



Ruth Lavern Dartt

September 18, 1908 - January 22, 2013

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New Harmony, Indiana

Ruth Lavern Dartt, 104, born September 18, 1908 in Indianapolis, Indiana to the late Frederick and Dr. Abigail (Shortess) Oberlies, passed away January 22, 2013 at New Harmonie Healthcare, in New Harmony, Indiana.

Ruth's father died when she was a very young child. Her mother remarried to Frank Ruston and her family moved to Ft. Branch, Indiana. She graduated from Ft. Branch High School in 1925.

Ruth worked for several employers, during her working years, some include: Karl K. Kneckt, Miskel Wolfinger, the Kresge Co. and the K-Mart on Evansville's west side.

Ruth was an organist and Sunday school teacher at the First Avenue Presbyterian Church in Evansville. She was an artist, poet and loved to crochet and knit. She enjoyed gardening and filled her homes with African Violets. She loved cats, especially her longtime friend Rusty.

She was preceded in death by her father; stepfather; mother; first husband: George Land; second husband: Robert Dartt; twin sister: Carmen Lucille whom died at birth; 4 step daughters: Eola Schumann, Harriett Fraley, Marilyn Price and I.J. Dartt and one step grandchild: David Green.

Ruth is survived by one stepdaughter: Inez Stanley of California; seven step grandchildren: Steve Schumann of Florida, Nancy Schumann of Ohio, Richard

Green of North Carolina, Mike Green of Alaska, Rebecca Bollens and Melissa Fuller both of California and Scott Price of New Harmony, Indiana; 6 step great grandchildren and 2 step great great grandchildren.

Graveside funeral services will be held 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, January 30, 2013 at Enfield Cemetery in Enfield, Illinois.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Posey County Humane Society, 6500 S. Leonard Rd., Mt. Vernon, Indiana 47620.

Cemetery Details

Enfield Cemetery

777 S. 1st Street
Enfield, IL 62835

Previous Events

Service

JAN 30. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Lavern Dartt*

October 06, 2023 at 09:05 AM



“ *I remember Ruth playing the organ at FAPC when I was a little girl. I'm 62 now and will always have fond memories of her.
Sandy Stremming (Dorothy Bekemeier's daughter)*

Sandy Stremming - January 28, 2013 at 11:46 PM



“ *Ruth was our neighbor on Ravenswood Dr. and we remember so many things about Ruth such as for many years, she was sitting at the table when we went to vote and ,we remember that she used to say" i can't believe that i'm this old." she drove long after many couldn't and her mind was so clear that she was a good driver. i remember her cat Rusty. i went to see Ruth one time at the nursing home in New Harmony and felt guilty because i couldn't make it back. we often see one of her other neighbors, Bernice & Oscar Pickles. Ruth was always a good neighbor whenever anyone was sick and needed help. she will be missed.*

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