

## Hackett Emerson Jr.

September 25, 1928 - April 24, 2018

Samuel Hackett Emerson, Jr., of Chestertown, MD, passed away on Tuesday, April 24, 2018, at his home. He was 89.

Born on September 25, 1928, in Easton, MD, he was the son of the late Samuel Hackett Emerson Sr. and Ruth Kelly Emerson. He graduated from Chestertown High School in 1945, enlisted in the Army later that year and served until April 1947, spending part of his tour of duty in Germany supporting the allied forces after World War II.

On October 1, 1949, he married Mary Katherine Baxter. She predeceased him in 2002. He was employed by the post office for 40 years, at one point as the Assistant Postmaster and later as a rural mail carrier.

In his early adult years, he enjoyed duckpin bowling and was nicknamed the "Golden Arm" by his teammates. They traveled throughout the state for bowling tournaments. In early retirement, he worked for Gene Mills at Geno's and for Dickie Bishton delivering flowers. He also enjoyed many hours on the front porch he so loved.

He is survived by two daughters, Nancy Patrick and husband Stephen and Kay McHenry, of Chestertown; and two granddaughters, Kate Dowling and husband Sam and Hannah McHenry. He is also survived by four great-

grandchildren, Macie Cannan, Ava Jo Dowling, Cooper Ashley and Clayton Ashley.

He was also predeceased by his sister, Anna Ruth Emerson Short.

Graveside services will be held Sunday April 29, 2018, at 1:00 p.m. at Chester Cemetery in Chestertown.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Church, 105 S. Mill St., Chestertown, MD 21620 or Chester Cemetery P.O. Box 164, Chestertown, MD 21620 or Compass Hospice, 160 Coursevall Drive, Centreville MD 21617.

The family would like to extend special thanks to Billy Wessel and Jack Diller who greatly enriched his later years with their thoughtfulness and caring and to the Compass Hospice nurses and aides and caregivers who helped him through his final days.

# Cemetery Details

## Chester Cemetery

Chestertown, MD

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

APR **29**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Chester Cemetery  
Chestertown, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.*



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - April 26, 2018 at 04:26 PM



“ *Hackett Emerson Jr.*

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Hackett Emerson Jr.*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Hackett Emerson Jr.*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

GW

“ Nancy & Kay....so sorry to hear of the passing of your Dad. I enjoyed seeing him at the Elks with Jack. He always knew me inspite of his eyesight. Praying you are comforted by good memories & a life well lived at peace now.  
In Sympathy,  
Gene & Gloria

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**Gene & Gloria Wiest** - May 08, 2018 at 06:31 PM

GW

“ Gene & Gloria Wiest lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.



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**Gene & Gloria Wiest** - May 08, 2018 at 06:27 PM

LF

“ Kay keeping you and your family in our thoughts and prayers. Linda & GaryFry



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**Linda Fry** - April 27, 2018 at 07:22 PM

RM

“ I remember his kindness to us when my Dad, John Frank, passed away. He and daddy were buddies!

*Rose Marie Frank Maus*

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**Rose Marie Maus** - April 27, 2018 at 12:27 PM

JB

“ Kay & Nancy I am so sorry to hear about your Dad. He was a special man and loved by so many.



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**Joyce Benton** - April 27, 2018 at 09:45 AM

JS

“ Janet Seward lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.



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**Janet Seward** - April 26, 2018 at 10:13 PM

BN

“ Bob And Debbie Nickerson lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.

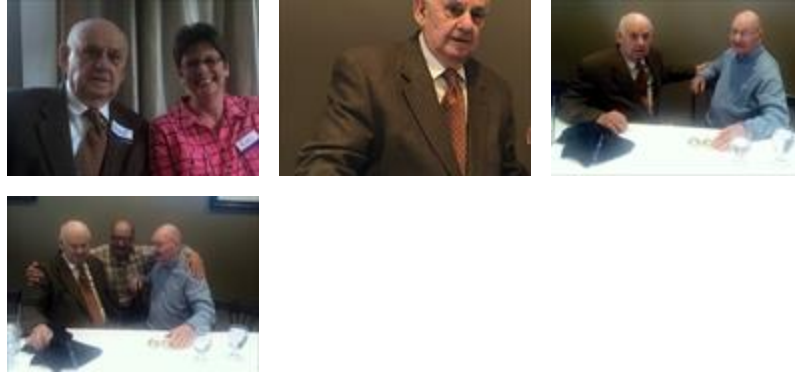


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**Bob and Debbie Nickerson** - April 26, 2018 at 09:22 PM

BG

“ 4 files added to the album *At Zeke Cooper's 90th birthday, 12/30/2018*



Barbara Gorrow - April 26, 2018 at 08:48 PM

ET

“ Eddie And Trish Taylor lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.



Eddie and Trish Taylor - April 26, 2018 at 04:40 PM



“ 33 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 26, 2018 at 03:17 PM

PW

“ *What a great guy and such a keen sense of humor. A life well lived, rest in peace.*

Phyllis K. Wallace - April 26, 2018 at 02:14 PM

JS

“ *Having known Hackett since the first grade of school, I will miss his good humor and friendly manner. Jack Stenger*

Jack Stenger - April 26, 2018 at 01:22 PM

MU

“ *Marie Usilton lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.*



Marie Usilton - April 26, 2018 at 12:23 PM

JH

“ *Joan Hatcherson lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.*



Joan Hatcherson - April 26, 2018 at 10:51 AM

JH

*So many fond memories - RIP Boss*

Joan Hatcherson - April 26, 2018 at 10:52 AM

PN

“ Phillip And Susan Nickerson lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.



Phillip and Susan Nickerson - April 26, 2018 at 10:22 AM

RO

“ RJ And Kristi Osborn lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.



RJ and Kristi Osborn - April 26, 2018 at 09:26 AM

FD

“ Frankie And Jane Dill sent a virtual gift in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.



Frankie and Jane Dill - April 26, 2018 at 09:24 AM

TJ

“ Tom And Nancy Lee Jewell lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.



Tom and Nancy Lee Jewell - April 25, 2018 at 06:58 PM

JB

“ *to Mr Hackett's family  
We are so sorry for your loss. We always  
enjoyed seeing him at the Chester Lodge's  
breakfast. Will miss him.  
Joyce (Dulin) & Wayne Bradley*



**Joyce Bradley** - April 25, 2018 at 06:04 PM

DS

“ *Dave And Donell Smith sent a virtual gift in  
memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.*



**Dave and Donell Smith** - April 25, 2018 at 05:03 PM

FL

“ *Frankie And Cathy Legg lit a candle in  
memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.*



**Frankie and Cathy Legg** - April 25, 2018 at 03:12 PM

DH

“ *Denny And Judy Hickman lit a candle in  
memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.*



**Denny and Judy Hickman** - April 25, 2018 at 03:10 PM

GW

“ George and I are sending prayers for all of the family through the loss of their loved one. Hackett was such a great neighbor near me when growing up and he loved his family. Hoping that you all can find peace and remember all the memories he has left behind.

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**George and Candy Wilson** - April 25, 2018 at 02:14 PM

MU

“ Mary Ellen Unruh lit a candle in memory of Hackett Emerson Jr.



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**Mary Ellen Unruh** - April 25, 2018 at 01:07 PM