



## Anna Showell Veitenheimer

June 18, 1924 - January 5, 2016

Anna Showell Veitenheimer of Chestertown, MD, died on Tuesday, January 5, 2016, at Compass Regional Hospice in Centreville. She was 91.

Born on June 18, 1924 in Riverside, NJ, she was the daughter of the late George Rexamer and Lenore Baker Wright Showell. She graduated from Palmyra High School in New Jersey. In January of 1943, she married Thomas E. Veitenheimer, who predeceased her in 2015. The two moved to Maryland in 1964. Mrs. Veitenheimer worked as a bookkeeper for numerous businesses, eventually retiring from Chestertown Bank in 1986. She was a well-known artist on the Eastern Shore, who was self-taught over the years. Mrs. Veitenheimer served on the art advisory board at Chesapeake College and volunteered at Kent and Queen Anne's Hospital. She was a member of the Chestertown Art League, Country Craft Guild and River Arts. She enjoyed being around family and people, swimming, gardening, and watching her birds and cats.

She is survived by three sons, Thomas Veitenheimer, Jr., of Chestertown, MD, James B. Veitenheimer of Manchester, NH, Erich E. Veitenheimer, III, of Alexandria, VA; a sister, Elsie Waters of New Jersey; three grandchildren, Lindy Veitenheimer of London, England, Tiffany Hahn of Easton, MD, Thomas Christian Veitenheimer of Pasadena, MD; and three great grandchildren, Amanda Hahn of Easton, MD, Michael Jeffrey Hahn of Easton, MD, and

Thomas Riley Veitenheimer of Pasadena, MD. She was predeceased by a brother, Dewees Showell and three sisters, Lenore "Sister," Betty, and Nell.

A visitation will be held on Thursday, January 14, 2016 from 4 p.m. – 6 p.m. at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home in Chestertown, MD. Services will be held on Saturday, January 16, 2016, at 10 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church, 500 Fourth St., Riverton, NJ, where a burial will follow the service in the church's memorial garden.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be sent to the Kent County Humane Society, 10720 Augustine Herman Highway, Chestertown, MD 21620 or Christ Episcopal Church, 500 Fourth St., Riverton, NJ 08077.

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

# Tribute Wall



“ *Anna Showell Veitenheimer*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Anna Showell Veitenheimer*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



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**Vera Worm** - January 17, 2016 at 08:59 AM



“ *"Aunt" Ann was such a warm and vibrant person, a wonderful, strong lady whose love of nature, the ocean and her cats was so evident in the life she lived as well as the art that she shared with so many people, both friends and strangers. She has left an amazing legacy for us all to cherish...I will miss her dearly.*

**Shelly Kapitan** - January 14, 2016 at 08:58 AM

TH

“ *I will miss you beyond words. Losing both Grandpop and Grandmom within 2 months of eachother has really put into light for me what I need to do to make sure their wealth of knowledge gets passed down to the next generatons. I love you both so much.*

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**Tiffany Veitenheimer Hahn** - January 11, 2016 at 11:56 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Anna Showell Veitenheimer.*



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January 11, 2016 at 10:29 AM

LA

“ *Lisa Adkins lit a candle in memory of Anna Showell Veitenheimer*



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**Lisa Adkins** - January 09, 2016 at 10:23 AM

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**Shelly Worm Kapitan** - January 09, 2016 at 10:20 AM

  
Lindsay  
Goebel  
Veitenheimer

“ *I'm going to miss this amazing woman. She was so talented and caring. She gave great advice as well. I wish I could've been there with her but at least we shared some time with her at Christmas which I will always treasure. It's comforting to know that we have gained another angel to watch over us. I'm sure her and grandpop are playing oh hell and drinking Manhattens.*

**Lindsay Goebel Veitenheimer** - January 09, 2016 at 08:16 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Anna Showell Veitenheimer.*



January 08, 2016 at 05:31 PM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Anna Showell Veitenheimer.*



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January 08, 2016 at 12:30 PM



“ *The Family Of Lawrence Emley lit a candle in memory of Anna Showell Veitenheimer*



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**The Family of Lawrence Emley** - January 08, 2016 at 11:42 AM



“ *Jeanne Geibel lit a candle in memory of Anna Showell Veitenheimer*



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**Jeanne Geibel** - January 07, 2016 at 07:12 PM



*Always enjoyed seeing Anne and Tom at the craft shows. I have several of her Christmas ornaments. I'll think of her every time I see them.*

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**Jeanne Geibel** - January 07, 2016 at 07:17 PM

JB

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Always enjoyed talking with both Tom and Ann at various events around Kent County. Tom and my husband Wayne always talked police (and how much it had changed over the years). They were such a wonderful couple and are together after 70 plus years of marriage. Will miss them.  
Joyce & Wayne Bradley



Joyce & Wayne Bradley - January 07, 2016 at 04:50 PM

NT

“ Nancy Toy lit a candle in memory of Anna Showell Veitenheimer



Nancy Toy - January 07, 2016 at 03:35 PM

NT

The Veitenheimers were kind lovely people and I shall miss them both. May they rest in peace.

Nancy Toy - January 07, 2016 at 03:38 PM

TV

I remember Aunt Anna jay showing me her art work when I was younger. I saw her in action with a paint brush. I like to think she was an important part of developing my art as well. Though I didn't get the chance to know her like I would have she will always be part of my heart and soul. I do and will remember her with every stroke of my brush. Peace and Love beautiful lady.

Terry Keith Veitenheimer - January 08, 2016 at 07:16 PM

JN

“ *Joyce Nicholson lit a candle in memory of Anna Showell Veitenheimer*



**Joyce Nicholson** - January 07, 2016 at 09:13 AM

JN

*Wonderful Talented Lady, always enjoyed seeing her. Now she & Mr Tom are together again. So sorry for your loss.*

**Joyce Nicholson** - January 07, 2016 at 09:15 AM

MS

*Anna was a great artist. Heartfelt condolences to her family.*

**Maria Smith** - January 07, 2016 at 02:36 PM

SA

“ *Sorry for your loss.*



**shawyn watson. Bestcare Ambulance** - January 06, 2016 at 09:03 AM

JW

“ *Juanita Wieczoreck lit a candle in memory of Anna Showell Veitenheimer*



**Juanita Wieczoreck** - January 06, 2016 at 08:27 AM