



## Diana Waterman

April 25, 1961 - October 17, 2024

Centreville resident Diana Waterman passed away from cancer on October 17, 2024. She was 63.

Diana was the Chief Financial Officer for Waterman Realty on Kent Island and an influential leader of the Republican Party in Maryland.

Diana grew up in Virginia Beach. She met her husband, Barry, while attaining her Bachelor of Science in Math and Physics from Sweet Briar College in Amherst, Virginia. They were married in 1985 and have two children - Kevin and Caty.

Together they grew the real estate company started by Barry's father.

Diana was elected to the Republican Central Committee in in 2006 and held various offices within the Committee, including Chair. She later became the President of the Maryland Federation of Republican Women. She was elected as 1st Vice Chair and later served as Chairman of the Maryland Republican Party from 2013 to 2017.

A visitation will be held on Thursday, October 24 from 2-4 and 6-8 at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newman funeral home in Centreville. A funeral Mass will be held on Friday, October 25 at 11 am at Mother of Sorrows Catholic

Church in Centreville.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to The Diana Waterman Scholarship Fund. The Fund will offer an annual scholarship to a college bound young woman from Queen Anne's County planning to study political science, with the intent to bring people together for the greater good.

The Diana Waterman Scholarship

c/o Chesapeake Charities

101 Log Canoe Circle, Ste O

Stevensville MD 21666

[[https://ccharities.fcsuite.com/erp/donate/create/fund?funit\\_id=2155](https://ccharities.fcsuite.com/erp/donate/create/fund?funit_id=2155)]

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **24.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A.  
408 S. Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD 21617

## Visitation

OCT **24.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A.  
408 S. Liberty Street  
Centreville, MD 21617

## Funeral Service

OCT **25.** 11:00 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 Diana Waterman*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - October 22, 2024 at 04:01 PM

JU

*I am shocked and heartbroken to hear the news of your passing. You were an amazing, inspiring, kind, patient and dedicated woman that I have come across in the Republican women's forum. I pray you rest in peace, and may the Lord grant your family, and friends the fortitude to bear this irreparable loss.*

*The world has lost a gem, an angel has join the heavenly choir. Diana, you will be missed. R.i.P*

Juliana - October 22, 2024 at 06:33 PM

DW

“ *Diana was always so kind to me. I'm so sorry to hear of her passing. My thoughts and prayers to the entire family.*



Dani Woodhurst - October 30, 2024 at 05:37 PM

CL

“ *Diana will forever hold a place in my heart.  
Thank you for sharing a piece of her beautiful  
life with us all.*



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**Cody Leach** - October 25, 2024 at 09:34 PM

RB

*Caty, my heart and soul are with you during your time of loss. The loss  
of a parent is very difficult . Your Mom will live on through you* ❤️

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**Robin Blanchard** - October 27, 2024 at 12:47 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the  
family of Diana Waterman.*



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October 23, 2024 at 04:30 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the  
family of Diana Waterman.*



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October 23, 2024 at 02:22 PM

MP

“ *Mari Fran, David, Dori, Matt, Claire and Pat purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Diana Waterman.*



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**Mari Fran, David, Dori, Matt, Claire and Pat** - October 23, 2024 at 01:14 PM

HS

“ *Barry and Family, We are very sorry to hear about Diana. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May her smile and memories be with you all forever! Hank & Kim Starkey*

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**HANK STARKEY** - October 23, 2024 at 08:25 AM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Diana Waterman.*



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October 22, 2024 at 05:53 PM

TF

“ *The Hughes Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diana Waterman.*

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**The Hughes Family** - October 22, 2024 at 05:53 PM

ML

“ Martha Riggs Lowry purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Diana Waterman.



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Martha Riggs Lowry - October 22, 2024 at 01:21 PM

ML

“ Martha Riggs Lowry planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diana Waterman.

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Martha Riggs Lowry - October 22, 2024 at 01:21 PM

KM

“ I met Diana when Kevin started kindergarten at SSPP. She was a constant support and a creative room mom. We continued our friendship when Caty entered my class and Diana was again a creative energetic room mom. She and my mom bonded in politics. Throughout the years, we hugged and 'caught up' whenever our paths crossed, and she was there to be a rock when I needed her help. This angel earned her wings.....  
Love, hugs, and prayers to Kevin, Caty, Barry, and family.



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Kathryne Middleton - October 22, 2024 at 01:06 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Diana Waterman.



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October 22, 2024 at 11:04 AM



“ *Bright and Beautiful Spray was purchased for the family of Diana Waterman.*



October 22, 2024 at 10:45 AM



“ *Gary & Luanne Ruddell purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Diana Waterman.*



**Gary & Luanne Ruddell** - October 22, 2024 at 10:21 AM



“ *Sending prayers and my deepest condolences to your family. The world has lost a beautiful and lovely lady too soon!*



**Patti Evans** - October 21, 2024 at 11:10 PM



*Caty, I send my prayers and love to you and your family.*

**Robin Blanchard** - October 27, 2024 at 12:23 PM

T3

“ *The Girls of SSPP '07 & Troop 323 purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Diana Waterman.*



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**The Girls of SSPP '07 & Troop 323** - October 21, 2024 at 05:02 PM



“ *A tree was planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diana Waterman.*

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October 21, 2024 at 05:02 PM

GP

“ *Gail Thies, President purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Diana Waterman.*



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**Gail Thies, President** - October 21, 2024 at 01:21 PM

TA

“ *Tami lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Tami** - October 21, 2024 at 12:57 PM

JA

“ *Such a wonderful soul that left us far too soon.* ”



Jumel Amante - October 21, 2024 at 12:08 PM

WF

“ *Heartfelt condolences and prayers to the family.* ”

Wayne Foote - October 21, 2024 at 12:07 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Diana Waterman.* ”



October 21, 2024 at 11:19 AM

TF

“ *The Ruff Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Diana Waterman.* ”

The Ruff Family - October 21, 2024 at 09:24 AM

TF

“ *The Ruff Family purchased the Care and Compassion Spray for the family of Diana Waterman.* ”



The Ruff Family - October 21, 2024 at 09:24 AM

JC

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**Jeanette Cotter** - October 21, 2024 at 04:12 AM

TH

“ *Tammy Hall lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



**Tammy Hall** - October 20, 2024 at 08:40 PM

LT

“ *Lynn, Paula And Terry lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



**Lynn, Paula and Terry** - October 20, 2024 at 03:33 PM

DC

“ *Darlene Chambers lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



**Darlene Chambers** - October 20, 2024 at 08:56 AM

KT

“ *Kathy And Don Trotter lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Kathy and Don Trotter** - October 19, 2024 at 01:58 PM

BC

“ *Brandi Collier Colbert lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Brandi Collier Colbert** - October 19, 2024 at 01:52 PM

VP

“ *Vicki Peranio lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Vicki Peranio** - October 19, 2024 at 12:24 PM

KC

“ *Kathy Comegys lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Kathy Comegys** - October 19, 2024 at 10:02 AM

KC

*So sorry to hear of your loss. What a wonderful person she was.*

**Kathy Comegys** - October 19, 2024 at 10:03 AM

KO

“ *Kathy Comegys Van Orden lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



**Kathy Comegys Van Orden** - October 19, 2024 at 10:01 AM

DP

“ *Doug Pierson lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



**Doug Pierson** - October 19, 2024 at 09:42 AM

JT

“ *Jess Thomas lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



**Jess Thomas** - October 19, 2024 at 07:07 AM

LS

“ Laurie Schnaitman lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman



Laurie Schnaitman - October 19, 2024 at 02:04 AM

AP

“ Art Potts lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman



Art Potts - October 18, 2024 at 08:52 PM

GP

“ Gene And Lynda Palmatary, Centreville sent a virtual gift in memory of Diana Waterman



Gene and Lynda Palmatary, Centreville - October 18, 2024 at 07:39 PM

PW

“ PAULA A WARNER lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman



PAULA A WARNER - October 18, 2024 at 06:28 PM

DD

“ *Debbie Dean lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Debbie Dean** - October 18, 2024 at 05:48 PM

JA

“ *Joann Anderson lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Joann Anderson** - October 18, 2024 at 05:03 PM

TB

“ *i met Diana way back in about 1974 when she was going to Camp Matoka in Suffolk Va, she was taking horse riding lessons and i was working at the stables that the girls from the camp were training at ,i believe it was 3 summers in a row , and we became friends and over the years you get lost in the shuffle and we lost touch but i found her on fb last year and we reminisced a bit, I'm glad i did and glad i got the opportunity to talk with her again, sincere thoughts and prayers to her family*



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**Terry Bangley** - October 18, 2024 at 03:56 PM

TH

“ *As one of Caty's coworkers I want to express my sincere love and condolences to the Waterman family. You're in my thoughts and prayers*

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**Tonya Hall-Mills** - October 18, 2024 at 03:07 PM

DS

“ *Diane Sweitzer lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Diane Sweitzer** - October 18, 2024 at 02:41 PM

CF

“ *Connie Fallon lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



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**Connie Fallon** - October 18, 2024 at 02:03 PM

ES

“ *My sincere condolences to the family of Diana. I'm praying for your comfort and peace.  
Diana was a positive, strong woman and a mentor to many. I'm thankful to have known her.*

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**Eileen Sobjack** - October 18, 2024 at 01:57 PM

LA

“ *Diana was one of my very best friends. I am missing her terribly. Love, peace and prayers for the Watermans.*

Laurie - October 18, 2024 at 01:40 PM

BW

“ *Barbara Whaley lit a candle in memory of Diana Waterman*



barbara whaley - October 18, 2024 at 01:31 PM

DB

“ *Diana was a beautiful force of nature and an amazing woman. She left a wonderful impression everywhere she went. She is in God's arms now.*

Diane Butler - October 18, 2024 at 12:28 PM

RB

*Caty, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. It is so hard to lose a parent . There is no do over, just much loved memories.*

Robin Blanchard - October 27, 2024 at 12:39 PM

BF

*Barry and the Waterman family. I am so sorry for your loss, and a great loss to all those that knew Diana. May peace come to all of you....Bruce Foster*

Bruce Foster - November 01, 2024 at 03:50 PM