



Evelyn H. Kaufman-Speck

March 24, 1917 - May 21, 2009

Evelyn H. Kaufman-Speck of Centreville, MD died at the Corsica Hills Nursing Center, Centreville, MD on Thursday, May 21, 2009. She was 92.

Born March 24, 1917 in Easton, MD, she was the daughter of the late J. Thomas and Madge Amelia Collison Harrington. She was a graduate of Easton High School, Class of 1934 and in 1937 she married Herbert O. Kaufman, who served on the Centreville Town Council. Mr. Kaufman died in 1982. In 1997 she married Frederick E. Speck, Jr. and Mr. Speck died in 2003.

She was a member of the Centreville United Methodist Church; Junior Women's Club of Centreville; she was a founding Board Member of Hospice of Queen Anne's; Double X Club, Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, Queen Anne's Retired Teachers Association; Board of Election Supervisors- Queen Anne's County; AARP of Queen Anne's County and had been employed as a Library Assistant for Queen Anne's County Public Schools from 1964 to retirement in 1987.

She was a wonderful mother, grandmother and great-grandmother and a great homemaker and crafts person.

Mrs. Kaufman-Speck is survived by two daughters, Constance K. Blades and

her husband, Robert E. Blades of Easton and Patti K. Willis and her husband, Craig S. Willis of St. Michaels; two step-daughters, Sonia S. Taylor of Church Hill and Cheeri S. Ford of Florida; a brother, James P. Harrington of Preston, MD; two sisters, Julia H. Clark of Chestertown and Louise H. Harrison of Norman OK; four grandchildren, Amy Blades Steward and her husband, Eric of Easton, C. Craig Blades and his wife, Candace of Richmond, VA, Katherine A. Willis of St. Michaels and Brian C. Willis and his wife, Kyla of Sherwood; five great grandchildren, Andrew G. Dorbin and Conner S. Dorbin, both of Easton, William H. Blades and Caroline U. Blades, both of Richmond and Ava N. Willis of Sherwood and numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a brother, John Edward Harrington and two sisters, Ruth H. Gsell and Bette H. Whitler.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, May 27, 2009 at the Centreville United Methodist Church, Centreville MD at 11:00 AM. Friends may call at the Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P. A., Centreville, MD on Tuesday, May 26, 2009 from 6 – 8 PM.

Burial at the Chesterfield Cemetery, Centreville, MD.

Memorial donations may be made to the Hospice of Queen Anne's Inc., 255 Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617 or the Centreville United Methodist Church, 608 Church Hill Road, Centreville, MD 21617.

Previous Events

Service

MAY 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

Centreville Methodist Church
608 Church Hill Road
Centreville, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Evelyn H. Kaufman-Speck* ”



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 21, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Evelyn H. Kaufman-Speck* ”

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Evelyn H. Kaufman-Speck* ”

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Evelyn H. Kaufman-Speck* ”

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Connie - Pattie and all the family, our condolence on the loss of a family member. She is free of all pain now and has joined many of those that she so dearly loved that have gone before her. The video of Evelyn, her family and my brother Herb, was very moving and was a great tribute to her and her family. We love you.##imported-begin##Marion & Donna Kaufman##imported-end##*

June 02, 2009 at 12:23 PM



“ *Patti & Family:
So sorry to hear about the loss of your mom. She was a wonderful lady and she contributed so much to the community. She is in a wonderful and beautiful place now. May God Bless you and the Family.*

Martha (Roe) & Royce Herman##imported-begin##Martha (Roe) & Royce Herman##imported-end##

May 27, 2009 at 09:24 AM



“ *Dear Pattie and family, We wanted to send our condolences, Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. We Know you will have many happy memories to hold on to.##imported-begin##Linda Roe, Eva Roe, Carl Roe,##imported-end##*

May 26, 2009 at 02:32 PM



“ Even as we are deeply saddened by this loss, we rejoice that now all of the physical concerns that limited her so much in recent years have all faded away. I can close my eyes and with my heart wide open I can almost hear her soft, deep, gentle voice speak my name. What a sweet soul she was and what a joyous reunion in heaven!###imported-begin##Rev. Mike & Julie Harrington###imported-end##

May 26, 2009 at 01:57 PM



“ Connie, Patti and families: The Centreville United Methodist Women wish to convey their deepest sympathy and prayers to you in the loss of your mother. There are many fond memories of church activities involving your mother that will always be remembered. In Jesus' name we pray for each one of you. The Centreville United Methodist Women###imported-begin##lynda palmatary###imported-end##

May 24, 2009 at 02:23 PM



“ Patti & family: We are sorry to hear of your mother's passing. We have fond memories of her during our high school years in the library. Centreville is rapidly losing those we remember the most. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. JoAnn and Royden Powell###imported-begin##JoAnn Powell###imported-end##

May 23, 2009 at 08:23 PM



“ Patti -- didn't know if you would recognize me without 'Culhane'###imported-begin##Bernese Culhane Todd###imported-end##

May 22, 2009 at 07:50 PM



“ Dear Patti,
Sorry to see your Mom's obit in the paper. It doesn't matter how old or sick she is or how old we are, it is hard to lose our Moms. Thinking of you with love and sympathy.##imported-begin##Bernese Todd##imported-end##

May 22, 2009 at 07:48 PM



“ Dear Patti and family,

My condolences. Although I will be out of town for the official services to honor your mother, you will be in my thoughts and prayers.

In friendship,

Linda##imported-begin##Linda Mastro##imported-end##

May 22, 2009 at 02:11 PM



“ Dear Patti, Amy and Family,

May the love of your mother and grandmother live in your hearts forever. May her legacy live through you in all you do. I send to you my love and hope you know that I am standing with you during this difficult time.

It's comforting to know...We will see them all again.

Love,

Pam##imported-begin##Pam Kunz##imported-end##

May 22, 2009 at 12:55 PM



“*Connie, Patti and families: We were saddened to read of Aunt Evelyn's passing on the computer, but know she is in God's hands. She and mother surely had many good times and laughs over the years. Those were the good old days. We know you have many fond memories that will always remain in your hearts. Our prayers and thoughts are with you at this time. God Bless each and everyone. Love, Lynda and Gene##imported-begin##Lynda Palmatary##imported-end##*

May 21, 2009 at 09:13 PM