



Frances Grace Elben

February 23, 1936 - March 18, 2022

Frances Grace Elben (Grace or “Gracie”) died peacefully at her home on Lewistown Road, Cordova, MD, on Friday, March 18, 2022, surrounded by her children. She was 86 years old.

Born on February 23, 1936, she was the daughter of Lonnie Davis and Lula Voshell. She grew up in the Cordova area. On March 24, 1956, she married the love of her life, William “Bill” Elben, who predeceased her on August 2, 2001. Together, they managed a family farm, with five children.

Grace was fortunate to be a stay-at-home mom and raise her children. She maintained a loving household as wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. There were always flowers and vegetables during the spring through fall months as a result of her gardening skills. Music and dancing filled the house. Grace was also a wonderful cook and made sure birthdays and holidays were extra special for family and friends. Her passion was her family, and she will be sadly missed by each and every member.

Grace is survived by her children, Sheree L. Elben, Karen E. Haddaway, Michael W. Elben (Laurie), Patti E. Campen (Sid) and John C. Elben (Linda); nine grandchildren, Christopher Brennick (Tabatha), Trilby Papineau (Pat), Jodi Hogendorf (Shawn), Michel Morris (Whitney), Casey Patrick, Mitchell Elben, Zachary Elben, Alison VanSchaik (Brandon), and Samantha Elben;

and six great-grandchildren, PJ, Riley and Carter Papineau, Trey and Lucas Hogendorf, and Lola Brennick.

In addition to her husband, she was predeceased by her son-in-law, Ellsworth Haddaway; daughter-in-law, Theresa Elben; and former son-in-law, Dale Patrick. Also predeceasing Grace was a special friend, Dwight Townsend; and her younger brother, Norman Davis.

Friends may visit commencing at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, March 25, 2022, at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, in Easton, MD, followed by a celebration of life at 12 noon.

Donations may be made to Talbot Hospice, 586 Cynwood Drive, Easton, MD 21601 or Talbot County Humane Society, PO Box 1143, Easton, MD 21601.

Cemetery Details

Greenmount Cemetery, Hillsboro

Hillsboro, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 25. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Easton Location
200 South Harrison Street
Easton, MD 21601
(410) 822-3131
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Funeral Service

MAR 25. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Frances Grace Elben*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - March 24, 2022 at 02:31 PM



“ *Frances Grace Elben*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Frances Grace Elben*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Frances Grace Elben*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Chip And Paula lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben*



Chip and Paula - March 28, 2022 at 08:22 AM

PM

“ *Phil & Lois MacDonald lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben*



Phil & Lois MacDonald - March 26, 2022 at 03:16 PM

Vickie Bildstein

“ *Vickie Bildstein lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben*



Vickie Bildstein - March 25, 2022 at 07:02 PM

AS

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Alison Van Schaik - March 25, 2022 at 10:09 AM



“ 51 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - March 25, 2022 at 09:06 AM



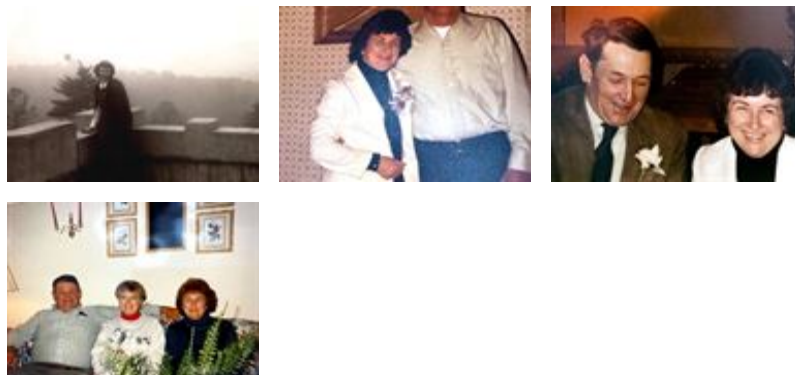
“ Pam Fallon lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben



Pam Fallon - March 25, 2022 at 09:02 AM



“ 4 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - March 24, 2022 at 12:30 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to the Elben family. Mrs. Even was a very sweet and kind person. Prayers of comfort.*
Sandy Walton

Sandy Walton - March 24, 2022 at 12:04 PM



“ *Sheree, my deepest condolences to you and your family.*



JoAnn Campbell - March 24, 2022 at 08:31 AM



“ *To the Elben family. Sorry for the loss of your mom I have so many memories of her From all the great lunches she fixed for us when we working. Bringing us snacks in the afternoon. She was a fabulous person. God bless. Bobby and Rena Callahan*

Bobby Callahan - March 23, 2022 at 07:25 PM



“ *Connie Harris lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben*



Connie Harris - March 23, 2022 at 05:06 PM



“ 119 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - March 23, 2022 at 04:43 PM

DP

“ Doug Pierson lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben



Doug Pierson - March 23, 2022 at 03:36 PM

JC

“ Dear Karen, Sheree, Mike, Patti, and John-- SO sorry to hear of your mom's passing. "Miss Grace" was always a part of my brother's life, and we all thought the world of her. Sending prayers for peace for you all. May her memory always be a blessing.



Jim Chance - March 23, 2022 at 08:17 AM

June Shortall

“ June Shortall lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben



June Shortall - March 23, 2022 at 07:55 AM

CM

“ Chris Metz lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben



Chris Metz - March 22, 2022 at 06:56 PM

TH

“ It was my pleasure to have known grace met her way back in high school. Then got to help take care . She always had old country music on I'd go in an sing an dance in her room an she would laugh, wonderful spirit this lady had.



Toni harvey - March 22, 2022 at 01:18 PM

LA

“ Linda & Terry Adams lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben



Linda & Terry Adams - March 22, 2022 at 01:10 PM



“ Terry Wheatley sent a virtual gift in memory of Frances Grace Elben



Terry Wheatley - March 22, 2022 at 12:30 PM



Patti and family - so very sorry for your loss. Our office is keeping you in our thoughts and prayers!

Terry Wheatley - March 22, 2022 at 12:31 PM

BE

What a great and fun lady! Never saw her without smile and that twinkle in her eyes. She will be missed! Sympathies and prayers to all~

Beth - March 22, 2022 at 04:48 PM



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Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - March 22, 2022 at 12:01 PM

PA

“ Pattypinder lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben



pattypinder - March 22, 2022 at 09:41 AM



“ *Frank N Joan Gannon lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben*



Frank N Joan Gannon - March 22, 2022 at 08:46 AM

BH

“ *Sheree and family, so sorry to see this about your mom. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers at this time.*



Beverly S Hahn - March 21, 2022 at 07:25 PM

JH

“ *Joyce Andrew Hollingsworth lit a candle in memory of Frances Grace Elben*



Joyce Andrew Hollingsworth - March 21, 2022 at 05:18 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Frances Grace Elben.*



March 21, 2022 at 03:18 PM