



Rita M. Kearby

May 18, 1944 - June 26, 2021

Dateline Jasper, Indiana

Rita M. Kearby, age 77, of Jasper, Indiana, formerly of Haysville, Indiana, passed away at 10:55 p.m. on Saturday, June 26, 2021, in the Northwood Retirement Community in Jasper, Indiana.

Rita was born in Huntingburg, Indiana, on May 18, 1944, to Harry and Clara (Sendelweck) Fuhrman. She married Norman E. Kearby on November 15, 1969, and he preceded her in death on November 14, 1975.

Rita was a graduate of Northeast Dubois High School.

She retired from ARC Industries in Evansville, where she had worked for several years.

She was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Haysville, Indiana.

Rita enjoyed playing Bingo and Turnover, doing puzzles and spending time with family and friends.

Surviving are two daughters, Julia (Jason) Stenftenagel, Jasper, IN, Lisa (Donald) James, Jasper, IN, one son-in-law, David Schepers, Celestine, IN,

three grandchildren, Camasia (Ryan) Brames, Angela Moore, Donald Schepers, one step grandson, Cole Stenftenagel, one sister, Mary Lou (Richard) Potts, Cannelburg, Indiana, and one brother-in-law Randall (Linda) Roach, French Lick, IN.

Preceding her in death besides her husband are two sons, Robin Kearby, Bruce Kelley, daughters, Sherri Schepers, Penny Renee Kearby, who died in infancy, and two sisters, Janet Roach and Barbara Miller.

A funeral service for Rita M. Kearby will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, June 30, 2021, in St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Haysville, Indiana, with burial to follow in the church cemetery. Pastor Timothy Holt will officiate.

A visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at the Becher-Kluesner North Chapel in Jasper, Indiana, on Tuesday, June 29, 2021, and on Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. service time at the church.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church or the Northwood Retirement Community.

Condolences may be made at www.becherkluesner.com

Cemetery Details

St. Paul Cemetery Haysville, IN

Haysville

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **29**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Becher & Kluesner Funeral Home - North
3221 N. Newton Street
Jasper, IN 47546
(812) 482-4141
email@becherkluesner.com

Visitation

JUN **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Paul Cemetery Haysville, IN
Haysville

Service

JUN **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
556 West Haysville Rd.
Haysville, IN

Tribute Wall



“ *Rita M. Kearby*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Rita is missed out here at Good Sam. Sorry for your loss. Your family are in our prayers.*



Katrina, Therapy - August 04, 2021 at 03:04 PM



“ *So sorry for your loss. Rita was was very caring. She enjoyed her activities here at Mortwood Retirement. She was an enjoyable person to talk with. I am glad I got to talk with Camesia Saturday night. She will be sadly missed by everyone. Prayers go out to her family. 🙏🙏.*



Jane Schroeder - June 28, 2021 at 06:26 PM



“ *Rita was such a kind, friendly and caring person. She always spoke so fondly of her family. They meant the world to her. She will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with her family during this difficult time. God Bless. ~Stacy Weisman*

Stacy Weisman - June 28, 2021 at 02:16 PM