



Elizabeth Riley

May 10, 1934 - May 24, 2012

Elizabeth Gannon affectionately known as "Boop" Riley, of Easton, MD, died on May 24, 2012, at the Talbot Hospice House. She was 78.

Mrs. Riley was born in Trappe, MD, on May 10, 1934. She was the daughter of the late Pete Glanville Gannon and Amelia Murray Gannon.

She graduated from Easton High School in 1953. She worked for the State of Maryland Department of Social Services retiring as a Supervisor of Income Maintenance in May of 1994 after 24 years of service.

She enjoyed golf as well as shuffleboard at the Kent Island American Legion Post #278. Her favorite pastimes were shopping and traveling.

Mrs. Riley is survived by her husband, James F. Riley, whom she married in October of 1992; a son, William Thomas "Tom" Davis, Jr., and his wife, Lisa of Centreville; a daughter, Holly Davis Shoemaker and her husband, Dan of Fishing Creek; a brother, Pete Gannon of Georgia; three grandchildren, Brandon, Jeremy, and Stacy Davis; stepchildren, Glenn and William Riley, and Jeanne Gordinier; six step-grandchildren, Jesse, Will, Ashley, Amanda, Ann, and Jake and a step-great-grandchild, Sophia.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Mary Hopkins; two grandchildren, Tyler Adams and Blair Davis; a stepson, James Riley, Jr., and one step-

grandchild, Jamie Riley.

A memorial celebration will be held on Thursday, May 31, from 5 p.m-7 p.m. at Goodwill Volunteer Fire Company in Centreville, where prayers will be offered beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to Talbot Hospice Foundation, 586 Cynwood Drive, Easton, MD 21601 and/or National Ataxia Association at 2600 Fernbrook Lane, Ste. 119, Minneapolis, MN 55447.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 31. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Goodwill Volunteer Fire Company
212 Broadway
Centreville, MD 21617

Service

MAY 31. 6:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Elizabeth Riley* ”



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 17, 2023 at 09:56 PM



“ *Elizabeth Riley* ”

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Elizabeth Riley* ”

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Elizabeth Riley* ”

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Nancy Barton Littrell lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley* ”



Nancy Barton Littrell - May 31, 2012 at 04:12 PM

BP

“ We were saddened to learn of Betty's death. We have so many wonderful memories of Betty and our days living in Centreville Heights and Memorial Day and Labor Day weekends at Camp Wright. Betty was a great neighbor and a terrific wife and mother. The Davis family is in our thoughts and prayers. Norma and Bill Patton

BILL AND NORMA PATTON - May 30, 2012 at 05:02 PM

KL

“ Kerry Legg lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley



Kerry Legg - May 30, 2012 at 09:23 AM

HC

“ Haley Childs lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley



Haley Childs - May 29, 2012 at 08:13 PM

HC

Miss Holly,

I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. Aunt Beth has told me about the good times the two of you had when she stayed at your house when you were little girls.

You are in my thoughts and prayers.

*Love,
Haley*

Haley Childs - May 29, 2012 at 08:20 PM

SW

“ *Davis Family, we are so sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.*

Bob and Sue Wolff

Sue Cook Wolff - May 29, 2012 at 08:20 AM



DW

“ *Donald And Ruth Ann Walls lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley*

Donald and Ruth Ann Walls - May 28, 2012 at 07:23 PM



BC

“ *Betty Churn lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley*

Betty Churn - May 28, 2012 at 06:59 AM



DC

“ *David And June Clark lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley*



David and June Clark - May 27, 2012 at 11:34 AM

DC

Dear Davis and Riley families, Our thoughts and prayers are with you .

David and June Clark - May 27, 2012 at 11:36 AM

JA

“ *My thoughts are with you during this sad time. Even though we know they have been freed from suffering, the loss of a mother causes great pain. The wonderful memories will help you through the tough days and months ahead. Love to you all.*
Jane and Patty

Jane Anthony - May 27, 2012 at 10:43 AM

CM

“ Tommy, Lisa, & Holly and family,

I am so sorry to learn of your Mom's Passing. Over the years, I have heard so many wonderful stories about your Mom from my Mother-in-Law, Leah Mansfield, whether it be work related or all the fun they had together on the Golf Course. I know they enjoyed each other's company and I can't help but see them now together again!

You all are in my thoughts and prayers and trust that God will give you the strength to endure this difficult time.

Cindy Mansfield

Cindy Mansfield - May 27, 2012 at 09:09 AM

BT

“ Tom, Lisa and family, my deepest sympathy in the loss of your mother. She worked with my Aunt Betty for years and I was fortunate to get to know this funny lady. She will be missed by many. I hope that your wonderful memories will help you get through the difficult times to come. I will keep you in my thoughts and in my prayers.

Brenda Tryon

Brenda L. Tryon - May 26, 2012 at 09:30 PM



GP

“ To Betty Boop's Family: How many times have we called her that when playing golf? Our prayers and thoughts are with you during your loss. We had many, many good times and laughs during our golf years. We know the memories you have of her will remain in your hearts forever. May God be with you to give you all the strength and love you need at this time. God Bless you all with many blessings.
Gene and Lynda Palmatary



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - May 25, 2012 at 09:53 PM

JP

“ JoAnn & Royden Powell lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley



JoAnn & Royden Powell - May 25, 2012 at 08:37 PM

JP

Thinking of you all with love.

JoAnn & Royden Powell - May 25, 2012 at 08:38 PM

BL

“ Beth & Bill Lacey lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley



Beth & Bill Lacey - May 25, 2012 at 07:08 PM

BL

“ Beth & Bill Lacey sent a virtual gift in memory of Elizabeth Riley



Beth & Bill Lacey - May 25, 2012 at 06:56 PM

GP

“ Gene And Lynda Palmatary lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - May 25, 2012 at 12:14 PM

PM

“ Pam Marvel lit a candle in memory of Elizabeth Riley



Pam Marvel - May 25, 2012 at 09:33 AM