



Sandra Ruttan

February 28, 1940 - March 20, 2025

Sandra Sue Ruttan, age 85, and a longtime resident of Royal Oak, passed away on March 20, 2025.

Sandra was born in Royal Oak on February 28, 1940 to George and Gladys Kraase. She was a devoted homemaker who also worked for many years as a dental receptionist with Dr. Greenburt/Drs. Golden dental practices in Royal Oak.

For over 30 years Sandra and her beloved Richard enjoyed camping and were active members of Ramblin Recs Camping Group. In her later years, she traveled more outside the state and admittedly became more partial to staying in hotels than campers after memorable trips to Hawaii, Vegas, and Lake Tahoe. Sandra also enjoyed taking photos, assembling scrapbooks, and researching her family trees. She even applied her organizational skills to creating a special book that chronicled from start to finish the building of her son's home up north—a gift that in fact became quite useful years later when questions arose about the exact location of a stud in the wall.

Sandra will be remembered as the beloved wife of the late Richard Ruttan. Loving mother of Cheryl (James) Suiter, Darryl Ruttan, and David (Tama) Ruttan. Proud grandmother of Jameson Suiter, Zachary Suiter, David Ruttan Jr. and Renee Hunt. Dear sister of Gerald Kraase.

If you would like to make a memorial contribution in honor of Sandra, please consider a contribution to Angela Hospice (<https://angelahospice.org/donate>).

Tribute Wall

RR

“ Rodney Richardson lit a candle in memory of Sandra Ruttan



Rodney Richardson - March 25, 2025 at 09:35 AM

JL

“ What a wonderful lady!
Always looked forward to seeing you (Dick too) on the camping trips. We think of you both often. RIP beautiful lady.

Jeff & Toni Likins - March 23, 2025 at 06:28 AM

KL

“ Rest now sweet lady.
I will carry the memories in my heart forever.
To the the family..... I am so deeply sorry for your loss of a magnificent lady
Hugs to you all

Krista Luke - March 22, 2025 at 11:46 PM

BG

“ I was so sorry to hear of Sandy's passing. I will be praying for your family during this difficult time. She was a very special lady.
Barb Grider

Barb Grider - March 22, 2025 at 11:09 PM

JS

“ So sorry to hear this ! We remember your Mom and Dad camping at Interlochen, great times with them! Randy and Jill Scholma

Jill Scholma - March 22, 2025 at 09:12 PM

KM

“ I hope you and richard are camping in heaven going to miss you Mrs Ruttan

Kurt McPhee - March 22, 2025 at 08:48 PM