



# Ruth Ann Lavender

MAR 10, 1939 - AUG 5, 2021



Scan to Visit



# Table of Contents

<b>Obituary</b> .....	Page 3
<b>Tribute Wall</b> .....	Page 4



## **Ruth Ann Lavender**

MAR 10, 1939 - AUG 5, 2021

**E**dmore-Ruth Ann (Ehl) Lavender, age 82, of McBride passed away on Thursday, August 5, 2021, at Masonic Pathways in Alma, under the care of Heartland Hospice. She was born on March 10, 1939, in Kalkaska County, the daughter of Paul and Eva (Potes) Ehl.

Ruth attended Edmore High School and was active in band, cheerleading and basketball. She graduated with the class of 1958. Ruth married Walter Lavender on June 28, 1958. She was a mother and homemaker who loved her family, growing flowers and watching birds.

Ruth was a faithful member of the Day Bethel Baptist Church where she enjoyed participating in group singing. Ruth is survived by her husband, Walter of Edmore; son, Rodney (Maria) Lavender of Edmore; grandchildren, Rawson, Dmitriy and Jennifer Lavender; brothers, Wayne (Michelle) Ehl, Edward (Freda) Ehl, Charles (Sharon) Ehl; sister, Yavonne (Gary) Shirk; many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Edgar, Lyle, Wesley, Ronald and Paul Lee; sisters, Virginia Brand and Helen Hall. Funeral Services for Ruth will be at 2:00 PM on Sunday, August 8, 2021, at Day Bethel Baptist Church with Pastor Eric Hagerman officiating.

Interment will follow at Vinewood Cemetery in Edmore. The family will greet friends from 5:00-8:00 PM at Day Bethel Baptist Church on Saturday, August 7. Those wishing to donate in Ruth's memory are asked to consider Day Bethel Baptist Church or Heartland Hospice. Condolences may be made by utilizing the guestbook at [www.brighamfuneralchapel.com](http://www.brighamfuneralchapel.com)



## Tribute Wall

**Ruth Ann Lavender**

MAR 10, 1939 - AUG 5, 2021

TK

**Terry Keeney** posted:

My brother and I were Ring Bearers and my little sister Gayla was Flower Girl and Walter (Butch) & Ruth's wedding at Day Bethel Baptist Church. Ruth Ann stayed with our family throughout High School until marriage. My parents, Ray & Vivian Keeney, loved Ruth as their own. Comfort & peace to Butch, Rodney, and their families.

August 6 at 8:00 PM

FT

**Frank Townsend** posted:

My prayers go to Walt at this time. Ruth was in my class in high school and was one supper friend.

August 6 at 8:00 PM

AL

**A Memorial Tree Was Planted For Ruth Ann Lavender** posted:

We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Brigham Funeral Chapel - Edmore

August 5 at 8:00 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Ruth by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



Scan to Visit

