



Ruth Ellen Myers

November 17, 1939 - April 27, 2021

Ruth Ellen Myers 81, of Chelsea, Michigan, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, April 27, 2021 with her family by her side. Ruth was born November 17, 1939 to the late Clifford and Leona (Sweet) Sanderson. On July 19, 1958 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Bridgewater, MI she married Ralph C. Myers and he survives. In addition to her husband, Ruth is survived by two sons, Brad (Audrey) Myers of Conifer, CO and Brian Myers of Chelsea, MI. She is also survived by her granddaughter Sarah Myers of Denver, CO and sister Shirley Piehl of Ypsilanti, MI. She was preceded in death by her parents, sister Marion Barnes and brother Charles Sanderson. Ruth graduated from Saline High School in 1957. During her lifetime, Ruth worked as a Bookkeeper at Klager Hatchery in Bridgewater, MI. She was a life member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Bridgewater, MI, where she sang in the choir and taught Sunday school for over 50 years. She also held various offices in Ann Arbor West Camp of Gideons International Auxiliary for 35 years. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 11:00 A.M. at St. John's Lutheran Church with Rev. Drexel Morton officiating. A private burial will be held in the St. John's Lutheran Church Cemetery. Memorial contributions in Ruth's name may be made to Gideons International or to St. John's Lutheran Church and envelopes will be available at the church. "God is Good – All the time". To sign Ruth's guestbook, to leave a memory, or for more information or directions please visit www.rbfhsaline.com.

Cemetery Details

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church Cemetery

8805 Austin Road
Bridgewater, MI 48115

Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Ellen Myers*

October 23, 2023 at 01:07 PM



“ *We are defined by what we share in life. Some people just exist, others truly live. Ruth was a woman who lived. I know she will continue to live in the hearts of her family and friends as well as in that higher place.*

God bless.

Susan (Adair) Keezer

Susan Keezer - May 08, 2021 at 10:21 AM



Sorry for your loss, our thoughts and prayers are with you and yours.

Gerry and Margie

Gerry Whitelock - May 14, 2021 at 01:06 PM



“ *Dear Ralph and family,*
I'm so sorry and sad to hear of Ruth's passing. She was so kind, caring and loving. I met you all when the boys were in Scouts with my brothers, Bob and David Carter. Lots of good memories. You are in my prayers and God bless you all.

Sue (Carter) Mulka

Susan M Mulka - May 04, 2021 at 09:57 PM



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



May 03, 2021 at 08:42 PM



“ *Dear Ralph & Family:*

As a member of the Ann Arbor West Auxiliary, we loved Ruth as a sister. She was SO talented; with sewing, quilting, cooking - there didn't seem to be anything that Ruth could not do. She held many offices with the auxiliary for decades. I think that all of the auxiliary would agree that Ruth kept us "in line and on point."

She was a tremendous witness for Christ, and we know we will see her again.

With love and gratitude for Ruth's testimony of faith in Christ,

Barb & Mike Bolt

Barbara Bolt - April 30, 2021 at 10:01 PM

AR

“ Dear Uncle Ralph, Brian and Brad,
Even tho miles and years have stretched between the year I was blessed to live with you and now, the things I learned from all of you have never left my heart. I truly admired my Aunt Ruth for being old-fashioned in so many ways, but at modern and independent woman at the same time! She inspired me to want to cook from scratch, preserve my own food, and sew my own clothing. Self-sufficient skills that are lost on most nowadays.

One of things that has really stuck with me thru the years was when we were sewing my prom dress and I messed up a seam. She told me I needed to rip it out, but I argued and said why, it's on the inside and no one would see it anyway? She insisted and said I would know it was not right and it's not worth doing if I wasn't going to do it right. Well, how can you argue with that? Of course I ripped it out and redid the seam and cannot tell you how many times over the years I have heard her say that in my head when working on projects and thought "well, that's good enough".

She was amazing, strong, funny, kind, fair and an absolutely no-nonsense kind of woman! She left an impression in my heart like no other person could. I will miss her dearly and regret the distance time put between us always.

All my love,
Amy (Sanderson) Rice

Amy Rice - April 30, 2021 at 01:19 PM

DM

“ Sending my deepest sympathy to Ruth's family and friends.
I remember going to their parent's place in Bridgewater to the mule barn to square-dance. Those were good times and happy memories. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Sincerely,
Doris (Lindemann) Miller
Wayne, Michigan



Doris (Lindemann) Miller - April 29, 2021 at 02:03 PM

LR

“ Ralph and Family. We were sorry to hear of Ruth's passing. You are in our thoughts and Prayers. It s been a long time since we have seen you both,but have thought of you often God Bless you all.

Leroy & Sheila Reichenberger - April 29, 2021 at 10:35 AM

EW

“ Ruth my first Sunday School at St. John's. I remember her teaching us the books of the Bible and always putting special emphasis on Ruth. She was a very special person.

Elissa Weidmayer - April 28, 2021 at 09:51 PM

LP

“ Ralph and Family. Ruth was a very welcoming lady, when we joined St Johns. Sarah absolutely Loved her time with "Miss. Ruth" in Sunday school. She will be missed. But as Sarah told me, she is sure Ruth is happy and healthy in Heaven.



Lynda Poet - April 28, 2021 at 02:49 PM