



Audrey Louise Lechthaler

August 18, 1923 - December 21, 2013

Audrey Louise Lechthaler of Easton, MD, was taken home to be with the angels on December 21, 2013, at her home in William Hill Gardens. She was 90.

Audrey L. Lechthaler was born on August 18, 1923, in Baltimore, MD, the daughter of Roy and Louise Kirby Gerwig. She spent many happy times in St. Michaels where her mom grew up, and always loved going to The Ocean.

Audrey married Warren Lechthaler on July 5, 1947 in Baltimore. They made their home and raised their children in Sudbrook Park, Pikesville. There, she was active in Ames United Methodist Church as Sunday school teacher, church secretary and member of the Wesley Circle. She also worked as a church-based kindergarten teacher and in retail sales at Hutzler's and Stewart's in Baltimore. In 1981, Audrey and Warren moved to Easton where she spent several years as a salesperson at Westphal Jewelers and was an active member of St. Mark's United Methodist Church, the Easton Memorial Auxiliary, the Hospital Commission Shop, Isaac Walton League, AARP, and the Edge Creek Boat Club.

Her favorite activities were listening to music, playing the piano, spending time with her family, painting and needlework. And she loved traveling and being with friends.

Stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage in 1996, she eventually recovered her ability to eat and walk but was thereafter unable to speak. However, she managed to express her love in many, many ways to those around her, spending most of the rest of her days and nights with the William Hill community, staff and visiting family members.

Although unable to form the words, she communicated well and often to those around her with actions and expressions of love — dancing, joy and laughter!

Mrs. Lechthaler is survived by her children, Suzanne Hood (Rich) of Royal Oak, MD, and Donald Lechthaler (Karen) of Libertytown, MD; a sister-in-law, Elizabeth Lechthaler of Easton; grandchildren, Allyson Horst (Monte), Lewis Hood and Lance Hood (of Baltimore), and great-grandchildren, George and Hayes Horst. In addition to her parents, and husband, she was predeceased by her brother, Charles Gerwig and his wife, Marge, and sister-in-law, Irene Lechthaler.

A memorial service will be held at William Hill Gardens at 11 am on Monday, December 30.

In lieu of flowers, please thank Audrey's many loving caregivers by contributing to the William Hill Manor Employee Scholarship Fund, 501 Dutchmans Lane, Easton, MD 21601.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 30. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (ET)

William Hill Gardens
545 Cynwood Drive
Easton, MD 21601
keith@fhfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ Audrey Louise Lechthaler

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Audrey Louise Lechthaler

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Audrey Louise Lechthaler

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ Jeanne Smith lit a candle in memory of
Audrey Louise Lechthaler



jeanne smith - January 06, 2014 at 10:24 AM

SH

“ 21 files added to the tribute wall



Suzanne Hood - December 28, 2013 at 01:12 PM

NS

“ Suzanne.....Loved this lady so much, she was such a sweetheart. She will be missed so much!!!!
Nancy Smith



Nancy Smith - December 27, 2013 at 06:13 PM

LC

“ Lori Collier lit a candle in memory of Audrey Louise Lechthaler



Lori Collier - December 27, 2013 at 09:13 AM

TF

“ *Ms Audrey was a beautiful lady enjoyed dancing and singing with her at the gardens and having her greet me when I came in to work at the gardens..... she will be missed god bless you all Tina*

tina flamer - December 24, 2013 at 06:05 AM