



# Ruth Anne Nash

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## **Ruth Anne Nash**

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**R**uth Anne Nash, 92, of Georgetown, DE, formerly of Wilmington, DE, died peacefully on November 6, 2014 in Cadbury at Lewes. Ruth was born on May 13, 1922, at home in Wilmington, daughter of the late Lewis W. and Louise B. (Patterson) Zebley.

Ruth worked for the DuPont Company following her graduation from P.S. DuPont High School, as well as for Dr. Emil Mayerberg as a substitute secretary and office assistant. She worked in a similar capacity for Dr. John Bengé for many years.

Following the sudden death of her husband, John J. Nash in 1964, Ruth sought full-time employment, first with the Brandywine School District, then with the DuPont Company at their Chambers Works facility and then at the Foulk Road Plaza offices. She retired from DuPont in 1985 and moved to Rehoboth Beach, DE.

Ruth was a talented knitter who enjoyed making countless mittens for many needy children. She was also an avid reader and enjoyed ballroom dancing.

In addition to her parents, Ruth was preceded in death by her husband, John (Jack) in 1964, her son John R. in 1972 and her brothers, Morris and Donald Zebley. She is survived by her daughter, Jane L. Johnson (William) of Milford, MA, her son Thomas S. Nash (Susan) of Redlands, CA; her four grandchildren: Elizabeth Johnson Klein (Benjamin) of Alexandria, VA, Peter W. Johnson of Weymouth Landing, MA, John Nash of Canberra, Australia and Jeremy Nash of Brisbane, Australia; and her two great-granddaughters: Nora and Elsie Klein of Alexandria, VA.

The family wishes to express their sincere gratitude to the excellent caregivers and staff at Beebe Hospital, Harbor Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center and Cadbury Health Center at Lewes.

A Celebration of Ruth's Life will be held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, November 12, 2014 at Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway Lewes, DE, where



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friends may visit beginning at 10:00 AM. Interment will be private.

Please sign Ruth's guestbook located on this site.

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TF

**The Titlow Family** posted:

We have many fond memories of Ruth especially from our years on Robin Road. We also think of her every Christmas when we hang our Ruth-made stockings.

November 10 at 8:00 PM

HK

**Helen Kelley** posted:

I was deeply saddened to read of Ruth's passing. She was a good friend for many years. We share many memories. My prayers go out to Tom, and Jane and your families.

November 8 at 8:00 PM

MJ

**Mary Jane** posted:

I spent many, many holidays with Ruth and her family over the decades, shared lots of laughs, and was welcomed as ,not only a friend, but a family member. In the coming weeks and years I will raise my wine glass in cheers to Ruth. She will be missed. My very deepest sympathies to entire Nash family.

November 8 at 8:00 PM

EZ

**Eric Zebley** posted:

Rest in peace Aunt Ruth

November 8 at 8:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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