



Ruth Sandefur

September 29, 1932 - October 5, 2024

Ruth Sandefur, age 92 of Merrillville, IN went to be with the Lord on Saturday, October 5, 2024. She is survived by her loving daughters, Sheila Sandefur and Brenda Doyle; loving son, Steven Sandefur; granddaughters, Kristen Doyle and Kelly (Diego) Doyle Avila; great grandson, Logan Doyle; and several nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by her beloved husband of 56 years, Curtis Sandefur Sr.; son, Curtis Sandefur Jr., five siblings and her parents, Dewey and Maude Purnel.

Ruth lived for Jesus. She was a Sunday School teacher since 1960, served in the Nursing Home Ministry and Witnessed to everyone she had the pleasure to meet. Ruth loved to read her bible, to bake, attend church and loved hummingbirds and cardinals. In her later years, when it was more difficult to travel; she enjoyed chatting with her friends on the phone and receiving mail. Ruth enjoyed a good piece of chocolate and always said "I never met a chocolate I didn't like." What she loved the most in life, was being a wife, mother and grandmother. Her guidance and spirit for life will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

A Funeral Service will be held on Thursday, October 10, 2024 at 12:00PM at Memory Lane Funeral Home, 6305 W Lincoln Highway, Crown Point, IN with Pastor Roy Moffitt officiating. Friends may visit with the family from 11:00 AM until the time of service at noon. Entombment private. The funeral service will be available via Livestream on Memory Lane Funeral Home and Memorial Parks Facebook page on the day of service.

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

Visitation

OCT **10**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Memory Lane Memorial Park & Funeral Chapel created a Webcast in memory of Ruth Sandefur*



Memory Lane Memorial Park & Funeral Home - March 04, 2025 at 06:35 PM

TB

Idiots in family didn't tell me my mom died

Tod bush - March 15, 2025 at 12:16 AM

KR

You're such a coward hiding behind a fake name.

Kristen - September 02, 2025 at 01:43 PM

TH

“ *Mrs Ruth always made me feel so loved and special. Like I was the most important person to her. Her greatness is that she made everyone feel that special. Her family knew that were the cream of the crop to her. But the biggest things about Mrs Ruth is how much she loved her Lord and shared him with others!*

Tammy Hopson - October 09, 2024 at 09:30 PM

JP

So sorry for your loss. Praying for the family.

Jean Peron - October 10, 2024 at 09:06 AM



I wasn't notified about the funeral. There idiots!

Steve Pop - November 12, 2024 at 10:00 PM

KR

I think you meant "they're," but that's ok, we'll let it slide. How sad that you can't even comment under your own name!

So many things I can say, but out of respect to my grandmother, I won't. What I will say is that she prayed every day that you would come back home but instead you chose to walk away. She cried so many tears over you and quite honestly, I can't fathom why! When she died, my sister and I searched for you for MONTHS and even hired a PI. This is so sad.

Kristen - September 02, 2025 at 01:38 PM

SA

“ *Sheila and family, your mom was such a delight. Always dress so beautiful. God bless you all. Sue Minton-Alexander*

Sue Alexander - October 09, 2024 at 04:23 PM



Idiots didn't tell me mom died

Steve Pop - December 07, 2024 at 01:45 AM

KR

You are absolutely ridiculous, coward. Next time comment under your real name.

Kristen - September 02, 2025 at 01:41 PM

MF

“ *Mitch & Hannah Feliciano purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Ruth Sandefur.*



Mitch & Hannah Feliciano - October 08, 2024 at 10:15 AM

BY

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



Byron - October 08, 2024 at 10:12 AM

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“ *Byron planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruth Sandefur.*

Byron - October 08, 2024 at 10:12 AM

JK

“ Justin Kaiser purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Ruth Sandefur.



Justin Kaiser - October 07, 2024 at 05:37 PM

JK

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