



Ruth Lewis

October 24, 1932 - May 29, 2024

Ruth Lewis, age 91, of Merrillville, IN, went home to be with the Lord on May 29, 2024. Ruth was born to Clyde and Gladys Taylor of Attica, Indiana on October 24, 1932. She was married to DeVonne Lewis, on January 17, 1954. Ruth was a resident of Merrillville, Indiana for 52 years. She was an active member of Dyer Baptist Church for many years. While there, she loved ministering to the women in the Widows Club. She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother.

She was full of life and joy & loved the Lord. Her faith in God was strong till the end and evident to all. She was truly a wonderful example to her children and grandchildren and friends.

She is survived by her seven children; daughter, Loretta (David) Nelms, daughter, Connie (Chris) Carter, daughter, Bonnie Haden, daughter, Kim Jarrell, daughter, Cheryl (Jeff) Colsten, son, Samuel (Patricia) Lewis, and daughter, Jennifer (Tom) Donovan; sister, Norma Taylor, brother, George Taylor, sister-in-law, Joyce Loft; Twenty- three grandchildren, thirty three great-grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews, and dear friends. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, DeVonne Lewis, her parents, Clyde and Gladys Taylor, her siblings, Bernice Buck, Jim Taylor, Charles Taylor, Chauncey Taylor, Ava Moody, Patricia Sellers, Morris Taylor, Judy Fuller, and her son-in-law, Eugene Haden.

Friends are invited to meet with the family for a time of visitation on June 7, 2024 from 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m. at Memory Lane Funeral Home (6305 W. Lincoln Hwy, Crown Point, IN 46307). Funeral service to immediately follow at 11:00 a.m. Private family burial will take place at Memory Lane Memorial Park, Crown Point Indiana.

Cemetery Details

Memory Lane Memorial Park

6305 W. Lincoln Highway (US 30)
Crown Point, IN 46307
(219) 322-2050
info.memorylanepark@gmail.com
<https://memorylanepark.com/>

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN 7. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

CB

“ Going missu Ruth u up heaven with my mom.
My dad miss u at church



Cindy Barath - June 10, 2024 at 03:10 PM

BT

“ Brad & Lisa, Dennis & Tamra, & Tony purchased
the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family
of Ruth Lewis.



Brad & Lisa, Dennis & Tamra, & Tony - June 05, 2024 at 09:47
PM

BT

“ Brad & Lisa, Dennis & Tamra, & Tony planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in
honor of Ruth Lewis.

Brad & Lisa, Dennis & Tamra, & Tony - June 05, 2024 at 09:47 PM

JN

“ Judy Intagliata & Jeanne Nymeyer purchased the
Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Ruth
Lewis.



Judy Intagliata & Jeanne Nymeyer - June 05, 2024 at 05:57
PM

RF

“ Roger & Cathy Capps & Family purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Ruth Lewis.



Roger & Cathy Capps & Family - June 05, 2024 at 04:01 PM

YT

“ Your friends at Greater Illinois Title purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Ruth Lewis.



Your friends at Greater Illinois Title - June 05, 2024 at 12:08 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Ruth Lewis.



June 05, 2024 at 09:05 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ruth Lewis.



June 05, 2024 at 06:14 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Ruth Lewis.*



June 04, 2024 at 04:50 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Ruth Lewis.*



June 04, 2024 at 08:44 AM



“ *George and Norma purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Ruth Lewis.*



George and Norma - June 03, 2024 at 10:25 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Ruth Lewis.*



June 02, 2024 at 09:49 PM

TY

“ The Yonans planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruth Lewis.

The Yonans - June 02, 2024 at 09:49 PM

LB

“ We are so sorry for your great loss. Your mom was the sweetest lady, always happy to see us, always with a kind word. I loved how often we got to see her. She had such a peaceful presence. We can all pray to be like her!!

Leslie Bontrager - June 02, 2024 at 12:17 PM

BC

“ Such a sweet lady with a beautiful smile. Always a kind word from a warm heart that reflected the love our Savior has for all of us. My condolences to the precious family members at this difficult time. The Cliver family

Bob Cliver - June 02, 2024 at 09:17 AM

DN

“ Ruth was a joy! We loved both your parents. from Dyer Baptist (18 yrs) Such beautiful souls that loved the Lord! So thankful to have known her. Loved her laugh. It was contagious. I know you will miss her here, but we know she's holding the hand of the One who loves her most!

Dianne Neely - June 01, 2024 at 10:47 PM

MK

“ *Marty and Sheila Kelly purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ruth Lewis.*



Marty and Sheila Kelly - June 01, 2024 at 04:38 PM

TF

“ *So sorry to hear about her passing, but you have the comfort of knowing that she will have a joyous reunion with your dad. They have run the race and will spend eternity together in a glorious place.*

I remember how gracious and accepting your mom and dad were in welcoming me into the family. It was a big family to come into, and their acceptance was a great comfort to me.

All my best wishes,

Terry Fuller

Terry Fuller - June 01, 2024 at 12:07 PM

BH

“ *Byron Helton purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ruth Lewis.*



Byron Helton - May 31, 2024 at 08:49 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ruth Lewis.*



May 31, 2024 at 05:26 PM



“ *Southern AgCredit - Hattiesburg planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruth Lewis.*

Southern AgCredit - Hattiesburg - May 31, 2024 at 05:26 PM



“ *Jeanne lit a candle in memory of Ruth Lewis*



Jeanne - May 31, 2024 at 03:07 PM



“ *I have so many fond memories of Ms. Ruth. The latest was lunch at Jennifer and Tom's home. Ms. Ruth would just starting singing praise and worship songs or quote a favorite verse. Her little expressions,laughter international coffee with sweets will always be remembered and her sugar cookie too. Oh how wonderful to know as much as we are already missing her she is safe at home with the Lord a. God is Faithful.*

Love hugs and prayers to all the family.

Jeanne - May 31, 2024 at 03:05 PM

JB

“ Jennifer Donovan, Jordon/Jonathon Brooks purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ruth Lewis.



Jennifer Donovan, Jordon/Jonathon Brooks - May 31, 2024
at 01:07 PM

RN

“ Rick & Jeanine Nelson purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Ruth Lewis.



Rick & Jeanine Nelson - May 31, 2024 at 10:43 AM

JM

“ Justin Jarrell & John MorteZ purchased the Heavenly Grace Spray for the family of Ruth Lewis.



Justin Jarrell & John MorteZ - May 31, 2024 at 10:04 AM

RY

“ My memory of this precious saint is nothing short of Jesus with skin on it. As the Lord would have it we Texans landed just one street over from the Lewis family. Her one boy Sam and my one boy Lionel became good friends. She and her precious husband were like have family away from home. Loved her and her steadfast love. God bless all of you as you say goodbye for now. I know her absence will be felt deeply for all of you and in many ways. Love and prayers for all of you till we all meet again one day in the sweet bye and bye❤️
Rendie Young

Rendie Young - May 31, 2024 at 09:47 AM

GG

It was such a blessing for me to spend the past 6 months spending time with Ruth as a companion. He was such a sweet soul. I loved spending time with her. We sang old hymns every day. Her and I would spend time praying for her family. I'm going to miss her gentle smile and her sense of humor. Till we meet again. I will cherish time I was honored to spend with her.
Grace Garcia

Grace Garcia - May 31, 2024 at 10:31 AM

CS

“ She was a sweetheart and I remember her 4 daughters singing at church she will be missed, she is in Heaven and Jesus will taken care of her! I will see her on the other side of Heaven! I'm sorry for your lost! Cathy (Bagwell) Schnyder



Cathy Schnyder - May 30, 2024 at 10:10 PM