



## Audrey Ruth Shields

June 15, 1926 - November 4, 2015

Audrey Ruth Shields, age 89, passed away on November 4, 2015 at Wheaton Franciscan All-Saints Hospital.

Audrey was born on June 15, 1926 in Baltimore, MD to Benjamin and Sarah (nee Cherry) Shields. She moved to Racine, WI when she was 20. Audrey ran a printing press at Twin Disc for 28 years, retiring in 1982.

Audrey was a member of Gethsemane Lutheran Church. She enjoyed making hand crafts and doing bead work. She especially enjoyed going to Door County with her best friend and companion, Edna Peterson.

Audrey is survived by her friend of 69 years, Edna Peterson, Edna's family and friends.

A memorial service for Audrey will be held on Tuesday, November 10 at 1:00 p.m. at Gethsemane Lutheran Church, 3319 Washington Avenue. Visitation will be held from 12:00 noon until the time of the service. Inurnment will take place at Mound Cemetery. Online condolences may be expressed at [www.wilsonfuneralhomeracine.com](http://www.wilsonfuneralhomeracine.com).

A special thank you is extended to Julie Salas, Audrey and Edna's caregiver who has been a tremendous help to both of them.



# Cemetery Details

## Mound Cemetery

1147 West Blvd.  
Racine, WI 53405  
(262) 636-9188  
crystal.weime@cityofracine.org  
<https://cityofracine.org/Cemetery/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 10. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Gethsemane Lutheran Church  
3319 Washington Avenue  
Racine, WI 53405

## Service

NOV 10. 1:00 PM (CT)

Gethsemane Lutheran Church  
3319 Washington Avenue  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Audrey Ruth Shields

October 08, 2023 at 09:17 PM



“ Audrey Ruth Shields

October 31, 2022 at 04:17 PM



“ I have known Audrey since 1992. Edna and Audrey were seasonals at the campground that we owned. They were like grandmothers to my daughters. I can still picture them on the floor of their trailer and they were teaching them all kinds of crafts. After we sold the campground, my girls and I would stop at their house on the way down to Illinois to see my family. She will be greatly missed. She was like part of my family. She would call my husband her nephew. My thoughts and prayers are with Edna. I called Edna on her birthday and she told me about Audrey. I was speechless.

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