



Ruth Leona Trudeau

October 1, 1925 - April 25, 2018

Ruth L. Trudeau of Rensselaer, Indiana passed away Wednesday, April 25, 2018, at the Rensselaer Care Center. Ruth was born in Culver, Indiana on October 1, 1925, one of seven children born to Floyd and Leona (Lindzy) Ross. She resided in both Culver and Plymouth, Indiana, moving to Rensselaer in 1948.

Ruth was first married to Donald Devere Fishburn. Donald was killed in 1945 while serving his country in Germany during World War II. Ruth worked during the war at the Glove Factory in Plymouth. She moved to Rensselaer in 1948. Together with her sister and brother-in-law, Clara and Luther Cole, she operated a local taxi service.

On April 16, 1952, in Rensselaer, Ruth married Jerry L. Trudeau. Jerry preceded her in death on June 16, 1983.

Ruth was a member of the Church of the Brethren in Tyner, Indiana and a former 50 year member of the Rensselaer V.F.W. Post #1279 Women's Auxiliary. She was an avid card player and enjoyed being with family and friends.

Surviving Ruth is her loving son, Ross (wife Carol) Fishburn of Rensselaer, four grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, five great-great grandchildren and her sister, Ellen Anderson of North Judson, Indiana. Preceding her in death with her husband Donald and her husband Jerry were her parents, four sisters, one brother.

Friends may call at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer on Monday,

April 30, 2018, from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Funeral services for Ruth will be held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, April 30, 2018, at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer with Pastor Mark Fishburn officiating. Burial will follow at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Rensselaer, Indiana. Contributions in memory of Ruth may be made to the Rensselaer V.F.W. Post #1279.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Calvary Cemetery - Rensselaer

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Rensselaer, IN 47978

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 30. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5123
info@jacksonfuneral.com
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth Leona Trudeau*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - April 27, 2018 at 12:28 PM

BB

“ *Bonnie Taylor Bucher purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Ruth Leona Trudeau.*



Bonnie Taylor Bucher - April 28, 2018 at 03:13 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Ruth Leona Trudeau.*



April 27, 2018 at 04:23 PM

BO

“ Dear Ross, Carol and family sending my deepest condolences to you and yours. She was a grand lady, Lived a long and productive live, Remembering all the fun times at family reunions in Traverse, City & Rensselaer, Remember a lot of us females were pregnant at the same time. Another angel taken gone but never forgotten. Love Bonnie Taylor Bucher,

Bonnie - April 27, 2018 at 01:28 PM

CS

“ Ruth made the best homemade noodles ever! You have our sympathies. Pat & Chris Scheurich and Sarah Mahnesmith

Chris Scheurich - April 27, 2018 at 07:42 AM

DW

“ Doug & Kathy Wilcox lit a candle in memory of Ruth Leona Trudeau



Doug & Kathy Wilcox - April 26, 2018 at 09:04 PM

KW

“ Kathy & Brad Welsh lit a candle in memory of Ruth Leona Trudeau



Kathy & Brad Welsh - April 26, 2018 at 04:07 PM