 2023

Dorothy Mae Cunningham was born on October 11, 1926, in St. Louis, Missouri. She was the first of twelve children born to the union of William and Corine Cunningham.

Her parents William and Corine, six brothers; Willie, Frederick, Arlen, Harold, Nathaniel, and Joseph, two sisters; Jacqueline and Mildred, and one daughter; Patricia preceded her in death.

Dorothy was baptized in St. Elizabeth Church at an early age.

She received her early education in the St. Louis Public School System and then transferred to the Catholic School System.

Dorothy was joined in holy matrimony to John Frank Hawkins. They were blessed with seven children; Alvin, Josephine, Kenneth, Patricia, Darlene, LaDonna, and Gregory. She later married Hervey Louis Newman and to this union was born one son; Hervey Louis Newman, Jr.

Dorothy worked for over 30 years as a seamstress in a sewing factory.

She leaves to cherish her memory her children Alvin, Josephine (Jerry),

Kenneth (Beverly), Darlene (Kenneth), LaDonna, Gregory, and Hervey (Mae); three sisters Martha Strong, Janice Lewis (Ronald), Corine Anita Roberts (Carl); three sisters-in-law Mary, Bleeker, and Mary Ann, many grandchildren, great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

FEB 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Valhalla Chapel of Memories  
7600 St Charles Rock Road  
St Louis, MO 63133

### Memorial Service

FEB 27. 11:00 AM (CT)

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