



Ruth Jean Ferrell

October 10, 1924 - September 23, 2016

Ruth Jean Ferrell, 91, of Custar, Ohio died Friday night, September 23, 2016 at the Bridge Hospice Care Center, Bowling Green, Ohio.

She was born October 10, 1924 in Westhope, Ohio to the late Arthur and Gertrude (Pratt) Haas. On March 31, 1946 she married Robert S. Ferrell at Westhope Bible Church and he preceded her in death on February 1, 2010.

Ruth Jean was a graduate of Milton Township High School and briefly worked at the former Deshler Farmers Elevator in Custar, Ohio. She was a longtime member of Westhope Bible Church and the local Mental Progress Circle. She volunteered with The American Cancer Society and many local organizations, offering her time and talents when needed. She will be remembered for her devotion to her family, faith and farm. She was a supportive wife to her husband on the family farm and a loving mother to her children. She was blessed to continue these qualities to her many grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She is survived by her children, Ronald (Janet) Ferrell, Manitou Beach, Michigan; Dennis (Julie) Ferrell, Custar and Carol (Craig) Schramm, West Hartford, Connecticut; 7 grandchildren, Scott (Debbie) Ferrell, Morgan (Dan) Rizzo, Katelyn (Nick) Peterson, Benjamin Ferrell, Christopher Ferrell, Brian (Michelle Lescarbeau) Schramm and Michael Schramm; 8 great grandchildren, Breanne; Annabelle; Mary; Brayden; Madelynn; Daniel; Amaya; Dylan; and brother, Charles "Bud" (Dawn) Haas, The Villages, Florida. She was also preceded in death by sisters, Thelma Clausen; Norma Junkins

and brother, Wilbur Haas.

Funeral services are at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Deshler with Pastor Meg Knape officiating. Interment will be in Richfield Township Cemetery and a luncheon will follow at the Westhope Bible Church.

Visitation will be 3-8 p.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home.

The family suggests memorials to Cherry Street Mission.

www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Richfield Township Cemetery

Westhope, OH

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 27. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Napoleon Funeral Home
1010 Westmoreland Avenue
Napoleon, OH 43545
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help@rodenbergergray.com

Service

SEP 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Fellowship Luncheon

SEP **28**. 12:15 PM (ET)

Westhope Bible Church
State Route 65
Westhope, OH

Tribute Wall

CF

“ Dear Ferrell family: We are so sorry to hear of Ruth Jean's passing. She was a lovely lady and was so proud of all of you. My dad, Robert Ferrell, was quite touched by Carol's call the other day, and it was so nice of you to think of him at this difficult time! Your mom is and was so lucky to have all of you in her lives. From Carolyn Ferrell

Carolyn Ferrell - September 28, 2016 at 01:38 PM

EM

“ So sorry for your loss Ron, Dennis and Carol. I have many nice memories of spending time at your home when we were kids. And as others have mentioned, her beef and noodles were amazing. I was so thankful I had a nice chat with her at Oak Grove the last time she was there. Planned on spending a few minutes and an hour and a half later we were still talking. She so enjoyed talking about her grandchildren. And I enjoyed catching up on all of you and your families. She was the last of her generation in our Ferrell family and will surely be missed by many.

Ellen

Ellen McKee - September 26, 2016 at 06:30 PM



“ I have such fond memories of visiting Aunt Ruth and Uncle Bob's cottage(s) out at Devil's Lake with the family in the summertime. Another "stand out" memory is of what a great baker/cook Aunt Ruth always was- yummy cakes and homemade egg noodles, and on and on. She was always so close with her sister, my Grandma Thelma, and they resembled each other so much. She was a great Christian lady. She will be missed, but we all know where she is now!

Linda Drachenberg - September 26, 2016 at 04:51 PM

RB

“ Ron and Mari Blagus purchased the Sapphire Skies Bouquet for the family of Ruth Jean Ferrell.



Ron and Mari Blagus - September 26, 2016 at 04:51 PM

WM

“ With loving thoughts & fond memories... purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Ruth Jean Ferrell.



With loving thoughts & fond memories... - September 26, 2016 at 02:05 PM

SC

“ We have such great memories of this godly woman, her generosity and energy on behalf of family and friends--shared good times at family dinners and summer fun at Devil's Lake. We remember her for beef and homemade noodles, wedding cakes--and winning hands of Rook. Aunt Ruth Jean will be sorely missed by the many who loved her.

Norman & Sue Clausen

Sue & Norm Clausen - September 26, 2016 at 01:20 PM

LB

“ My condollances to the Ferrell family. She was a great woman. I want to thank her for having three great children. A prayer to all of you.. *Leo Briner*

Leo Briner - September 26, 2016 at 12:14 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Ruth Jean Ferrell.*



September 26, 2016 at 09:59 AM