



Ruth B. Birch

October 11, 1917 - April 18, 2009

Ludlow-Ruth B. (Blanchet) Birch, 91, passed away April 19, 2009 at Wingate of Wilbraham after a short stay. She was born October 11, 1917 in Springfield, the daughter of the late Charles and Maud (Brady) Blanchet. She attended Springfield schools and graduated from Commerce High School. In 1954 she moved to Ludlow and was a resident of Wilson Street for many years. She retired in 1979 after working 35 years at the Division Office of the A&P Tea Co. in Springfield. She is survived by a son Donald of Springfield, a daughter Diane of Ludlow and a beloved grandson, Jason and his wife Mary Ann of Chicopee. She was predeceased by a son, David, two sisters, Lesley Allen of Holyoke and Alma Messier of Springfield, her former husband, George Birch and many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be Thursday, April 23, 2009 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at New England Funeral & Cremation Center, LLC, 25 Mill St., Springfield. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date. The family would like to extend a special thank you to her caregivers at Wingate at Wilbraham for the excellent care given to Ruth.

Tribute Wall

MW

“ Dear Diane, Jason & family:\r\nSincerest sympathies from my mother, sister, and me on the death of your dear Mom and grandmother. May she rest in the peace of the Risen Christ.

Michael Wostena - February 14, 2023 at 10:37 AM

MA

“ To Donald Diane & family \r\n i would like to express my sympathy in the passing of your mother and grandmother.\r\n my mother mary worked with ruth for many years at A&P and continued their friendship with luncheons and phone calls almost daily \r\n again my prayers are with you \r\n the alonzo family

mike alonzo - February 14, 2023 at 10:37 AM

RP

“ diane so sorry to read about your mother a mother is a great loss in our lives when i get home may 7th i will call and hopefully we can get together.

rose pickett - February 14, 2023 at 10:37 AM

HO

“ Ruth I will miss you. I will remember the talks we had while we watched the cooking channel.\r\nHolly

Holly - February 14, 2023 at 10:37 AM

PB

“ *Diane, I wish you and the family the best. She had a wonderful and happy life. She looks wonderful. I'm sorry I didn't get to see her in October. Give my sympathies to Donald and Jason. I wish I could be there with you and everyone.*

Peggy (Tremblay) Black - February 14, 2023 at 10:37 AM

SA

“ *Dear Diane and Donald \n\nI am so sorry about aunt Ruthie. Her picture looks wonderful, I remember that smile at family get togethers. I had forgotten that she had the same birthday as Grammie. \n\nI send you my love \n\nSharon and family*

Sharon Allen - February 14, 2023 at 10:37 AM