



## Ruth E. Markley

October 7, 1927 - August 21, 2010

Ruth E. Markley, 82, of Bluffton, died at 4 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 21, 2010, at the Bluffton Regional Medical Center.

Mrs. Markley was a homemaker and a lifelong resident of Wells County. She attended Liberty Center High School. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the American Legion Post 111 Auxiliary. She participated in the Parlor City Ladies Golf League. She was born Oct. 7, 1927, in Wells County, to Samuel Arnold and Bernice Herbst Arnold. She married Robert K. Markley June 8, 1945, in Bluffton; her husband died May 2, 2006. Survivors include a daughter, Cynthia K. (Tom) Paxson of Bluffton; a son, Gary L. (Diane) Markley of Bluffton, and six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Calling will be from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the Thoma/Rich, Chaney and Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home with Pastor Cindy Osgood officiating. Burial will be at the Six Mile Cemetery. Preferred memorials are to First We Care. Online condolences: [www.thomarich.com](http://www.thomarich.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth E. Markley*



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**Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home** - August 21, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ruth E. Markley*

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September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Dear Gary and Cindy so sorry to hear about your Mom she was such a sweet lady. I wanted so much to come and see her but was layed up for a few days. i really loved helping her when she came to the hospital for doctor visits it was a real blessing knowing your Mom. She always asked about how my older sister Patty was doing in Arkansas they played alot of golf together years ago at parlor city country club. That was when they were alot younger like in the mid 60's LOL!. Take care and God Bless!###imported-begin###Barry & Joellen Crosbie ###imported-end###*

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August 26, 2010 at 06:50 PM



“ Dear Cynthia and Gary; We were saddened to hear that your mother had died. We are truly sorry we will not be able to attend the service tomorrow. Your mother and dad were very special to Mary and I. We were all part of the Kelly clan. After we all retired, we always enjoyed the Kelly family get togethers There was much fun and laughter. As I grew up,I always looked forward to spending a week at our uncle Paul and aunt Daisy's house. Robert, Ruth, and Pauline have always brought back good memories of those times. with much love from Paul and Mary Jones###imported-begin##paul and mary jones###imported-end##

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August 24, 2010 at 10:58 PM



“ Cindy, Gary, and Family so sorry to hear about your mothers passing.Know that your in our thoughts and prayers. Randy and Sandy Davis###imported-begin##Sandra Sue Davis###imported-end##

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August 24, 2010 at 07:12 PM



“ My prayers are with all of the family.Ruth will be missed alot,she was the backbone of the Arnold clan.###imported-begin##Joetta Arnold###imported-end##

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August 24, 2010 at 12:47 AM



“ Gary,  
Sorry for the loss of your Mother. She was always a sweet lady. I see a lot of your Grandma in her and also Sam who was very special to us.  
God Bless###imported-begin##Suzanne Markley###imported-end##

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August 23, 2010 at 04:56 PM



“ *I am so very sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Sonja Davison##imported-end##*

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August 23, 2010 at 09:14 AM