



## Ruth Helen Neal Miley

January 4, 1931 - November 18, 2016

Ruth Helen Neal Miley passed away on November 18, 2016 at her home in Destrehan, LA at the age of 85, where she lived with her daughter Janis Wientjes, son-in-law Robert Wientjes and grandson Erik Wientjes. She was a long time resident of Airline Park in Metairie, LA. Born in Weir, MS to Zenia Mitchell Neal and Alvin James Neal. She grew up in Indianola, MS where she met her loving husband, the late Wilfred M. Miley. She was also predeceased by her beloved son, Michael W. Miley, her brother James Neal and her sister Marjorie Neal Powell. She is also survived by her daughter Patricia Artieta (Butch), her brother-in-law Sam Miley (Bettie), her sister Jean Neal Thompson (Mickey), her grandsons Corey Artieta (Emily), Clint Artieta (Cyndi), her great grandchildren Brody, Tripp, Evelyn and Camille Artieta, as well as her niece Kimberly Powell Russomano and several nephews

Ruth was a devoted, loving wife, mother and friend. She had many interests and talents including playing bridge, sewing, creating art, gardening and was floral designer as well. She was a long time member of Parkview Baptist Church. Honoring her wishes, there will be a graveside service at Garden of Memories Cemetery at a later date.

# Cemetery Details

## **Garden of Memories Cemetery**

4900 Airline Dr.  
Metairie, LA 70001

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Helen Neal Miley*

October 15, 2023 at 09:39 PM



“ *MaMa Miley will always be remembered as a beautiful lady who always made you feel welcomed in her home. She was so gracious & welcomed us. We shared good times & made memories along the way. Just a wonderful person who will be missed by so many friends & family.*♥♥



**Regina Almond** - December 01, 2016 at 07:16 AM



“ *Pat, don't worry your Mom is in good hands up in heaven. I'm sorry for your loss. I'm sure she had a good heart as you do.*

*Gary Leitz*

**Gary Leitz** - November 25, 2016 at 06:38 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Ruth*



**Kimmy Madre** - November 24, 2016 at 12:44 AM



“ *My dearest Jan, Rob & Erik;  
LOVE is the beginning and end of this journey you shared.  
Surrounding Mamaw was Family, Compassion And Grace.*

*Dance on the rainbow bridge Aunt Ruth with All your loved ones  
forevermore!!!*

*Sending our love to you always...*

*The Russomano Family*

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**Kimmy Madre** - November 24, 2016 at 12:33 AM

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*So sorry to hear of the passing of Ruth Miley. She was devoted to her husband, children, grandchildren, & great grandchildren. Please find comfort in knowing she is forever in Paradise and out of pain. Cherish all the happy memories you shared during her life. May God bless you all during this difficult time. 💕💕*

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**Regina Almond** - November 30, 2016 at 05:02 PM



“ *Kimmy Madre lit a candle in memory of Ruth  
Helen Neal Miley*



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**Kimmy Madre** - November 24, 2016 at 12:21 AM

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*So sorry for your loss of your mom, Pat & Jan. Your mom was so devoted to her family & was loved by so many friends & family. God bless u during this time. Cheris the many good memories u have.*

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**Regina Almond** - December 01, 2016 at 07:00 AM