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Ruth Mendel, 98, of Miami, passed away September 30th. Loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, aunt, and friend. A selfless humanitarian who always did the right thing. She will be greatly missed. Graveside Service Wednesday, October 2nd at 1:00 p.m. at Mount Sinai Cemetery, 1125 NW 137th Street, Miami, FL 33168

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Tribute Wall

Ruth Mendel

FK

Franklin D. Kreutzer posted:

ruth was a special person and mainstay of the weekend minyon at temple zion israelite center....she was yearly the woman of the year and woman of the decade...we looked forward to her yearly update on her birthday, when she reminded us of her personal background and history and brought us up to date on her current activiies....she was indeed an inspiration.....franklin d. preutzer, president, temple zion israelite center

October 2 at 12:38 AM

LD

Layah Baze, Daughter posted:

I will always remember Mom for her storytelling, and joke telling; what a memory she had! She was always concerned about everyone else before herself. I feel blessed that I had her in my life for almost 61 years. She touched the lives of everyone she ever met. My husband and my sons will have lasting memories of her. She got pleasure out of making other people smile. All of my friends Mom met will truly miss her and her stories. I will continue to collect and turn in pop can tabs to McDonald's in honor of you Mom. You will remain forever in our hearts, and we will miss you more than words can say. Good bye Mom; we know that you are an angel in heaven now, and someday we will meet again for more jokes and laughter. We Love you, and will never forget you!!!! Rest in peace, our angel.Layah, Rich

October 1 at 6:27 PM

EF

Eva & Herb Finkel posted:

Ruthie was such an inspiration to us. What a beautiful human being! We will always remember Ruthie at Temple Beth Tov/Ahavat Shalom. Especially how she would walk across each isle to greet us, & have a special message to say to each & everyone of us. Thank you, Ruthie, you were a wonderful gift to us all!Eva & Herb Finkel

October 1 at 4:09 PM



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FM

Fred & Mary Lou Metelnikow posted:

For over 40 years we were blessed to call Ruthie our friend. Her presence at SMH along with many of the nurses that loved her, made her volunteering friendship a lasting task. Her charitable work at Temple Zion Israelite Center gave her a bundle of friends as did her many friends at our new shule, Temple Beth Tov, where she was a constance source of happiness with her great smile and kind words to all. Always wanting to help others, we were proud and happy to be her friend who taught us much about what life is all about. Yes, Mary Lou and I will miss our dear friend. Rest in Peace.... we love you.Fred & Mary Lou Metelnikow

October 1 at 2:15 PM

GT

Gail Wolfe Tomlin shared 22 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Dear Ruth: I will always cherish knowing you and will strive to live by your example. Your dog, Daisy, and I will miss your company, and she will remind me daily of the seven years and many memories we were so lucky to share. I learned to play mahjong after I began driving Ruth to the Senior Lift Center for games with Virginia Goodson and others. The last time Ruth and I played was on Wednesday, September 25th, in her room at the nursing home. We played 3 games, she won 2 of them. We kept a record; we played 587 games together! I've posted a few photos that I took with Ruth and some of her family and friends over the years. The kids in our neighborhood will miss us this Halloween! Rest in peace, dear Ruth. I love you. Gail (Wolfe-Tomlin).



October 1 at 6:59 AM



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At Vicki's condo in Sunny South Florida.



Us with Daisy and Max.



Last day as volunteer at South Miami Hospital.



At our neighbors home (Victor and Joe's).



We loved sharing Halloween in her carport. Each year it got bigger, with decorations and kids.



I enlarged the mahjong cards!



On way to Friday night service with Richard and Evelyn Vaz.



Shopping at the Aventura Mall.



One of 587 games of mahjong we played!



In front of her house with Daisy and Max.



Lunch at Aventura Mall.



Using her reading magnifier at home.



With Fred Metelnikow.



With friends from synagogue.



We played many games here, too!



Mahjong at nursing home with Vicki and Jo-Ann.



Mahjong in nursing home room with Daisy.



On her way to Sunday brunch with Richard Vaz!



On her way to airport.



At Tropical Park.



At the Senior Lift Center with Virginia Goodson.



Proud game winner!



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ruth by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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