



Jennie Lucille Ruthers

February 10, 1919 - October 13, 2024

Jennie “Lucille” Ruthers, age 105 of St. Clairsville, OH passed away Sunday, October 13, 2024 at her home.

She was born February 10, 1919 in Pleasant Grove, OH the daughter of the late Forrest and Roena “Belle” Gotshal Wheeler,

Lucille retired from the US Postal Service in Bellaire where she was a suburban rural carrier and also worked at Krogers in Wheeling.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Bellaire where she at one time was a Sunday school teacher and volunteered for The Living Bread Kitchen.

She also served as a Girl Scout Leader and Band Mom, catered for The House of Catering; enjoyed quilting and making pumpkin rolls at Christmas time, but above all she just loved being with her family whom she loved dearly, especially her grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, William Ruthers; a daughter, Janet Leonard; and infant son, Billy Ruthers; four brothers, Watson, Alvie, Allen and Carl Wheeler; two sisters, Marie Wheeler and Lillian Moore and a son in law, Tom Owings.

Survivors include a son, Bruce (Barb) Ruthers of Bridgeport, OH; two daughters, Linda Owings of St. Clairsville, OH and Beth Ruthers of Columbus, OH; nine grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Family would like to express their sincere appreciation to Valley Hospice and

her nurse, Demtria for their care.

Family will receive friends on Thursday from 2pm -7pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Thirty-Third Street, Bellaire, OH where funeral services will be held on Friday at 11am with Pastor Phil Bliss officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to: Valley Hospice, 10686 SR 150, Rayland, OH 43943.

Interment in Greenwood Cemetery, Wheeling, WV.

Cemetery Details

Greenwood Cemetery

Wheeling, WV 26003

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 17. 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - Bellaire
400 33rd Street
Bellaire, OH 43906
(740) 676-3155
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

Funeral Service

OCT 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Bellaire, OH 43906
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Tribute Wall



“ *Grisell Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Jennie Lucille Ruthers*



Grisell Funeral Homes - October 15, 2024 at 07:49 PM



“ *Talashia, Gabriel, Henk, Kay and Dimitri purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Jennie Lucille Ruthers.*



Talashia, Gabriel, Henk, Kay and Dimitri - October 17, 2024 at 08:54 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Jennie Lucille Ruthers.*



October 16, 2024 at 04:54 PM

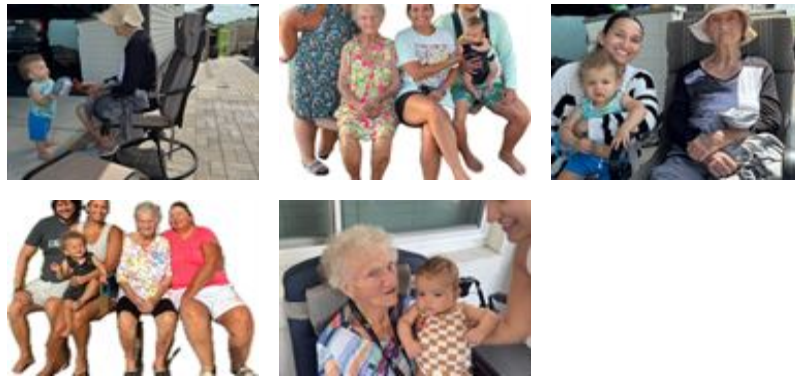
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“ *Such an amazing person! Our neighbor and friends growing up. Whiffle ball games and hot dogs on an open fire and singing songs all together around the fire. Taught us all a lot at such an early age. Rest easy Mrs. Ruthers*

Pete Wiggins - October 16, 2024 at 03:22 PM



“ *9 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Grisell Funeral Homes - October 16, 2024 at 12:13 PM

JA

“ *In age, I'm between Janet and Beth. but I will always remember your Mom and my Mother taking care of the Girl Scouts after Mom was done with Cub Scouts back in the good old days. Those 2 came up with so many good things for them. I almost forgot about her being a rural mail "lady" when mostly only men did that job..She was always busy. Keep those memories of good times close to your hearts.*

Jeff Alexander - October 15, 2024 at 04:53 PM

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“ Colleen and Brad Conrad purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jennie Lucille Ruthers.



Colleen and Brad Conrad - October 15, 2024 at 09:15 AM

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“ Colleen and Brad Conrad planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jennie Lucille Ruthers.

Colleen and Brad Conrad - October 15, 2024 at 09:15 AM

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“ I remember her as a loving person and one who truly loved her Lord and was an inspiring Sunday school teacher which I got to find out first hand God Bless you Mrs ruthers RIP

Terri Davis Littleton - October 14, 2024 at 10:27 PM



“ I met Mrs Ruthers when we started going to the Brooks Run Methodist church she would always come and talk to us always so sweet and kind we often talked about my cousin who lived next door to her!
My thoughts and Prayers are with you all she was a wonderful lady!
Karen And Roger Connors

Karen O'Connors - October 14, 2024 at 08:44 PM

BR

I'm so sorry for your loss ! I have known Mrs Ruthers most of my life went to school with Janet, My prayers hugs and love to Linda,Beth , and Bruce and their families She was a great lady. Love Barbara (Morris) Russell

Barbara (Morris) Russell - October 14, 2024 at 09:41 PM

DA

“ *My sincere and humble condolences to the family and friends of Mrs. Ruthers. Denny Albaugh*

Dennis R Albaugh - October 14, 2024 at 08:15 PM



“ *Peace Eternal Wreath was purchased for the family of Jennie Lucille Ruthers.*



October 14, 2024 at 05:16 PM

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“ *The Lindberg, Hayes, and Jenkins Familie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jennie Lucille Ruthers.*

The Lindberg, Hayes, and Jenkins Familie - October 14, 2024 at 05:16 PM