



## Ruth E. Ferguson

August 26, 1935 - May 7, 2011

Ruth Ferguson August 26, 1935 ~ May 7, 2011 Ruth Eileen Ferguson of Vancouver, WA, joined her beloved husband John L. Ferguson in eternal rest on May 7, 2011 with her sister Linda and brother Mike at her bedside. She was born Aug. 26, 1935 in Lincoln, NE. She moved to Vancouver, WA. as a young child. After graduation from Evergreen High School, Ruth married John L. Ferguson on July 2, 1955. Together Ruth and Jack traveled the globe with the Navy. During their travels, they raised four children, Ron, Tom, Kevin, and Sheila. Ruth was an excellent cook, cake decorator and hostess. She enjoyed reading, gardening, listening to music and spending time with her family. The family would like to thank the staff at the Ray Hickey Hospice House for their compassionate care in her final days. Ruth was the beloved mother of Ronald (Kris) of Vancouver, WA, Thomas (Rhonda) of Amboy, WA, Kevin (Susan) of Mulberry, AR, and Sheila (Patrick) Timmins of South Lyon, MI. She was blessed with 14 grandchildren: Alexander, Katie, Robin, Willene, Wade, Scott, Eric, Amanda, Sharlet, Jeremy, Jaime, Alisha, Rebecca, and Sarah. She also had 25 great grandchildren Jonathan, Issac, Loie, David, Adam, Rose, Kevin, Michael, Chazlyn, Daniel, Dakota, Teven, Anna Lynn, Katie, Lindsey, Emma, Helen, Jonathon, Spencer, Dakota, Aspen, Timothy, Abigail, Brendan, and Elizabeth. Her sister Linda Ruecker, brothers Robert and Michael Bridger and a large extended family will miss her as well. Ruth's husband of 26 years, John L. Ferguson, passed away in 1982. Viewing will be Friday, May 13, from 12 pm - 9:00 pm; Saturday, May 14 and Sunday, May 15, from 9:00 am - 9:00

pm. Private Burial will be Monday. There will be a memorial service to celebrate Ruth's life on Saturday, June 4, 2011. Service will be at the Evergreen Memorial Gardens Chapel at 12:30pm. In Lieu of flowers, contributions should go to the Multiple Sclerosis Society or the Ray Hickey Hospice House.

# Tribute Wall



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**Evergreen Memorial Gardens** - July 03, 2025 at 04:20 PM



“ *Lois was Ruth's classmate and neighbor. She sends her sympathy to Ron and the family.*

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**Lois McMillan Jones** - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mom, The grace of God shined in our lives when he choose you to be our mother. Within your heart God gave the gift of "life", and you shared your gift with all that came to know you. Growing up in your care we were so blessed as you showed us how to live life to the fullest. Through your eyes, as you sought ways to brighten our lives, we could see the love that lived in you. We now do our best to try and share that same love with our families. But we will never forget where we learned it from. As you now join dad in heaven we pray that the joy that you so willingly shared is now poured out to you in return. Thanks for the memories mom. God bless our mother, she was one of your finer creations. Love always, Tom, Rhonda & family*

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**Thomas Ferguson** - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the Family, I am so sorry for your loss. Give each other all the time and support they need to grieve. Sheila, Kevin, Tom, Ron remember to treat each other with care this is a difficult time for all, though some are miles away while others are close at hand, the pain is the same. Make your mother proud that will be the last gift you can give her. Tell a story, laugh, cry, but never forget that she loved all of her family.

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**Cathy Dunford (Timmins)** - May 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mom, You were always a wonderful 2nd mother to me and you touched my life & heart in so many special ways....thank you for giving birth to Kevin, I love him with all my heart. May God welcome you into heaven and reunite you with your beloved husband and give you the peace you have wanted for so very long. I love you.  
Susan

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**Susan Ferguson** - May 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Grandma, You where a very special grandma and you meant very much to me. You made me feel special and gave me good advice that I will always remember. I will always miss you very much but I also know you wanted to be with Grandpa. I Love you Very much!  
Sharlet

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**Sharlet Ferguson** - May 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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**Sharlet Ferguson** - May 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ I would like to send my condolences to you all. I am Kevin's step daughter and I am signing this for myself and my two sons, Spencer and Dakota. Grandma and I wrote back in forth for awhile until it got to painful for her to write. She will be greatly missed and always loved.

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**Amanda Nichols** - May 11, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mom, Give dad a hug for me. I love you. Sheila

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**Sheila Timmins** - May 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KF

“ Mom, May you find the happiness and peace you have been waiting for with Dad in Heaven. Love, Kevin

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**Kevin R Ferguson** - May 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM