



Ruth Mae McIntosh

May 9, 1933 - September 23, 2024

Ruth Mae “Ruthie” McIntosh, age 91, of Kankakee, passed away Monday, September 23, 2024 at Miller Healthcare Center in Kankakee.

She was born May 9, 1933 in Kankakee, the daughter of Oscar & Naomi Shreffler Erickson.

She married Earl McIntosh April 24, 1954 at St. Paul’s Lutheran Church in Kankakee. He preceded her in death December 19, 2017.

She was a former OB Nurse at St. Mary’s Hospital in Kankakee, where she worked for 37 years.

She was a member of St. Paul’s Lutheran Church. Ruthie enjoyed golfing, travelling, and gambling.

Surviving are one son, Ron & Cecelia McIntosh of Georgetown, TX; two daughters, Karen & John Niebor of Normal and Kathy Bolt & Dennis Camp of St. Anne; five grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husband, Ruthie is preceded in death by her parents; and two brothers, Clarence “Doc” Erickson and Charles “Chuck” Erickson.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. memorial service on Saturday, October 12, 2024 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

Private family inurnment will be held at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 Hoff Road
Elwood, IL 60421

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

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

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
295 Main St., NW
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
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Tribute Wall

AS

“ *My mom work with Ruth and OB at St Mary's they were good friends and Ruth was always a sweet lady sorry for your loss* ”



Ann Scanlon - October 14, 2024 at 05:31 PM



“ *I will miss Aunt Ruth. She was always soo nice whenever I saw her. She would always remind me that she was the first to hold me when I was born. My thoughts and prayers are with you all! Tim Basham (Roxann's Son, Hilda's Grandson)* ”

Tim Basham - October 09, 2024 at 03:35 PM

TM

“ *Tom Mallaney lit a candle in memory of Ruth Mae McIntosh* ”



Tom Mallaney - September 30, 2024 at 09:13 AM

RS

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.* ”

Rick and Kay Scott - September 29, 2024 at 06:32 PM

KS

“ *Condolences to Ruth's family. She was a fantastic lady and a great nurse. She always had a smile, very kind.*
Kathy Sullivan



Kathy Sullivan - September 28, 2024 at 10:01 AM

MM

“ *MR MRS lit a candle in memory of Ruth Mae McIntosh*



MR MRS - September 28, 2024 at 08:57 AM