



Rua Kmucha

March 1, 1926 - July 21, 2024

IN MEMORY OF:

Rua Kmucha

Serving Location:

CRAIN PLEASANT GROVE-MURDALE FUNERAL HOME

31 Memorial Drive, Murphysboro, Illinois

Rua Kmucha, 98, of Vergennes, passed away on Sunday, July 21, 2024 at her home.

Rua was born on March 1, 1926 in Granite City to Roy and Blanche (Harmon) Sowers. She married Louis Kmucha on April 30, 1949 and he preceded her in death in April 1984.

Rua was a teacher at Elverado District for 35 years. She loved to quilt, loved to fish and loved gardening. Rua attended Faith United Methodist Church in Vergennes.

Survivors include her daughters, Adi (Mark) Wilson, Wendy Kmucha, and Lou (Ron) Hughey; son, Billy Kmucha; grandchildren, Cory (Ashley) Wilson, Corrine Wilson (Adrian) Smith; Triny Beckman, Aaron Beckman, Therashia

Ernsting, and Brandon Kmucha; two great-grandchildren, Eleanor and Anderson; 11 step grandchildren; 10 step great-grandchildren; step son, Tom Kmucha; step daughters, Kay Shurtz, Ruth Rothschild, and Marilyn Troop; other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; and husband.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, July 25, 2024 at 12:00 PM at Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home with Ron Kreid officiating. Burial will follow at Pleasant Grove Memorial Park in Murphysboro.

Visitation will be on Thursday from 10:00 AM until the time of service at the funeral home.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **25.** 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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31 Memorial Dr.
Murphysboro, IL 62966
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crain@crainsonline.com

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Tribute Wall

JC

“ *Adi and family, So sorry for your loss. She was a special person and a great teacher. You are all in our thoughts and prayers. With all of our love, sympathy and friendship.*
Jason and Jane Cobin

Jason and Jane Cobin - July 31, 2024 at 04:02 PM

BA

“ *Mrs Kumucha was a wonderful teacher.*

Barry - July 25, 2024 at 10:14 AM

KH

“ *Kenny Howard purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Rua Kmucha.*



Kenny Howard - July 25, 2024 at 09:59 AM

CM

“ *Mrs. Kmucha was my teacher she was a amazing memorable teacher. I am so sorry for your loss she touched alot of peoples lives . She will always be remembered and made a difference in so many lives . May God Bless you thru the days ahead and bring you comfort . Thank You Mrs. Kmucha for the time spent with alot of us and making a difference .*

Carrie Miller - July 24, 2024 at 10:13 AM

JK

“ Mrs. Kmucha was my English teacher many years ago at the Vergennes Junior High School. She was a very good teacher. We were in her class when it was announced that President Kennedy had been shot. My sympathy to Wenda and family

Jim Kirkpatrick !

Jim Kirkpatrick - July 23, 2024 at 08:02 AM

RC

“ Mrs Kmucha was one of my 7th grade teachers in Vergennes and she was always ready to answer any questions s from all our inquiring minds. She encouraged all students. I got the privilege of seeing and talking with her a couple of times in in the past 2 years. AMAZING woman. Prayers for her family. My family will miss taking care of her.

Rosemary Cornell - July 22, 2024 at 05:08 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Rua Kmucha.



July 22, 2024 at 04:27 PM