



Ruth Ann Hollingsworth

February 11, 1934 - May 20, 2022

Mrs. Ruth Ann Hollingsworth, 88, passed away peacefully on Friday, May 20, 2022, in Lakeland, Florida. She was born In Lebanon, IN on February 11, 1934, a daughter of the late Charles Glenn Peabody and Mildred R. (Ek) Peabody.

She was united in marriage to Jim Hollingsworth on June 12, 1953 at the Old Union Church, rural Jamestown, IN. They celebrated sixty loving years together before his passing on June 21, 2013.

Raised in Boone County, Ruth Ann was a graduate of Pinnell High School, class of 1952. She had performed secretarial duties at various businesses in and around Boone County. She had owned and operated Hollingsworth's Trading Post in Elizaville, Indiana, was an Avon lady in Boone County for more than ten years, and worked at Biddle Screw Products in Sheridan and Indiana Mills and Manufacturing in Westfield before retiring in 1998. She and Jim also worked part-time at Myers Mortuary before moving full time to Florida.

Ruth Ann was a devoted wife, mother and grand-mother. She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star in Sheridan and served as Grand Ruth for the Indiana Grand Chapter. Jim and Ruth Ann also enjoyed square dancing and were members of the Happy Hoppers in Boone County. Ruth Ann was named

Mrs. Personality (Congeniality) in the 1971 Mrs. Boone County Pageant.

Ruth Ann is survived by three sons, Vince (Sharon) of Lebanon, Victor of Lakeland Florida, and Vance of Woodland, Texas; five grandchildren, Steven Hollingsworth, Tyler Hollingsworth, Alexandra Hollingsworth, Gabrielle Hollingsworth, and Caleb Hollingsworth, and one great grandchild, Kamila Wollak. She is also survived by two sisters-in-law, Bee Peabody and Madelyn Peabody, both of Lebanon as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by two grandchildren, Kristin Wollak and Kreigh Hollingsworth; four brothers, John L. Peabody, Harold E. Peabody, David Peabody, and Glenn Robert; and a sister, Dorothy Jean Meenach.

Funeral services are planned for 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 28, 2022, at Myers Mortuary, 1502 North Lebanon Street, Lebanon, Indiana. Visitation will be held from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Friday May 27 at the funeral home with Eastern Star rites beginning at 7:30 p.m. Interment will follow services at Old Union Cemetery in Jamestown, Indiana.

Memorials may be directed in Ruth Ann's memory to Old Union Church or Gideon's, Boone County Chapter.

Cemetery Details

Old Union Cemetery

550 South 500 West
Jamestown, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 27. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Myers Mortuary
1502 North Lebanon Street
Lebanon, IN 46052
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Service

MAY 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Ann Hollingsworth*

November 27, 2022 at 01:43 PM



“ *The smile in her picture says it all about Ruth Ann. She had a beautiful smile and shared it with everyone. She was an Eastern Star friend as well as the mother-in-law of a school colleague. I always felt better around Ruth Ann; she was such a cheerful person. Ruth Ann Hollingsworth just made the world a better place. She will be missed.*

Janet Miller

Janet Miller - May 28, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *For over 20 years Roger & Judy Farver were friends of Jim, Ruth Ann, their boys & grandchildren. Over the years they learned of their love for others, especially through their affiliation with Eastern Star. We feel blessed that we could be friends with Jim & Ruth Ann. They will be missed.*

Roger Farver - May 27, 2022 at 05:41 PM



They loved you to.

victor - June 01, 2022 at 05:13 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Leslie O'Connell - May 27, 2022 at 07:43 AM

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“ Ruth Ann was a wonderful friend and such a joyfull addition to our family. Her kindness and grace was indicitive of how much of a lady she was. Never a bad word for anyone, no matter how much they hurt her. Rest in peace our angel.
The Reed and Mannello Family.

Wendy mannello - May 26, 2022 at 10:30 AM

VI

Thank you Les. She loved your dad. She loved us all!

victor - June 01, 2022 at 05:14 PM

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Victor your mother was a pleasure to meet and she made my Uncle Bill very happy! My mom Elaine Stillert and I Susan Tagliabracci from Sault Ste. Marie Ontario Canada send our sincerest condolences to all of her family. May your memories of one so dear sustain you during this difficult time. 💕💕💕💕

Susan Tagliabracci - June 03, 2022 at 06:57 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Ruth Ann Hollingsworth.*



May 26, 2022 at 10:08 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Ruth Ann Hollingsworth.*



May 26, 2022 at 10:02 AM



“ *We have so many wonderful memories with Jim and Ruth Ann. We have truly been blessed to share their love and friendship for many years. We extend my sympathies to each one of their family members. God Bless. Mike and Beth*

Mike and Beth Rutledge - May 24, 2022 at 04:45 PM



Ruth Ann was a sweet loving person. We enjoyed her bright and cheery personality. We hope the wonderful memories of days gone by will help console the family.

Beverly and Turk Walton - May 26, 2022 at 01:13 PM

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Ruth Ann was the best "step mother" we ever could have dreamed to have. She laughed with us, shared her memories with us, made delicious Queen Elisabeth cakes for us and "sun baked" with us in Florida and at our Sand Bay Cottage in Canada. Wendy is going to make sure that Champ has the best doggie life and never forgets the momma who taught him how to jingle the bell at the door to go out. I will treasure the little angel you gave me forever. We will stay in touch with Victor our "brother from a different mother". He gave caring for you his all and I know how much you loved him. Rest in peace. Love, Leslie (Reed) O'Connell.

Leslie (Reed) O'Connel - May 27, 2022 at 08:19 AM