



Betty Lee Dunegan

April 8, 1926 - November 18, 2019

Betty Lee Dunegan, 93, passed away on November 18, 2019, at her home in Easton, MD.

She was born on April 8, 1926, in California, daughter of the late James Lee Dent and Vida Elizabeth Varela Dent. Mrs. Dunegan was a professional figure skater and instructor.

She is survived by her cousin, John Pugh of Hollywood, MD.

Services will be private.

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Lee Dunegan*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Betty Lee Dunegan*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Betty Lee Dunegan*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

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“ My condolences to Mr. John P. Pugh and Family on the loss of your cousin, Mrs. Betty Lee Dunegan. I have recently come across some correspondence Mrs. Dunegan had with Edmund C. Wall, then secretary/treasurer of the Sousa Band Fraternal Society going back to 1983 and was fascinated to learn she was the great-great niece of John Philip Sousa and that her great-grandmother, Catherine Varela was Mr. Sousa's sister! In her letter, she recalled as a child, Mr. Sousa coming to his sister's home and enjoying her spaghetti - a favorite dish of Mr. Sousa! I am sorry that I did not know of your cousin until this writing as Mr. Sousa's biographer, the late Dr. Paul E. Bierley placed all remaining Sousa Band Fraternal Society documents in my possession some years ago and only recently, came across your cousin's correspondence. I'm sure it is more than a happy coincidence that you share first and middle names with your famous relation. Again, my condolences on the loss of Mrs. Dunegan.

Barry Owen Furrer
Palmyra, VA

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