



Elizabeth Roth Ruff

February 7, 1911 - August 11, 2003

Elizabeth “Betty” Roth Ruff, 92, of Newington passed away Monday August 11, 2003 at Jefferson House. She was the widow of Ignatz F. Ruff, who died in 1960. Born in East Glastonbury, she lived in the Glastonbury area before moving to Newington in 1981.

“Betty” was a practical nurse in several private homes for fifteen years, retiring in 1975. She was a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church in Newington and of the Emmanuel Seniors Fellowship.

Surviving is a daughter, Elinor Bechter and her husband Willard, with whom she lived; a sister, Barbara Mara and her husband Harold of South Glastonbury; two granddaughters and their husbands, Heidi and David Sutkaitis of Avon and Heather and Joel Beers of Eliot, Maine; three great grandchildren, Olivia Sutkaitis, Ben and Jordyn Beers; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services are Thursday 1 PM at Emmanuel Baptist Church, 296 New Britain Ave., Newington. Burial will be in West Meadow Cemetery, Newington. Calling hours are Thursday from 12 Noon to 1 PM at the church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Emmanuel Baptist Church. Carlson Funeral Home, New Britain is in charge of arrangements. Please share a memory of “Betty” on our online guestbook by "clicking" sign memorial guestbook at the top or bottom of the page.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Eleanor,
We were sorry to read of the death of your mother. My mother and I were recalling many happy memories of Betty as our neighbor on Clinton Street. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time of loss.
Sincerely,
Ginger Buckley

Ginger and Hazel Buckley - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Ellie and all,
I was so saddened to read of your mother's death. Knowing her, and you, were highlights of my time as Jefferson House chaplain. You mom was such an inspiration -- so positive, so faithful. And you were an inspiration too, so supportive and appreciative. My thoughts and prayers are with you. With much love, Sally Williams

Sally Williams - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ It was a real pleasure caring for Betty...she was sharp as a tack, and didn't miss a trick!

Rosemary her nurse and Maria her nurse's aide really loved her.

The staff at Jefferson House will miss Betty...they developed a real affection for her.

It was a privilage to care for Betty. We will always remember her.

*Sincerely, Michael Cook, RN
Nursing Supervisor, Jefferson House*

Michael Cook - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM