



Ann Davy Offutt Boyden

June 29, 1924 - August 12, 2023

Ann Davy Offutt Boyden, 99, died on August 12, 2023, at Heron Point in Chestertown, MD. She was born to Milton J. and Mary Elizabeth Offutt, nee Grimes, in Baltimore on June 29, 1924.

Growing up, her summers were spent sailing around the Chesapeake Bay on a bugeye rig, the Richard J. Vetra. At Garrison Forest School, Ann was editor-in-chief of the news magazine Full Cry, and captain of the basketball team, as well as a member of the field hockey team, graduating in 1942.

While a student at Bryn Mawr College, Ann attended the Baltimore Bachelors' Cotillion, where she met her future husband, John Hanson Boyden, Jr. (Jack), then a student at Johns Hopkins. They were married on February 9, 1945.

Following Jack's wartime service as a navigator in the Army Air Corps, they settled in Charlottesville, VA, while he finished his studies in chemical engineering at the University of Virginia. Over the years, Jack's career took the family to Lake Charles, LA, Montclair, NJ, and Ridgefield, CT. They retired to Chestertown in 1985, building a home on Kinnaird Point. They attended Emmanuel Episcopal Church and were supporters of the Chesapeake Bay Foundation and Sultana Education Foundation. She volunteered with KART (Kent Association of Riding Therapy). In 2006, they traded country living for town life, joining the Heron Point Community. Jack passed away on July 18,

2015.

She is survived by her half-sister, Judith Doolittle Whitman of Chestertown, and four daughters, Ann Davy Harwi of Riverview Estates, FL, Mary Boyden Hinely of Lexington, VA, Sarah McRea Boyden-Smith of New Oxford, PA, and Katherine Boyden McCormick of Hudson Township, OH. She had six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Chesapeake Bay Foundation at 6 Herndon Ave., Annapolis, MD 21403 or to KART at P.O. Box 126, Worton, MD 21678.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ann Davy Offutt Boyden*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Jeanette Stubbs lit a candle in memory of Ann Davy Offutt Boyden*



Jeanette Stubbs - August 15, 2023 at 07:01 AM