



Ruth Ann Ross Sampson

October 2, 1942 - February 22, 2015

Ruth Ann Ross Sampson, age 72 years, a resident of rural Grantsburg, Illinois, passed away Sunday morning, February 22, 2015, at Lourdes Hospital in Paducah, Kentucky.

Ruth was born October 2, 1942 near Vienna. She was the daughter of John D. "Buck" Ross and Inez (Haden) Ross.

On August 11, 1962, Ruth was united in marriage to Guy Louis Sampson at Pleasant Ridge Church near Vienna. He preceded her in death on March 6, 2011.

Survivors include: her mother – Inez Ross of Vienna; her sons – Chad Louis Sampson and Brian Louis (Melinda) Sampson of Grantsburg; 2 grandsons – Clay Louis Sampson and Cole Louis Sampson; 2 sisters – Barbara Ackmann of Buncombe and Louise (Hughye) Thomas of Simpson; 3 brothers – Richard (Evelyn) Ross of Cypress, Lowell Ross of Simpson, and Jim (Kay) Ross of Vienna; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and many dear friends.

In addition to her husband and father, Ruth was preceded in death by a brother-in-law – Arthur Ackmann; a sister-in-law – Sue Ross; and a nephew – Allan Ackmann.

Ruth was a graduate of Vienna High School. She was a dedicated homemaker and Shawnee Alliance For Seniors volunteer. Ruth enjoyed gardening, bird watching, and reading romance novels. She was an avid Chicago Cubs fan. Ruth was a member of the Red Hat society as well as the Simpson Baptist Church.

Ruth is fondly remembered as a loving and devoted Daughter, Mother, Grandmother and Sister. She always enjoyed helping others.

Funeral services were held Saturday, February 28, 2015, at 11 AM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Pastor Billy Thomas officiated. Burial was in the Pleasant Ridge Cemetery, north of Vienna.

Visitation began at 5 PM Friday, February 27, 2015, at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Memorials may be made to the Johnson County Youth League Football Program, P.O. Box 869, Vienna, IL 62995.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Ridge Cemetery

Vienna, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 5:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
Vienna, IL 62995
(618) 658-2311
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com
<https://baileyfh.com>

Service

FEB 28. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Ann Ross Sampson*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *She was a very special cousin. When I was somewhere around 8 or 9 she would take me to church, drive-in theatre, or the theatre in Vienna. I slept many a night at her house and idolized her and loved her so much.*

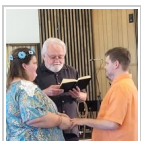
Jane Ross-Wright - March 07, 2015 at 11:07 PM



“ *Karen Okazaki lit a candle in memory of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson*



Karen Okazaki - March 01, 2015 at 04:20 PM



“ *Ceirra Russell lit a candle in memory of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson*



Ceirra Russell - February 25, 2015 at 08:56 AM

RS

“ Rickey Harner And Sandra lit a candle in memory of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson



rickey harner and sandra - February 24, 2015 at 08:44 AM

RH

from the HARNER FAMILY -SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS AND HEAVENS GAIN

rickey harner and sandra HARNER - February 24, 2015 at 08:45 AM

DH

“ Dennis & Pat HRNER lit a candle in memory of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson



Dennis & Pat HRNER - February 24, 2015 at 06:51 AM



“ I am going miss you I'll miss our laughs n taking care of you rest in peace u always be in my heart

Carla Grant - February 23, 2015 at 03:50 PM

ME

“ Mark And Ginger Endrizzi lit a candle in memory of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson



Mark and Ginger Endrizzi - February 23, 2015 at 12:34 PM

BH

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Bailey Funeral Home - February 23, 2015 at 11:48 AM

FB

“ *Faye Bowman lit a candle in memory of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson*



Faye Bowman - February 23, 2015 at 09:52 AM

LC

“ *Larry Choate lit a candle in memory of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson*



Larry Choate - February 23, 2015 at 09:19 AM

HD

“ *WE ARE SOO SORRY!*

Heather Treat Memorial Directors - February 23, 2015 at 08:07 AM

JF

“ So sorry to hear the passing of Ruth.
Thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Richard and Joan Owen



Joan Faulkner - February 23, 2015 at 07:59 AM

DH

“ Dallas And Charlene Harner lit a candle in
memory of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson



Dallas and Charlene Harner - February 23, 2015 at 05:31 AM

CH

“ Charles Harner sent a virtual gift in memory of
Ruth Ann Ross Sampson



charles harner - February 23, 2015 at 05:28 AM

JT

“ JACK TRAVELSTEAD lit a candle in memory
of Ruth Ann Ross Sampson



JACK TRAVELSTEAD - February 22, 2015 at 10:04 PM