



Miriam Ruth Rollison

March 1, 1934 - March 16, 2021

Miriam Ruth Rollison was a loving and dedicated wife and mother, and young at heart grandmother. Family was at the center of her life, and her legacy of love and compassion will be carried on by her loved ones. Miriam passed away on March 16, 2021 at her home in Bloomfield, Indiana at the age of 87.

Miriam was born March 1, 1934 in Lyons, Indiana, one of 12 children of Luther and Flossie Nichols. Miriam and her husband Laverne were married for over 68 years. They enjoyed a life of family, church, and travel as they raised their four children, Rob (Diana), Randy (Kay), Kris (Dale), and Kent (Anne). Miriam is survived by her beloved husband and their 4 children, 7 grandchildren, 6 great-grandchildren, as well as 5 of her siblings and many nieces and nephews.

Miriam and Laverne have been very active members of the First Baptist Church in Bloomfield for over 64 years, where she played piano and organ and taught Sunday School for many years. Her musical generosity and dedication to her church community was endless and inspiring. She and Laverne were also long-serving Directors and supporters of Shawnee Summer Theatre.

Miriam created beauty through her music, her gardens, and the loving relationships she had with each member of her family. She embodied love,

grace, and kindness.

Due to Covid, the memorial service will be private for family only. For those who wish to honor her memory through charitable donation, Miriam and Laverne were long-time supporters of Shriners Hospitals for Children and St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Cemetery Details

Prairie Chapel Cemetery

Lyons, IN

Tribute Wall

MR

“ So Sorry for your loss.
The former Mrs.Everett L. Rose,Sr.

Mrs. Everett Rose - April 26, 2021 at 11:28 PM

KK

“ So sweet and kind, I will always remember Miriam as such a classy lady. The love she had for her family was so obvious and I cannot remember a need at Shawnee that she let go unfulfilled. Our prayers go out to Laverne and your wonderful family. May God’s love fill the void in your hearts.

Kevin & Susan Kramer - March 26, 2021 at 07:02 AM

MW

“ Mike & Karen Wathen purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Miriam Ruth Rollison.



Mike & Karen Wathen - March 22, 2021 at 02:38 PM

RB

“ What an extraordinarily kind person she was. I was friends with her daughter and when she would see me out in public, she would ask me if I needed anything. She told me that her family was always there for me. What a kind, caring and thoughtful human being. I was heartbroken when I heard she had passed.

Roxanne Bailey - March 21, 2021 at 09:16 AM

LO

“ *My sincere condolences to you all. Miriam was always kind and welcoming to us kids when we were at your home, or out and about. She was special.*

Lynn Oliver - March 19, 2021 at 06:34 PM

ZR

“ *Zeb And Janet Rush lit a candle in memory of Miriam Ruth Rollison*



Zeb and Janet Rush - March 19, 2021 at 04:33 PM

MG

“ *My earliest memories of Miriam are from Bloomfield Baptist Church when I was a child and as a Brownie leader with my mom. She also was gracious to my mom during some hard times. A life of service and a life well-lived. My deepest condolences to Kris and the rest of the family. God bless you.*

Marilea Grider - March 19, 2021 at 04:20 PM

BS

“ *A very special and classy lady! Condolences to her many friends and family members.*

Brenda Baker Strange

Brenda G Strange - March 19, 2021 at 02:10 PM

RA

“ I remember Miriam when I was a child and the family lived on Indiana Avenue and I would come up and play with Robbie and Randy. She was such a nice and kind lady. I still remember her then after all the years that have passed. It is a tribute to her.

Heaven has gained another light.

My God's comfort be with all the family now and in the days to come.

Roger Axe - March 19, 2021 at 08:13 AM

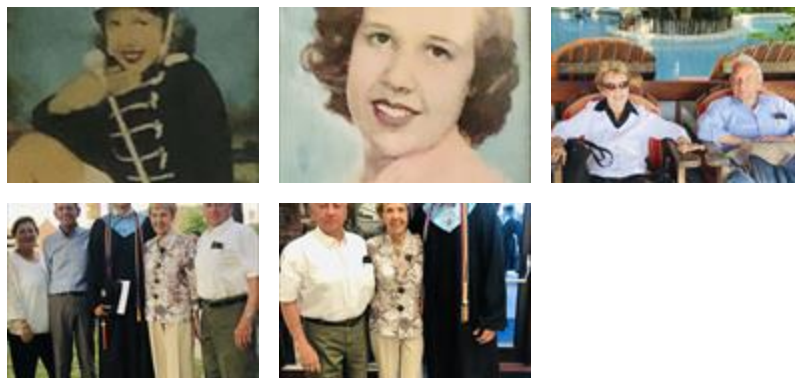
NB

“ Such sad news for us still living here on earth. But am sure she is with God and anting peace. She will be missed very much by so many of us. My heartfelt sympathy to the entire family. Prayers!

Nancy Brinson - March 18, 2021 at 09:30 PM

BR

“ 8 files added to the tribute wall



Barbara Rollison - March 18, 2021 at 08:06 PM

KC

“ Kevin & Debbie Crane lit a candle in memory of Miriam Ruth Rollison



Kevin & Debbie Crane - March 18, 2021 at 07:54 PM

KE

“ To the family: So sorry for your loss of such a wonderful person. I used to play tennis with her at her home. Fun to be with and so very sweet. May God wrap each of you in a comforting hug during this difficult time. God bless, Kenny and Betty Edwards

Kenneth and Betty Edwards - March 18, 2021 at 07:47 PM

SS

“ Miriam was a wonderful woman and loved her church and family. She was a take charge person when it came to her siblings and family, willing to help in everyway. She will be missed by many. We love you Aunt Chub as we know her. God will have a wonderful soul at his side.

Sherry & Sara - March 18, 2021 at 07:22 PM

DR

“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Dee Rillo - March 18, 2021 at 06:35 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Miriam Ruth Rollison.*



March 18, 2021 at 03:21 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Miriam Ruth Rollison.*



March 18, 2021 at 03:18 PM



“ *Miriam was one of the most beautiful, intelligent, funny, kind, compassionate Women to ever walk this earth. So very honored to have been a part of her Family. God's loving arms around you, always, Beautiful Soul. May God help you, Mama, and Mom Terrell take good care of each other, until we can all be together, again. Love always, Suzanne*
XOXO ❤️❤️❤️❤️

Suzanne Simnick Thurman - March 18, 2021 at 03:01 PM



“ 2 files added to the album *Miriam Rollison*



Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - March 18, 2021 at 02:54 PM



“ *When I think of Aunt Chub I think of such a classy lady, so giving, so nice, a smile that seems to always be there and will continue to be with all the memories. They say you die twice, one when you take your last breath, and one when they say your name for the last time .. Aunt Chub will live on for many years with all the lives she has touched. Love you Aunt Chub, say hi to grandma and grandpa for me* ❤️

Jon Taylor - March 18, 2021 at 02:39 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



kent - March 18, 2021 at 01:43 PM

SS

“ I am crushed to hear that Miriam has passed away. I know Jesus has gathered her with open arms and that she is in heaven with our other loved ones, but it is so sad to not have her here. Miriam we will miss you so much in every place you were so present every where in every thing. I will miss you, you were so dear, so concerned. I'm at a loss I feel so empty. Laverne, I ache for you, knowing that Miriam has been a part of your life for such a long time. Forgive me for going on, but Miriam was such a dear friend, she will be missed by all her knew her.

Sue Sanford

Sue Sanford - March 18, 2021 at 12:53 PM

KE

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Kent - March 18, 2021 at 12:40 PM

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Kent - March 18, 2021 at 12:12 PM

PA

“ I'm heartbroken. Chub was such a wonderful, beautiful and classy lady inside and out. She & my mother were special friends. I have so many precious memories. She will be missed by so many like myself who loved her dearly. Prayers of comfort and strength for Laverne & all the family.

Pam Allen - March 18, 2021 at 11:36 AM



“ My deepest condolences to the family. Miriam was such a wonderful lady. When I was a newcomer to the community and attended the first Baptist Church looking for a home she stepped forward and embraced not only myself but my entire family. She made sure that we were comfortable, needed nothing and was welcomed into her and Laverne's home! Beautiful memories were made with a beautiful family. Peggy Blakley and Family

Peggy Blakley - March 18, 2021 at 11:05 AM

ST

“ *Such a classy lady!! Huge part of this community for a very long time. Prayers for the family 🙏*

Sherry (Helms) Terrell - March 18, 2021 at 08:30 AM

GT

A beautiful, sweet, loving Aunt. I will miss her very much.

Gail Teegarden - March 18, 2021 at 10:49 AM

SM

Miriam was such a special, kind person. She always had a beautiful smile and time for a chat. I will miss seeing her and pray for God's comfort and strength for Laverne and the family.

Sally Markam - March 18, 2021 at 04:01 PM



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Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - March 18, 2021 at 08:26 AM