



## Rowena Jeannette Shaw

July 9, 1921 - March 27, 2010

Rowena J. Shaw, age 88, of Goshen, IN formerly of Rensselaer passed away early Saturday March 27, 2010 at Greencroft Health Care Goshen, IN. She was born on July 9, 1921 in Rensselaer, IN to the late Frederick Tyler and Chloe Day Jordan.

She lived most of her life in Rensselaer, had lived in Goshen, IN for the past three years and had resided in Lafayette for five years.

On June 21, 1942 in Rensselaer she married Ralph V. Shaw who passed away September 11, 1986. Rowena graduated from Rensselaer High School class of 1939. Rowena was a switch board operator for three years at the Jasper County Hospital and was also a banquet director at St. Joseph College for four years. She was a member of; The First Presbyterian Church of Rensselaer, Jasper County Hospital Auxillary, Garden Club and Literary Club. Rowena was very active in; Jasper County 4-H, Habitat For Humanity, Rensselaer Good Samaritan Food Pantry and her High School Class Alumni.

Rowena is survived by one daughter, Ardith (Herb) Cleveland of Vandalia, MI, three sons, David T. (Rita) Shaw of Sugar Hill, GA, Ronald D. (Tammy) Shaw of Prspect, Ky, Ryon R. (Renee) Shaw of Flushing, MI, eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.



# Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Rowena Jeannette Shaw



Jackson Funeral Chapels - March 27, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Dave and Rita,  
So sorry to hear about your Mom's passing. I know that my Mom knew her and thought a lot of her.  
So sorry I can't get over to see you at this time. Know that my prayers are with you at this time.  
Love and Hugs to you  
Evy Ingle##imported-begin##Evy Ingle##imported-end##

March 31, 2010 at 08:29 AM



“ Sorry to read of the passing of your mom. I have such great memories of your parents, esp. as our 4-H leaders. I do remember Ardith babysitting & the boys running around with Ronnie. We lost both our parents in 2007, so I'm sure they are all up in Heaven playing cards & having a grand time.

I love the pictures. Thanks for posting them.##imported-begin##Mary Ann (Walter) Stockberger##imported-end##

March 30, 2010 at 11:58 PM



“ David, Ardith, Ron, & Ryon,

*I am so sorry to hear about Aunt Rowena. She will be missed.*

*You are all in our thoughts & prayers.*

*Linda & Chuck###imported-begin##Linda Newton###imported-end##*

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March 28, 2010 at 10:21 AM



“ ryon i am so sorry to hear about your mom passing away. i lost my dad in 2006 from nasal pharnx cancer the 2 years after that i lost my mom in feb of 2008 my thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family during this difficult time carol onder class of 84###imported-begin##carol onder###imported-end##

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March 27, 2010 at 10:39 PM



“ Hey, cousins, sure sorry to hear the news. Your mom was one of my favorite aunts. And you people were the highlight of her life. Whenever I would call or visit, she was so eager to share all of your activities and accomplishments. I can see from the write-up that she had plenty of other projects to keep her busy, too, sharing her love for the world. She had such a zest for life. I feel blessed to have known her. Love, Barbara###imported-begin##Barbara Krumvieda###imported-end##

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March 27, 2010 at 10:19 PM