



## Ruth Lewis

May 20, 1928 - March 7, 2017

Ruth Lewis went to be with her Lord on March 7, 2017, surrounded by her loving family and pastor, at Casa Maria Nursing Home. A memorial service for Ruth will be held on Saturday, March 11, 2017, at Calvary Baptist Church, 1009 W. Alameda, Roswell, NM, at 2:00 PM. This service will be officiated by Pastor Andy Byer of Calvary Baptist Church. A tribute of Ruth's life may be found at [www.andersonbethany.com](http://www.andersonbethany.com) where you may leave memories and expressions of sympathy for her family.

Ruth was born on May 20, 1928, in Shamrock, Texas to Burley and Alva Morgan. At the age of 14, Ruth and her family moved to Roswell, New Mexico, in 1942. Ruth was joined in marriage to the love of her life, Kenneth Lewis on June 9, 1946, and enjoyed 70 years and 8 months of wedded bliss. Ruth was an active member of Calvary Baptist Church for 75 years. At the age of 8, Ruth accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior during a Revival held in Shamrock, Texas. In addition to serving her Lord, Ruth worked as a bookkeeper in Roswell for 17 years. She loved to camp with her family in the mountains of Alto and Bonito, memories that her family and grandchildren cherish. In addition to her cherished memories, Ruth was a 43-year breast cancer survivor.

Surviving to cherish her memories are her husband, Fred Kenneth Lewis who resides at Peachtree Retirement Community in Roswell, daughters: Pamela

Pittman and her husband, Travis of Roswell, NM, and Suzanne Hughes and her husband, Russell of Denton, TX. In addition to her children, Ruth has numerous grandchildren: Timothy M and Kathy Pittman of Loves Park, IL, Jennifer Lewis of Roswell, NM, Kyle L. and Christy Pittman of Locust Grove, GA, Amanda Lewis of Roswell, NM, Rebecca and Russell Cain of Roswell, NM, Bryan and Melissa Hughes of San Francisco, CA, and Beth Hughes-Karnes and Jack Karnes of Denton, TX. Ruth has eight great-grandchildren: Austin and Jacob Pittman, Taylor and Madison Pittman, Jesse Cain, Emma Karnes, Jacob and Caleb Lewis.

Preceding Ruth in death are her parents and two sons: Kenneth Wayne Lewis and William Morgan Lewis; and one grandson, William (Little Bill) Lewis.

The family of Ruth would like to extend their gratitude to Casa Maria Nursing Home with a Special Thanks to Paula, Cherish, and Tanna for all the love and care they gave her in the last 2 months. She loved them very much.

To the special people at Peachtree Retirement Community for the love and care that she received daily, a Grateful Thank You.

For memorials, please make a charitable contribution to Breast Cancer-American Cancer Society in Ruth Lewis' name.

This tribute was written in honor of Ruth by her family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Lewis*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *To Fred Lewis and Family. So sorry to hear of the passing of Ruth. Heaven has gained another beautiful angel and we are all richer for having known her. Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. Betty Dyess Williams*

**Betty Dyess Williams** - March 12, 2017 at 10:53 PM



“ *I would first like to say thank you to the family of Mrs. Lewis for their gratitude towards me and my partners and the care we gave to her, it was a true blessing to do so. In the few months that i got to know the Lewis family we became close, i just sort of took to each of them. i was givin the pleasure of caring for both Mr and Mrs Lewis with their caring, wonderful daughter mrs pitman right by there side everyday. i loved how much this family loves eachother. a fine husband for a beautifull lady Mr. Pitman would wake up, get dressed and even make his bed all before breakfast just to head on down to see his gall everyday all day. they had so much love for one another that it was cute. Mrs lewis thought i was the best at showers and i loved her little voice she was a verry kind person who really taught me some things without either of us even realizing. i hope you all know how much ive enjoyed meeting you and to Mrs Ruth Lewis Rest in Paradise beauty queen and God bless you all  
~sincerely Tanna J Key*

**Tanna Rue** - March 11, 2017 at 08:09 PM



*correction on one error not mr pitman mr lewis was who went to her room*

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**Tanna Rue** - March 11, 2017 at 08:11 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ruth Lewis.*



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March 10, 2017 at 12:28 PM



“ *Ive been so blessed, to have met and cared for my beautiful angel face- Mrs. Ruth Lewis.  
I will hold our memories we shared in my heart always. Mrs. Ruth's smile would make my work day more happy and productive.  
To her family please accept my condolences, and thank you, for sharing her with me.  
I loved her. Paula L. Garcia*

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**Paula L. Garcia** - March 10, 2017 at 12:23 AM