



Ruth Katherine Runge

October 11, 1927 - August 23, 2014

Ruth K. Runge

RACINE – Ruth Katherine (nee: Kramer) Runge, 86, passed away on Saturday, August 23, 2014 at Franciscan Villa in So. Milwaukee. Ruth was born on October 11, 1927, the daughter of the late Harry and Johanna (nee: Barwich) Kramer. On February 4, 1950 she was united in marriage to Marshall L. Runge. Ruth had been employed with Racine Unified School District as a library aide for several years. She was a charter member of Mount Pleasant Lutheran Church and was a former volunteer for St. Luke's Hospital Auxiliary and Lincoln Lutheran Auxiliary. Ruth loved to travel extensively throughout the United States and Europe. She also enjoyed gardening, golfing and musical productions.

Ruth is survived by her children, Peggy A. Runge of Bellevue, KY and Jeffrey R. (Constance J.) Runge of Oak Creek; grandchildren, Elaine P. Runge, Colleen M. Runge and David R. Runge all of Oak Creek, sister-in-law, Elaine R. Wieman of Racine. She is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and dear friends.

Ruth was preceded in death by her husband, Marshall on December 5, 1995, daughter, Susan R. Runge on April 24, 2002; brothers and sisters, Desire (Ewald) Elbe, Harry (Ruth) Kramer, Sherman (Lucille) Kramer and Jeannette, (Eugene) LaCroix.

Memorial services for Ruth will be held at Mount Pleasant Lutheran Church, 1700 Green Bay Rd. on Tuesday, September 2, 2014 at 11 a.m. Ruth will be

laid to rest at Caledonia Memorial Park in a private ceremony. Visitation will be held at church from 10:00 a.m. until service time at 11 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, those wishing to remember Ruth in a special way may direct donations to Alliance for the Mentally Ill, 2300 Dekoven Ave., Racine, WI 53403 or Lincoln Lutheran Auxiliary, 2000 Domanik Drive, Racine, WI 53404.

Cemetery Details

Caledonia Memorial Park

Caledonia, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Mt. Pleasant Lutheran Church
1700 Green Bay Road
Racine, WI 53405

Memorial Service

SEP 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth Katherine Runge*



Sturino Funeral Home - August 29, 2014 at 02:34 PM

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“ *I was privileged to know Ruth thru the Bristol Swingers Golf League. She was a true friend and ever a lady. She will be well remembered. With Sympathy.*

Marilyn Tercek

marilyn tercek - August 29, 2014 at 12:19 PM

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“ *I GOLFED WITH RUTHIE AT BRISTOL OAKS AND SHE WAS ONE OF THE NICEST AND SWEETEST LADIES I HAVE MET. WE WERE ON A FEW COMMITTEE TOGETHER.*

*MY PRAYER ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY
DELORES MARINELLI*

Delores Marinelli - August 28, 2014 at 04:20 PM

HS

“ *Ruth was a classy lady! She always looked just so and had a smile for everyone. After talking with her, you felt good for sharing time with her. She will be missed!*

Our prayers are with you all!

Harold and Lois Solberg

Mt. Pleasant Lutheran Church

Harold and Lois Solberg - August 27, 2014 at 03:53 PM