



Charlotte Smith Delahay

June 8, 1922 - November 23, 2013

Charlotte Smith Delahay of Easton, MD, died on November 23, 2013, at Hospice of Queen Anne's in Centreville, MD. She was 91.

Charlotte was born on June 8, 1922, in Riverside, CA, to Merle and Frances Smith. Charlotte was raised in Berkeley and later moved to Pasadena. She attended USC, UCLA, and the California Art Center College of Design. In her mid 20's, she moved to Oahu, HI, to work for I. Magnin and Elizabeth Arden. She was swept off her feet by Lt. Samuel "Hoss" Wayman Delahay, Jr., who was stationed there while on detachment to the Marines. They married in Berkeley and after retiring from the military, moved to Oxford, MD, and later to Trappe, MD, where they remained for the rest of their married lives.

Once settled on the shore, Charlotte found a community of wonderful friends and family that would sustain her throughout her life. She was a gift buyer for Sports and Specialties Shoppe in Easton for nearly 30 years. Later she volunteered for the Junior Auxiliary at Easton Memorial Hospital and Easter Seals. She was a superb cook, devoted wife, and an extraordinary mother.

She is preceded in death by her brother, Merle Smith, Jr., and her husband, Hoss, who died in December of 1994. She is survived by her daughter, Charlotte "Peaches" Delahay Meyer, her son-in-law, George Meyer, and her beloved kitty, Bo. In addition to her many friends, she leaves behind devoted

relatives in California, Hawaii, Maryland, Montana, New York, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, December 3, 2013, at St. Paul's Church, in Trappe, MD. Interment will be private. She will be laid to rest with Hoss at Oxford Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations are requested for the Hospice of Queen Anne's who cared for her so compassionately in her final days, 255 Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Trappe
3936 Main Street
Trappe, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Charlotte Smith Delahay* ”



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 09, 2023 at 10:13 PM



“ *Charlotte Smith Delahay* ”

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Charlotte Smith Delahay* ”

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Charlotte Smith Delahay* ”

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

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“ Dear Peaches and George, I am really sorry to hear about mrs Delahay she was a very good patient and I enjoyed taking care of her.. thank you for being there for me when my best friend died and your offer to talk anytime I needed it.. and I would like to make the same offer to you please call me or email me if I can do anything at all for you email dflamer@goeaston.net or call 410-253-1769 bless you and many prayers.. Tina Flamer

tina flamer - November 28, 2013 at 02:46 PM

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“ Dear Peaches, I was very sorry to learn of your moms passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. If you tried to contact me you probably had the wrong address. I am now in a retirement community in Staunton. E-mail dicdel300@yahoo.com.
Prayerfully,
Dick Delahay
Mom and I always looked forward to our visits with Charlotte and your dad on our trips to the Eastern Shore.

Dick Delahay - November 27, 2013 at 10:08 PM