



## Ruth E. (Sargent) May

August 2, 1943 - May 29, 2018

Mrs. May was born in Cambridge, MA, on August 21, 1943, the daughter of Walter C. Sargent and Elizabeth R. (King) Sargent Pederson and resided many years in Lunenburg and Leominster before returning to Townsend.

She worked as an office administrator for the U.S. Marshall's Office in Worcester. Prior to that she worked at Hanscom Air Force Base and Fort Devens.

She enjoyed her painting classes at the Senior Center in Townsend, and also enjoyed jewelry making and quilting. Most of all she loved being with her family.

She leaves her daughter, Christine Macchia and her husband David of Westminster; her brother, Robert F. Sargent and his wife Andrea of Lancaster; her daughter-in-law, Nicole May of Lunenburg; her husband, Frederick May of Townsend; grandchildren, Michaela Macchia, Gillian Macchia, Jenna May, Paden May and Drew May.

In 2016 she was predeceased by her son, Jeffrey May, of Lunenburg.

Funeral services will be held 11AM, Saturday, June 9, 2018, at the Anderson Funeral Home, 250 Main Street (Rte 119) Townsend Center. Burial will follow

at Hillside Cemetery.

Ruth's family will receive family and friends on Saturday, June 9th, from 10 AM until the time of the service.

In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions be made to your favorite charity in her name.

Please see [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com) for additional information or to leave an e condolence.

# Cemetery Details

## Hillside Cemetery

Highland Street  
Townsend, MA

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Townsend  
250 Main Street ~ Route 119  
Townsend, MA 01469  
(978) 597-2692

# Tribute Wall

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“ *To the May Family  
I was sorry to hear of Ruth passing. She was  
a great friend and will be missed. Fondly  
Cecile*



Cecile (Wilson Brown) Franco - June 07, 2018 at 09:24 PM

WS

“ *With our deepest sympathy, David & Janet  
Strong purchased the Healing Tears - Blue and  
White for the family of Ruth E. (Sargent) May.*



With our deepest sympathy, David & Janet Strong - June 07,  
2018 at 03:11 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and Whit  
e was purchased for the family of Ruth E.  
(Sargent) May.*



June 06, 2018 at 10:29 AM

MH

“ *My prayers and deepest sympathy to Ruth's family and friends. She  
was my best friend for over 37 years and we shared many happy  
memories and times together I will truly miss her. Mary Ann  
Haberlein*

Mary Ann Haberlein - June 06, 2018 at 09:53 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Ruth's passing. I knew Ruth from our days at Fort Devens. A lovely lady. Kerry G.*

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**Dixie Crup** - June 04, 2018 at 06:10 PM