



## Ruth Allen Bruner

May 19, 1936 - March 9, 2026

With heavy hearts, we announce the passing of our beloved grandmother/nonny, Ruth Allen Bruner, who left us peacefully on March 9, 2026 at the age of 89.

She was the heart and soul of our family—a woman whose love knew no limits and whose presence brought comfort to everyone around her. She was a source of strength, wisdom, and kindness, always ready with a warm hug, a listening ear, and words that made everything feel a little bit better.

Born on May 19, 1936 in Phoenix, AZ, Ruth lived a life filled with love, dedication, and resilience. She devoted herself to her family and took great pride in her grandchildren and great-grandkids.

She found joy in the simple things—like going to her favorite restaurants and making hearty traditional mexican family meals. Her laughter and her stories will live on in all of us.

Ruth is survived by her Children: Bernadette Robinson, Charles Sloper (Julie Brockway), Grandchildren: Shai Scarbrough (Jason), Debra Snodgrass (Billy), Charles Sloper Jr. (Jayme), Matraca Sloper, Christina Turner, John Howard (Alexis), Amanda Howard (Chad Martin), Amber Benton, Bronson Bruner (Serenity), and Brittany Bruner (Tim Dwinnell).

32 great-grandchildren, and many great-great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents Joseph and Adeline Maldonado, children Patty Howard, Robert Bruner and Jimmy Sloper along with her siblings Joey Maldonado, Gloria Sims and Jaime Maldonado as well as nieces and nephews.

Though our hearts are broken, we are comforted knowing her love will remain with us forever. She taught us what it means to be strong, to love deeply, and to cherish family above all else.

She will be deeply missed and forever remembered.

# Tribute Wall

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“ I'm at Ruth bruner in 1983 she was wonderful from the first time I met her I worked with her for 5 years she had my back the whole time no matter what there are so many wonderful memories I have of Ruth bruner we would have lunch together sometimes and she would always take a french fry from my plate it was so cute and she was the only one that could do that I visited her last year and it was wonderful to see her I spoke to her about 4 months ago the last time I spoke to her we had a great conversation I loved her very much we stayed in touch and we will continue to stay in touch she was my family I loved her very much

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“ Ruthie was a gem and will be greatly missed!  
Mary Kephart

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**Mary Kephart** - March 24 at 07:27 PM