



# Ruth Nell Newbauer

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**R**uth Nell Looney Newbauer entered this world on January 23, 1926. She was born in Lubbock, Texas, the third daughter of Walter Dunn Looney and Lula May Campbell Looney. She was special from the day she was born and never met an enemy. She was loved by all. She married Merle Leroy Newbauer on February 8, 1946 and became instant friends with Merle's sisters, brothers, sister-in-laws and brother-in-laws. She was preceded in death by her beloved parents, husband, eldest sister Donna Mattingley and grandsons Richard Johnson and Alec Newbauer. She is survived by her middle sister, Charlene Frost; daughters Cathy Leslie and Sandy Johnson; sons Lee Newbauer, David Newbauer and Douglas Newbauer; son-in-laws Lynn Leslie and Tom Johnson and daughter-in-laws Joann Newbauer and Marie Newbauer; grandsons, Lee Newbauer Jr., Aaron Newbauer, Tommy Johnson III, Jeffrey Johnson and Kenny Brown; granddaughters, Alexis Newbauer, Jessica Newbauer Brown, Alexis Newbauer and Monica Ortiz; great-grandchildren, Lee Newbauer, III, Ariel Newbauer, Justice Brown and Janiya Brown, best friend Betty Smith and nieces and nephews who considered her their second mom: Carolyn Lowry, Beverly Schultz, Barry Frost and Linda Sagraves. Her time spent with all the people in her life was very special to her. She loved to read her bible, watch television, play bingo and spending quality time with her children and grandchildren, sisters, best friend, nieces and nephews was precious to her. She loved to cook, enjoyed eating out and adored life in general. Her attitude was unbeatable and complaining was a word she did not have in her vocabulary. She was never short of words and humor and was a very giving person and always put others ahead of herself. She fought to survive with her last breath, and there are so many people that love this beautiful woman but her Lord and Savior called her home at 12:47 p.m. on Friday, February 26, 2010 and heaven is so much brighter with her presence. Though



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she is in a better place and smiling down on all, she will be greatly missed. Leave the light on mom.....we will be there to join you when the Good Lord calls us home.



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LS

**Linda Sagraves** posted:

This message is for our cousins who are mourning the loss of their mother. Her sister Charlene sends her love and prayers to them. She will miss her terribly and so will Charlene's children. We went on many vacations with her. She was always a sweet, loving aunt who will forever be in our hearts. May God Bless and keep her safe. Love, Charlene Frost Carolyn Lowry & Family Beverly Schultz & Family Barry Frost Linda Sagraves & Family

August 24 at 4:26 PM

BP

**Brenda And Tony Perez** posted:

Our thoughts are with the family during this time. I am glad to have shared some happy times with Ruth during the cookie exchange get togethers.

August 24 at 3:23 PM

CL

**Cathy Leslie** posted:

Mom, tomorrow will be one month since you went to join our loving Savior and Father, but i still cannot believe you are gone....I actually picked up the phone today and called you to say "are you ready for Bingo"....you didn't answer.....but God sent me a very powerful message letting me know you are happy and safe.....and waiting for Me, Lee, Sandy, David, Doug, Char, Carolyn, Bevery, Barry, Linda, Betty, Lynn, Tom, JoAnn, Marie, Dana, and the hundreds of other people who love you and whom you touched their lives. We are all doing well.....missing you and anxiously awaiting to join you, but finishing our work on earth before we are allowed into God's kingdom. Please have a bowl of your macaroni and cheese and potato salad ready for me to inhale....nobody can beat your recipes. Love ya bunches and bunches. XXXOOO

August 24 at 11:22 AM

BS

**Beverly Schultz** posted:

To all the children of Aunt Ruth I wish to give my deepest sympathy. Your Mother was so loved and will be missed for years to come. I have so many memories of Aunt Ruth from the time I was a little girl until now. She was there for me and my siblings at times when my Mom, her Sister, needed her help in raising us. We had so many good times at the Coast. She will remain in my heart until I see her again. Love to all of you! Your Cousin, Beverly

August 24 at 10:59 AM



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JN

**Joann Newbauer** posted:

I loved u so much ruth. I remember when I went the hospital and I gave you a sponge bath and wash your hair I knew then we were closer then ever. You are dearly miss momma in law. I know you up in heave with lex and Richard and alec. And you belove sister aunt donna. I miss you very much. And you well never be forgotten. Love and kisses my love. JoAnn newbauer

February 25 at 7:00 PM

JN

**Jessica Newbauer** posted:

Grandma you always had a way to make me laugh and smile...I never saw her with a frown on her face. She was a very strong willed person and very independent....You will always be in my heart...I love you dearly and miss you more than you could imagine....I love you and we shall meet again...By the way tell Grandpa, Alec, Richard and Aunt Donna I said Hi...Love You

February 25 at 7:00 PM

SJ

**Sandy Johnson** posted:

Mom, it is hard to believe you are not just a phone call away. I loved sharing the kids accomplishments with you. Tommy had such exciting news to share with me the other day, my first thought was to pick up the phone to share the news with you! I love you and miss you sooooo much!

February 25 at 7:00 PM

RV

**Rose Vidal** posted:

My heart goes out to everyone in the family. My thoughts and prayers go out to you during your time of need.

February 25 at 7:00 PM

JR

**Jeanna Reed** posted:

Cathy, my prayers are with you during your time of loss. My God comfort you and bring you peace and may your good memories of you mom only grow brighter. Love, Jeanna

February 25 at 7:00 PM



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TN

**Tony And Mona Newbauer** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this time.

February 25 at 7:00 PM

DT

**Dan & Teresa Titchywy** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time. All our love!

February 25 at 7:00 PM

CL

**Carolyn Lowry** posted:

I WILL MISS YOU TERRIBLY,WE HAD MANY WONDERFUL TIMES,GREAT VACATIONS AT THE BEACH,ON OUR CRUISE,AND MANY COOKOUTS.MY HEART GOES OUT TO THE CHILDREN AT THIS TIME.LOVE TO ALL .CAROLYN

February 25 at 7:00 PM

MA

**Malissa** posted:

Wow!! what do u say about Aunt Ruth??? I know I will remeber our last vacation together to Port Aransas!!! And of course growing up every Sat. in your back yard!! Great Times!! You will be missed deeply!!! I love you!!

February 25 at 7:00 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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