



## Ruth E. Evans

April 13, 1932 - July 22, 2021

Ruth E. Evans, age 89, of Henderson, KY, passed away at 3:04 a.m. on Thursday, July 22, 2021 at the Lucy Smith King Care Center under the care of St. Anthony's Hospice.

Ruth was preceded in death by her parents Hugh and Mary Smith, her husband George Evans, 2 sons Kenny Evans and Steve Evans, and 4 daughters Caron Rideout, Sharon Murch, Linda Durbin, and Glenda Pippin. Ruth was born to Hugh and Mary Smith and grew up in Henderson with 7 siblings. She was a homemaker who loved children, all children. Ruth fostered children for many years and also had an in-home daycare. Children, both hers and others, brought her such joy.

She is survived by her 2 daughters Elizabeth Lawless and her husband David of Eddyville, KY and Rhonda Speaks and her husband Ray of Henderson, KY; 1 son George Nichols of Henderson, KY; 21 grandchildren, 43 great-grandchildren, 17 great-great-grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to Ruth's Life Celebration from 3:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Tuesday and again on Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. until the service time at Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 28, 2021 at the funeral home. Burial will follow at St. Louis Cemetery in Henderson, KY.

Pallbearers will be Andy Buchanan, David Parrish, Jeff Parrish, Steve Evans, Scott Durbin, and Randy Evans.

Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home, A Life  
Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at [www.bentongluntan  
dtappfuneralhome.com](http://www.bentongluntan<br/>dtappfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## St. Louis Cemetery

Henderson, KY 42420

# Previous Events

## Life Celebration

JUL 27. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home  
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Henderson, KY 42420  
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## Life Celebration

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth E. Evans*



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**Benton-Glunt Funeral Home** - July 30, 2021 at 12:18 PM



“ *Ruth E. Evans*

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November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *Justin sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth E. Evans*



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**justin** - September 08, 2021 at 11:09 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Emily Johnson** - July 27, 2021 at 04:28 PM

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“ John Pippin..son-in-law lit a candle in memory of Ruth E. Evans



John pippin..son-in-law - July 26, 2021 at 10:58 PM

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Ruth was one of kind "Outspoken" but. Yet "warm" hearted..she will be missed ! But now she can go be with george steve, kenny ,caron and sharon' linda and Glenda sue..

John pippin..son-in-law - July 26, 2021 at 11:05 PM

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Hey it's Justin how did u find out

justin - September 08, 2021 at 11:10 PM



“ 39 files added to the album Life Tributes



Benton-Glunt Funeral Home - July 26, 2021 at 11:52 AM