



Ethel Margaret Collier

March 30, 1934 - August 17, 2012

Ethel M. Collier of Chestertown, MD, died on Friday, August 17, 2012, at Chester River Hospital Center. She was 78.

Mrs. Collier was born on March 30, 1934, in Baltimore, MD. She was the daughter of the late Albert Fredrick and Henrietta Margaret Schafer Ihle. She attended Stevensville High School until 11th grade, and then married William E. "Gene" Collier.

Mrs. Collier was a devoted mother and wife. She was a co-owner and operator of G&E Quik Mart. Mrs. Collier also volunteered at school, assisting elementary-aged students, including special needs students. She valued education and returned to school at night to earn her GED. She baby sat many children over the years becoming "Nana."

Mrs. Collier was an active member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Chestertown, MD. She was also a founding member of Grasonville Volunteer Fire Dept. and Auxiliary. She spent nine years in Florida during winters with her husband where she was involved the local arts and crafts club. She remained artistic throughout her life – painting, sewing, and baking (wedding cakes, Easter candy, holiday treats) for family and friends, as well as making costumes and outfits for her grandchildren. Mrs. Collier enjoyed spending time with her family and friends, especially her grandchildren. She also enjoyed movies,

westerns and old John Wayne movies were her favorites. Mrs. Collier owned a camper and loved camping, most recently in Rehoboth, DE.

She was predeceased by her husband of 51 years, William E. "Gene" Collier in 2003, a daughter, Margie Hoxter, and four sisters.

Mrs. Collier is survived by a son, Paul W. Collier and his wife, Dayra of Tampa, FL; two daughters, Nancy Mench of Betterton, MD, and Doria Douglas and her husband, Joe of Chestertown; grandchildren, Michael Mansfield and wife Shellie, Trish Bacon and husband Tom, JD Cancino and wife Renee, Abraham Cancino and wife Heidi, Austin Collier, Kelsey Douglas, Taylor Douglas, Joel Douglas, Ericka Collier; special granddaughters, Megan and Katie Moore; great grandchildren, Victoria Bacon and Brandon Collier; and one brother, Robert Ihle.

Memorial services will be held on Friday, August 24, 2012, at 2 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Chestertown, MD. A reception will follow the service in the church hall. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Trinity Lutheran Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 597, Chestertown, MD 21620.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Service

AUG **24**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Trinity Lutheran Church
101 Greenwood Avenue
Chestertown, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Ethel Margaret Collier*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Ethel Margaret Collier*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Ethel Margaret Collier*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Rick and I have many fond memories of Ms. Ethel and Mr. Gene at G&E Quick Mart. We loved them both, and we are thinking of your family at this hard time. So sorry we can't make it to the service, but we will send a contribution to Ms. Ethel's church. Hold tight to the memories. Love, Rick and Lynn Clevenger*

Rick and Lynn Clevenger - August 24, 2012 at 09:30 AM



“ *Michael Mansfield lit a candle in memory of Ethel Margaret Collier*



Michael Mansfield - August 23, 2012 at 02:42 PM

KA

“ *Kathy Abey lit a candle in memory of Ethel Margaret Collier*



Kathy Abey - August 23, 2012 at 04:12 AM

KA

So sorry to hear about Miss Ethel's passing. She was always so cheerful and friendly every time I saw her. One of my fondest memories is of Halloween and she and her family knew how to dress for the occasion so to speak. She certainly adored her family. Will miss her smiling face.

Kathy Abey - August 23, 2012 at 04:17 AM

DL

“ *So sorry to hear of Ethel's passing. What a great lady, full of love for her precious family and especially her grandchildren. Heaven has a new angel.*
Sincerely,
Do Leonard

Do Leonard - August 22, 2012 at 10:07 AM

PM

“ *Our hearts and prayers are with you and your family. Memories will keep her in your hearts. Mr. Gene will take care of her in heaven. Continue to honor her memory with your life and love.*



Patti, Chris, Nick and Matthew - August 22, 2012 at 07:40 AM

LC

“ L. Jean Callis lit a candle in memory of Ethel Margaret Collier



L. Jean Callis - August 20, 2012 at 12:22 PM

LC

Mrs. Ethel will be missed by many. Our prayers and thoughts go out to all of Mrs. Collier's family.

L. Jean Callis - August 20, 2012 at 12:25 PM



Thank you Ms. Jean you thoughts and prayers will help give us strenght.

Doria Douglas - August 21, 2012 at 10:45 AM

NW

“ Nancy Wessel lit a candle in memory of Ethel Margaret Collier



Nancy Wessel - August 20, 2012 at 11:17 AM

NW

Our deepest sympathies. Loosing a parent is very difficult at any time. I pray that you will find comfort in knowing that your mother is at peace. Nancy, Andy, Christy & Erik Wessel

Nancy Wessel - August 20, 2012 at 11:19 AM



Thank you Nancy, Andy and family.

Doria Douglas - August 21, 2012 at 10:46 AM