



## Elsie W. Franck

March 2, 1913 - December 26, 2012

Elsie Watterson Franck, of McDaniel, MD, formerly of Lancaster, PA, died at the Talbot Hospice House in Easton on Wednesday, December 26, 2012. She was 99.

Born in Philadelphia, PA, March 3, 1913, she was the daughter of the late Henry W. and Florence Myers Watterson. After graduating from Hahnemann Hospital School of Nursing in Philadelphia, she worked briefly as a private duty nurse. She later received a Bachelor of Science degree in Education from the Millersville State College of Pennsylvania.

A resident of the Eastern Shore since 1976, she was a Certificate Holder of the Miles River Sail and Power Squadron, which is the local unit of the United States Power Squadrons and an active member of the former Half Miles Auxiliary of the MRSPS. She enjoyed boating and cruising on the Chesapeake Bay with members and friends of MRSPS. She was also an active member of the Miles River Yacht Club and the Nutcracker Point Association.

Her husband of 61 years, William Norman Franck, Sr., a hardware manufacturing company manager, and, later, owner of the Wm. Penn Hardware Co. in Lancaster, PA, died in 1998. She is also preceded in death by a brother, Joseph C. Watterson, and a sister, Doris M. Phipps.

Mrs. Franck is survived by a son, W. Norman Franck, Jr., and his wife, Marian, of St. Michaels and several nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the Miles River Yacht Club, St. Michaels, on Saturday, January 26, 2013, at 12 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the MRYC Foundation, 606 N. Talbot Street, #115, St. Michaels, MD 21663 or to the Talbot Hospice Foundation, 586 Cynwood Dr., Easton, MD 21601.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JAN **26**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Miles River Yacht Club  
24750 Yacht Club Drive  
St. Michaels, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Elsie W. Franck*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Elsie W. Franck*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Elsie W. Franck*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM