



Ruth Arlene Denny

January 31, 1917 - March 1, 2015

Ruth Arlene Denny, age 98 of Bloomington passed away late Sunday afternoon March 1, 2015 at the Garden Villa Health and Rehabilitation Center. She was born January 31, 1917 in Bloomington to Luther Hyde and Blanche Adams Hyde.

In her late teens Ruth had the opportunity to serve a professor's family from Bloomington as their nanny while living in New Orleans, an experience she greatly treasured. Upon returning to Bloomington she married Edwin Denny on December 8, 1939 and remained by his side until his death in the late 1980's.

Ruth was a member of the Clear Creek Christian Church, a member of the Walk-A-Lot Home Economics Club and participated numerous times in the Monroe County 4H Fair displaying her quilts and other handiwork. She was especially proud of her early recycling efforts as she led by example her son's Boy Scout Troop as a Den mother.

She is survived by her sisters Georgia Waterford and Norma Jean Headley, both of Bloomington. She is also survived by granddaughter Chrissy Denny. Ruth was preceded in death by her parents, husband Edwin and son Edwin B. Denny, as well as by her beloved cats

Rocky and Jenny.

Funeral services for Ruth will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30PM at the Allen Funeral Home 4155 South Old Highway 37. Burial will follow in the Clear Creek Cemetery. Visitation will be held on Wednesday evening at Allen Funeral Home from 6:00PM until 8:00PM.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.allenfuneralhome.org.

Tribute Wall

SU

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in God through this difficult time. 2 Corinthians 1:3, 4*

Suzanne L. - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

BD

“ *Dear Georgia and Norma Jean, I am so glad I got to meet and talk to your sister Ruth at Garden Villa. She was a lovely soul who always shared a laugh with me and Mom when we visited her. You were faithful in caring for her to the end and I know she loved you both.*

Brenda and David Polley - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

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“ *We would like to offer our condolences at the passing of Ruth. She was such a beautiful lady with a lot of laughter. She always had a smile when we were at club. She loved to do things with her hands and help other. We will keep you and your family in our thoughts and prayers.*

Sue and Don Conder - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM