



Ruth Irene Hughes

March 11, 1947 - July 7, 2019

Ruth Irene Hughes, age 72 of Jackson, passed away on Sunday, July 7, 2019 at the OSU Medical Center – Hospice of Central Ohio in Columbus. She was born in Jackson County on March 3, 1947 to the late David Edward Burt and Lucy “Ellen” (Arthur) Burt.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Charles Hayden Hughes; brothers: Ralph, Harold, David “Cerdic”, Carl and Johnny Burt; sisters: Thelma Jean Imes and Virginia Burt.; and a son-in-law, Douglas Prater.

She is survived by her sons: Charles Hayden Hughes Jr. (Margie), Dexter Elliott Hughes (Mahalia) and Richard Duane Hughes (Pattie); and daughters: Teresa Darlene Stem (Donald) and Melissa Ann Prater. Also surviving are several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and sisters-in-law: Frances and Myra Burt.

Ruth was a member of Emmanuel House of Refuge, a member of St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, and a member of the McDonald's Coffee Club of Jackson.

Funeral services will be held at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home on Thursday, July 11th at 1:00 p.m. with Wilford Gillem officiating. Burial will

follow at Fairmount Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Wednesday, July 10th from 4:00 – 8:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Condolences may be sent to the family at: www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Fairmount Cemetery

12 Fairmont St
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-2090

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home
135 Broadway Street
Jackson, OH 45640
(740) 286-4161

Service

JUL 11. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TS

“ Momma I can't talk to you so I come here to talk to you I miss and love you so much this past couple of months I sure needed you so so bad people say it gets easier well I don't believe that for a minute I always called you when I had a question or have a hard thing I'm going threw I just really need you so much you always have a solution to help me please momma I'm going threw something really hard right now I need to have a chat with you I have never felt so alone in my whole life as I do now my husband is fighting a battle with cancer and one of my babies don't want anything to do with me please give me signs you hear me please I need a sign your here with me love you momma and miss you dearly

Teresa Stem - October 08, 2022 at 03:47 AM

TS

Well momma today your niece Lori Sturgill passed away she coming to be with you all some times life just isn't fair but she was suffering for a few years but now she is at peace just like your whole family is now I hope you get to see your family soon I miss and love you so much

Teresa Stem - June 19, 2023 at 08:44 AM

TS

“ Momma I finally got your graves all cleaned up now Tuesday I will decorate all of you up I miss you so much it's just not the same here without I think of you every day there truly isn't a day go by that I don't think of you and wondering if there was something I could have done different and you would still be here with us

Teresa Stem - January 11, 2021 at 11:35 AM

TS

“ I miss you so much mamma never in my life would I ever thought you be gone always thought you would always be around it's the hardest thing I ever have to live threw knowing I would never see or hear your voice or touch or talk to you again it's a pain that never goes away I love you mom I miss our phone calls our little talk and really miss your advice love you and miss you more then words ever could express

Teresa Stem - January 24, 2020 at 10:41 AM

TS

“ Teresa Stem sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Irene Hughes



Teresa Stem - January 24, 2020 at 10:35 AM

TS

“ Teresa Stem lit a candle in memory of Ruth Irene Hughes



Teresa Stem - January 24, 2020 at 10:34 AM

TS

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Teresa Stem - October 18, 2019 at 01:35 AM

TS

I miss you so much some days I can't breathe I love you so much

Teresa Stem - October 18, 2019 at 01:37 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ruth Irene Hughes.*



July 10, 2019 at 04:16 AM

JM

“ *Rich, Melissa and family,
I am so sorry for your loss. Your mom was a sweetheart.
Jenny Marietta*

Jenny Marietta - July 09, 2019 at 09:35 AM

JC

“ *Joyce Cassidy lit a candle in memory of Ruth Irene Hughes*




Joyce Cassidy - July 08, 2019 at 08:22 PM

KK

“ *Kim Robinson And Charles Koonce lit a candle in memory of Ruth Irene Hughes*




kim robinson and charles koonce - July 08, 2019 at 07:34 PM


Sandra
Kay
Mcmanis

“ *She will be truly missed. she just about raised me and my two brothers. she bought all my school clothes when i started high school. i loved her dearly.*

Sandra Kay Mcmanis - July 08, 2019 at 07:25 PM


Sandra
Kay
Mcmanis

“ *Sandra Kay Mcmanis sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Irene Hughes*



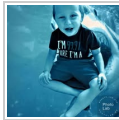
Sandra Kay Mcmanis - July 08, 2019 at 07:17 PM



“ *Melissa Prater sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Irene Hughes*



Melissa Prater - July 08, 2019 at 03:28 PM



She was a very special lady and a mother to a lot of people when we were kids we would have a lot of kids at are house and that all cared for her like a mother to them .and I have alot of memories with her of my own she was my best friend I could go to her anytime and talk to her she had all the right answer that it was honest and true she never meet a stranger she loved everyone R.I.M mom I loved you with my heart

Melissa Prater - July 08, 2019 at 03:38 PM



“ *Melissa Prater lit a candle in memory of Ruth Irene Hughes*

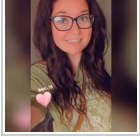


Melissa Prater - July 08, 2019 at 03:23 PM

MM

“ *One of the kindest women i ever knew. i will never forget that purple heart necklace you gave me when i was young. Your family was so good to you and loved you so much. You will be missed but never forgotten. Love you aunt Ruthie. I had such high hopes you were coming home again. So glad i got to see you and talk on the phone with you. Love you always your niece Marsha.*

marsha mckenzie - July 08, 2019 at 02:52 PM



“ *This was our favorite place to go every year was Tennessee for our family vacations, Love you so much grandma* ”



Kristian Bentley - July 08, 2019 at 11:59 AM