



Ruthann E. Haase

August 4, 1953 - May 27, 2013

Ruthann Ester Dragoo Gauthier Haase, 59, of Grawn, passed away on Monday, May 27, 2013 at home with her family by her side. She was born on August 4, 1953 in Grand Haven to Robert Earl Dragoo, who passed away shortly after, and Ruth Anne Hudson. Ruth married Richard Gauthier and they raised Ruthann together. Ruthann never met a stranger, and found a friend for life everywhere she went. She always put others first, especially her family and friends. The most important things in Ruthann's life were her family and her dogs; her love of wolves was also well known. She was a dog breeder and was affectionately known to many as "The Pom Lady". Ruthann is survived by her father Richard Gauthier; children: Danny (Dana) Appel, Tina Appel Tokar, and Jerome (Heather) Appel; grandchildren: Gabrielle and Kassie Appel, Breona Knudsen, Dakota and Damian Tokar, and Brett Appel; brother: George McDonald of Muskegan; sisters: Connie (Phillip) Tissue of New York, Peggy (Joe) Cecil and Wanda Lee (Herman), both of Kentucky; 8 nieces and nephews; 22 great nieces and nephews; and many Aunts, Uncles, cousins, and friends. She was preceded in death by her mother Ruth Anne Gauthier, father Robert Earl Dragoo, grandsons Christopher and Michael Knudsen, brother Bobby, sisters Barbara Ann and Betty Lou, and her best friend Sherry Marie. A memorial service will be held at 1:00 PM on Friday, May 31, 2013 at Faith Lutheran Church, 320 N. Clark St., Mesick, MI 49668. Please sign Ruthann's online guestbook at www.kalkaskafuneralhome.com. Arrangements have been entrusted to Kalkaska Funeral Home and Cremation Services.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAY 31. 1:00 PM (ET)

Faith Lutheran Church
320 N. Clark St.
Mesick, MI 49668

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“ *Ruthie was loved by any and every one she would call you her Friends and if you take from her she would have a very long talk with you right now. Ruthann was a funnies people but love her dogs of all of them, her love for wolf and bit's was her life with the love of her family's and all. I will miss you every much but I know you will be in my heart and tell me see each other again baby sister tell every one I say hi and be home soon. Love You All*
Connie Sue

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