



Mrs. Ruth Ellen Craft

April 4, 1932 - August 4, 2020

Ruth was born in Salt Lake City, Utah, on April 4, 1932, to Edward Francis and Blanche Partridge. She was preceded in death by her parents and sister, Margaret Detzler.

Her dad was a life-long Baptist pastor and she was always active teaching children and in both instrumental and vocal music. She graduated from Wheaton College, Wheaton, IL, with a Masters in Elementary Education.

She married Martin R. Craft in 1955, who was also a Baptist pastor and served as a Christian School teacher until 2002. She taught in Christian schools in Tallahassee and in the Tallahassee area for 17 years.

Her children are Margaret Emily Caudle of Pensacola, FL, Daniel Edward Craft of Tallahassee, FL, Ellen Louise Barber of Marysville, KS, Jewel Evelyn Bregel of Jacksonville, NC, Melody Ruth Craft of Wichita, KS and Lydia Grace Kaiser of Wright City, MO.

She had 17 grandchildren, 9 great-grandchildren, with three more on the way.

She is survived by her husband of nearly 65 years, Martin R. Craft.

Visitation is from 1:00 until 2:00 PM, Monday, August 10, 2020, at Fellowship

Baptist Church, 3705 North Monroe Street, Tallahassee, FL 32303, with the funeral service beginning at 2:00 PM. Interment follows at Tallahassee Memory Gardens. Online condolences may be expressed at www.abbeyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Tallahassee Memory Gardens

4037 North Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 562-1518
<https://www.abbeyfh.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 10. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Fellowship Baptist Church
3705 N Monroe St
Tallahassee, FL 32303-2752
(850) 562-2040

Service

AUG 10. 2:00 PM (ET)

Abbey Funeral Home
4037 North Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 562-1518
abbeyfh@comcast.net

Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Ellen Partridge was the joy of my life for 67 years. We dated for two years before we married. A great wife and great mother, a great servant of our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. Five of our six children, four of their spouses, several grand-children and friends were able to attend her Memorial Service in Tallahassee, FL, despite covid 19. Rev. Joel Barber and Rev. Breck Bregel, sons-in-law, conducted the services. Thanks to all who expressed love and prayers, Martin R. Craft*

Martin Craft - August 13, 2020 at 09:51 PM

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“ *Praying God's special peace for all of you as you honor Ruth and her impact on your individual lives. Feast on the blessing of connecting as siblings - catch up!*

Sending our love....Jim & Junia Barber/Augusta, Kansas

Junia Barber - August 10, 2020 at 01:48 PM

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“ *My mom's memory will always be a light to me. She had a wonderful sense of humor and even in the hard times could make you laugh. She had a love for the beautiful and a love for her Creator who made it all. Her love for the Lord was one of the greatest gifts that she was able to give to those around her. Now she is sharing it with Christ Himself.*

Ellen Barber

Ellen - August 06, 2020 at 10:27 PM