



## Cornelia Cheezum

October 9, 1927 - February 14, 2015

Cornelia A. Cheezum died Saturday, February 14, 2015, at Genesis HealthCare-The Pines in Easton, MD. She was 87.

Born on October 9, 1927, in Neavitt, MD, she was the daughter of the late James M. and Emily Haddaway Newnam. She attended St. Michael's High School. On December 19, 1944, she married Robert G. Cheezum, Sr. They made a home and raised their children in Claiborne, MD. She enjoyed traveling and cooking.

Cornelia is survived by her children, Cheryl Kelley (Donald) of Sherwood, James "Spry" Cheezum (Donna) of Neavitt; daughter-in-law, Linda Cheezum of Easton; grandchildren, Kevin Kelley, Kimberli Cheezum Vaccari; and great grandchildren, Kaitlin Kelley, Taylor Kelley, Max Vaccari, and Chase Vaccari. In addition to her husband, Robert G. Cheezum, Sr., she was predeceased by her son, Robert G. Cheezum, Jr., and grandson, Darren Cheezum.

A memorial service will be held on Monday, February 23, 2015, at 10:30 a.m. at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Easton, MD. Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be sent to Chesapeake Bay Foundation, Attn: Membership Department, 6 Herndon Avenue, Annapolis,

MD 21403.

## Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Service

FEB **23**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Easton Location  
200 S Harrison St  
Easton, MD 21601  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Cornelia Cheezum*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Cornelia Cheezum*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Cornelia Cheezum*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Sherry Johnson Hurley lit a candle in memory of Cornelia Cheezum*



**Sherry Johnson Hurley** - February 23, 2015 at 06:08 PM



“ *Such sad news. She was such a kind, sweet lady. It's so hard to lose a parent. I found that the stable, secure feeling we've always had leaves, only to be replaced with sadness and grief. My thoughts and prayers are with Cheryl and her family.*  
*Mary Ann*

**Mary Ann Smith** - February 20, 2015 at 08:14 PM

WJ

“ Wayne & Becky Jones lit a candle in memory of Cornelia Cheezum



Wayne & Becky Jones - February 16, 2015 at 07:16 AM

WJ

Cheryl And Donnie,

We are so sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers.

Wayne and Becky Jones - February 16, 2015 at 07:18 AM

MH

“ Neil is the last of my grandmother's(Lucy Haddaway) Newnam cousins. I just know that they are in Heaven gossiping like they used to do on the phone. To the family, you have our deepest sympathies. Bob and Bobby now have the person to keep them straight!

Monica and Jeff Heinsohn - February 14, 2015 at 04:24 PM

MH

“ Monica And Jeff Heinsohn lit a candle in memory of Cornelia Cheezum



Monica and Jeff Heinsohn - February 14, 2015 at 04:22 PM

LE

“ *One kind, gentle and loving lady. Rest in peace, Miss Neil as you join your loved ones who are waiting for you with open arms.*

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**Leslie** - February 14, 2015 at 12:56 PM

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“ *Leslie lit a candle in memory of Cornelia Cheezum*



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**Leslie** - February 14, 2015 at 12:53 PM