



## Daniel C. Shortall

February 18, 1937 - June 11, 2009

Daniel Carroll Shortall died at his home on Thursday, June 11, 2009. He was 72.

Born February 18, 1937 in Easton, MD to the late Daniel J. Shortall and Helen E. Barcus Shortall. He graduated from Centreville High School in the Class of 1955 and served in the National Guard for several years.

On October 22, 1955 he married Elizabeth Ann Moore and they resided near Centreville where they worked on the family farm and raised their five children. Dan & Ann were one of the first poultry contractors to raise chickens in Queen Anne's County.

Dan was active in Farm Bureau, both at the County and State levels, serving as County President and State Vice President. He was interested in land preservation and served on both the County and State Land Preservation Boards. He was a 4-H All Star, 4-H Club Leader, 4-H Park Board member and served as Chairman of Queen Anne's County Fair.

Dan was a member of the Queen Anne's Museum of Eastern Shore Life, President of Corsica Antique Tractor Club, a member of the Ruthsburg Community Club and Our Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church where he served as Trustee for nearly 40 years.

In addition to his loving wife of 53 years he is survived by five loved children, Carol Gallo and her husband, Gene, Beth Higgs and her husband, Tommy, Judy Conley and her husband, Paul, Joan Baxter and her husband, David and Steve Shortall and his wife, Nancy; beloved sister, Shirley Brogley; a brother, Robert Shortall; 14 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren and two great grandchildren expected. Also survived by his faithful dog "Buddy".

Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 15, 2009 at 10:00 at Mother of Sorrows Catholic Church, Centreville, MD. Friends may call on Sunday, June 14, 2009 from 2 – 4 and 6 – 8 at the Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P. A., Centreville, MD.

A special Thank you to Brenda Dadds, R.N. from the Queen Anne's County Hospice.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Queen Anne's Museum of Eastern Shore Life, ATT: Steam Engine Project, P.O. Box 525, Centreville, MD 21617 or the Hospice of Queen Anne's, Inc., 255 Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN **15**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Our Mother of Sorrows Church  
303 Chesterfield Avenue  
Centreville, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Daniel C. Shortall*



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - June 11, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Daniel C. Shortall*

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Daniel C. Shortall*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Daniel C. Shortall*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ Dear Ann & Family,  
I am so sorry to hear about Dan's death, I just found out today 6/16.  
When I last talked to Joan she told me he was doing well. I will  
remember him often he was always so nice to me. My thoughts &  
prayers will be with you during this tme of great loss.  
Fondly, Marlene & Ron Davis###imported-begin##Marlene  
Davis###imported-end##

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June 16, 2009 at 01:45 PM



“ Dear Ann and family,  
  
Please know that our prayers go out to you and your family. We will  
miss seeing Dan in church but rest assured our fond memories of  
him will always be there.  
Few people have done so much to touch the lives of those here in  
Queen Anne's County. Dan was always so kind and we will never  
forget the warm smile as he greeted us each Sunday. He was so  
loved and respected by all, a true pillar of our  
community.###imported-begin##Klaus & Anne Liebig###imported-  
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June 15, 2009 at 10:09 AM



“ Shortall Family- What a loss for our community, but wow, what a  
gain for heaven! This little town girl can remember getting a taste of  
country living from the days I would go home with Beth for  
sleepovers. What I remember the most were the chicken houses  
and the square dances. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you  
during this difficult time.  
Jane Anthony###imported-begin##Jane Anthony###imported-end##

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June 15, 2009 at 09:38 AM



“ Dan embodied every good thing about Queen Anne's County. We always enjoyed talking to him and Ann and even though we didn't see him often his presence will be greatly missed. He was an exceptionally strong and good man.##imported-begin##Nancy & Mike Koval##imported-end##

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June 14, 2009 at 05:34 PM



“ Dear Ann and family,  
We were saddened to read of Dan's passing. We have many fond memories of him and how he cherished his family as they grew up. He was an asset to our community and will be sorely missed. John and Cathy Gannon##imported-begin##John and Cathy Gannon##imported-end##

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June 12, 2009 at 09:46 AM



“ Aunt Beth and Family: Our hearts go out to all of you during this difficult time. Your Dad will also be known to us as "Pop-Pop" Shortall. You all are blessed to have such wonderful memories of your Dad and the times you spent with him. All of you are in our hearts and prayers.##imported-begin##Amy, Bo and Benton Greenwood##imported-end##

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June 12, 2009 at 07:54 AM



“ Ann and family: We were very saddened to read of Mr. Dan's passing. Queen Anne's County has surely lost a legacy and will be missed by many. He loved his family and friends. The farming community was very important to him and always put it first. Our prayers are with you and may God be at your side during this sad time. He has gone to a place where there will be no more pain and God will take good care of him. God Bless you and your family at this time. Gene and Lynda Palmatary###imported-begin##Lynda Palmatary###imported-end##

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June 11, 2009 at 09:57 PM



“ Ann & family: We are saddened by Danny's death. You all were good friends, we will miss him. Carol, Beth, Judy, Joan & Steve, your Dad will never be forgotten. Cherish all the wonderful memories you have of him.###imported-begin##Bradford & Margaret ###imported-end##

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June 11, 2009 at 08:27 PM



“ Joan and David I am so sorry to hear of your dads passing having faced this myself and i know dave has too lknow the pain yru feeling , just knwo you are in my thoughts and prayers and if ther is anything i can do plase let me know , just keep him alive by keeping your memories of him in your heart .. Love Kathy###imported-begin##Kathy Lee Hyde ###imported-end##

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June 11, 2009 at 04:22 PM