



Ruth E. Atkinson

April 27, 1932 - February 20, 2020

Ruth E. Atkinson, 87, of Bonita Springs, Florida passed away on Thursday, February 20, 2020 at Hope Hospice in Lehigh Acres, Florida. She was born April 27, 1932 in Paris, Pennsylvania a daughter of the late John and Mary Selmon.

Ruth owned and operated her own travel agency in Hazlet, New Jersey, before moving down to Bonita Springs, Florida. She was an active member of the First Presbyterian Church of Bonita Springs, working at the thrift store. She was also very talented with craft related work.

She is survived by her two children, son, Reverend Dr. Mark D. Atkinson of New Bern, NC., and her daughter, Pennee R. Atkinson of Ft. Myers, Florida. Ruth is predeceased by her husband of 38 years, Carl R. Atkinson.

A Celebration of her Life will be held on Sunday, March 1, 2020 at 2:00 P.M. in the clubhouse at Leisure Time Park, 24400 S. Tamiami Trail, Bonita Springs, FL 34134.

Online condolences may be offered by visiting www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAR 1. 2:00 PM (ET)

Clubhouse at Leisure Time Park
24400 S. Tamiami Trail
Bonita Springs, FL 34134

Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth E. Atkinson*

October 09, 2023 at 03:40 AM



“ *Penne and Mark,
I'm so sorry to hear about mom. She was such a nice person. I think of all the good times we had during camping, St. John's and Ackerman's on Sunday mornings. I feel we were very lucky for our parents and their great group of friends. It's very sad that most of them are gone. Aunt Alice is great but my mom has been in a nursing for 7 1/2 years with Alzheimer's. Love, Lynn (Thomson) Christopher*



lynn christopher - December 08, 2020 at 09:37 PM



“ *My mom was my best friend. I miss her terribly.*

Pennee Atkinson - July 04, 2020 at 11:53 AM