



## Helen M. Griffin

August 6, 1914 - August 13, 2009

Albany-Helen M. Griffin, 95, died Thursday, August 13, 2009 at her home with her family at her bedside. Born in Albany, she was the daughter of the late William and Elizabeth Purcell Meany. Helen was a lifelong member of Blessed Sacrament Church, and she retired from the North Colonie School District as a special education instructor. She was a proud graduate of the College of St. Rose, where she received her Master's Degree. Helen was predeceased in 1993 by her husband, Thomas J. Griffin.

She was the mother of Mary Griffin-McDonald; grandmother of Kailin S. McDonald, Colin T. McDonald, and Maura E. McDonald; great grandmother of Anthony J. Tacelli and Ava M. McDonald; sister of John Meany (Lillian) and the late Betty Byron and William Meany; sister in law of Robert Griffin of Springfield, VA; many cousins, nieces and nephews survive.

Funeral services Tuesday, August 18, 2009 at 10:30 am at Blessed Sacrament Church where a Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. There will be no calling hours. Interment Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Rensselaer. Donations to Blessed Sacrament Church, 607 Central Ave. Albany, NY 12206.

To leave the family a special message; obtain directions or a Prayer Card, please go to [mcveighfuneralhome.com](http://mcveighfuneralhome.com)



# Previous Events

## Service

AUG 18. 10:30 AM (ET)

Blessed Sacrament Church  
607 Central Ave (Father John Bradley Way)  
Albany, NY 12206  
(518) 489-0188  
[info@mcveighfuneralhome.com](mailto:info@mcveighfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall



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**McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.** - August 13, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Helen M. Griffin*

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