



## Ruth E. Myers Herman

August 1, 2017

Ruth E. Myers Herman went home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, August 1, 2017. Born on February 1, 1927, she was the youngest daughter of the late Hiram and Louisa White Myers.

After receiving her education at the North Star School, Ruth was employed with the Hamilton Watch Company. While working for the Hamilton Watch, Ruth met, dated and married John H. Herman, Jr. on October 6, 1951.

Ruth was a very nurturing woman, inspired by her faith. She stressed that her children be responsible, caring adults. Ruth and John raised three children with love and guidance: Joseph M., Dorothy L., and Jeffrey B. While raising her family she was a homemaker for many years, eventually re-entering the workplace at St. Joseph Hospital (now Lancaster Regional) until she retired. She was a fifty plus year member of Christ Lutheran Church, Lancaster, PA, where she will be remembered for her reassuring notes and letters written to congregational members and family. In retirement, Ruth is remembered for her greetings, hand waves, and smiles to all who walked by as she sat on her porch on College Avenue.

Ruth's greatest love was for her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She enjoyed being with her family.

Ruth is survived by three children: Joseph M. married to Janice L. (Falk) Herman, Conestoga, Dorothy L. Herman, Columbia and Jeffrey B. Herman, Lancaster. Also surviving are her sister-in-laws: Mary Jo Grimm and Jean Herman, both of Lancaster, four grandchildren: Kathleen, wife of Christopher Sauer, Landisville, Brian E. Harman, husband of Kristy (Henderson), Clarkdale, Arizona, Christopher Herman, Lancaster and Christina Herman, Lancaster. Ruth is also survived by nine great grandchildren, two nephews and four nieces. She was preceded in death by her husband, John, her brother, Lloyd C. Myers, her sister, Mary Myers Eshleman and her grandson, Daniel Herman.

The family would like to thank the staff of Maple Farms for their compassionate care of Ruth.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend Ruth's Funeral Service on Saturday, August 5, 2017 at The Groffs Family Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc., 528 W. Orange Street (corner of W. Orange & Pine Sts.), Lancaster, PA at 1:30 p.m. with Pastor Adam Morton officiating. The family will receive friends at The Groffs from 12 Noon until the time of service. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Ruth's name may be made to Christ Lutheran Church, 2 W. Strawberry Street, Lancaster, PA 17603.

# Cemetery Details

## Greenwood Cemetery

Lancaster, PA 17603

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 5. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (ET)

The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth E. Myers Herman*



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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc** - August 03, 2017 at 03:04 PM



“ *Ruth E. Myers Herman*

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October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Your mother Ruth was a truly sweet Christian lady. I am the daughter of Emanuel and Mary Herman who helped me to know Ruth through the years with visits and cards and letters. John was one of my Dad's favorite cousins! My love and sympathy to all . Ruth Herman McQuiston (Yes, my maiden name was the same as your Mom's married name!)*

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**Ruth McQuiston** - August 15, 2017 at 11:17 AM



“ 35 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**The Groffs Family Funeral and Cremation Services Inc** - August 03, 2017 at 02:57 PM

SP

“ To Jeff, Mike & Dottie and extended family:  
So sorry to hear about Aunt Ruth. She loved everyone and always had a smile for everyone. She gave the best hugs. She will be missed. Bill and I will keep her and your entire family in our prayers.

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**Sharon Posey** - August 02, 2017 at 05:57 PM

WH

“ Mike (Joe) and Family...I'm very sorry to read of the passing of your Mom. Good-byes may be the law of Earth, but reunions are the law of Heaven. So you aren't saying good-bye to Mom, just ..."see you later." May God's Blessings and His Peace be with all of you.  
Wayne Hoffman

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**Wayne Hoffman** - August 02, 2017 at 04:18 PM

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“ I wish to extend my sincerest sympathy to Ruth's family upon her passing and assure you of my thoughts and prayers at this time. I knew Ruth when I worked on 3West at St. Joseph's Hospital back in the 70's and remember her always smiling and having kind words for everyone. She was always a joy to be around and lightened our days/eves, especially during some hectic times. May knowing she brought joy to the lives of others, bring you comfort and peace and always treasure the times you had with her as well.

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**Nancy Straw** - August 02, 2017 at 02:21 PM

 Kim Ludwig

“ As a volunteer at a Maple Farm, I always enjoyed visiting and doing activities with her. She was soooo thankful for anything we would do for Her! She enjoyed showing me all of her flowers and birds and doing word search puzzles with me. I will really miss her! Kim

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**Kim Ludwig** - August 02, 2017 at 05:11 AM