



## Irene Betty Worthington

May 16, 1928 - March 5, 2019

Irene Betty Hockman Worthington of Chestertown, MD, passed away on Tuesday, March 5, 2019, at the Resorts at Chester River Manor. She was 90.

Born on May 16, 1928 in Franklinville, NJ, she was the daughter of the late George M. and Irene Sophia Fischer Hockman. She graduated from Clayton High School in Clayton, NJ, Class of 1947 and attended Gloucester Community College. She married Joseph Gordon Worthington in 1949. In the early 60's, Mrs. Worthington earned a LPN degree and worked in Memorial Hospital OR in Woodbury, NJ, and Visiting Nurses Association in Camden, NJ. She also worked with A.F. Whitsitt Center in Drug and Alcohol for 8 years and later with Kent County Health Department in outreach, from which she retired November 2007. Mrs. Worthington was a member of AARP, where she served as past president 3635. She was also a member of the NJ Nurses Association and Trinity Lutheran Church. She enjoyed needlework, gardening, and reading.

She is survived by a son, Robert Worthington of Wilmington, DE; a daughter Gail Appice of Arkansas; two grandchildren, Franke Appice and Ricole Gillman; and two great grandchildren, Kayla Gillman and Franklin Gillman.

Services will be held Saturday, March 9, 2019, at 11:00 a.m at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, Chestertown, MD, where a visitation

will be held on hour prior (10-11am). A reception will be held in the Dogwood Reception Center, following the service. Interment will be in St. Paul's Cemetery at 1:30 pm.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in her memory to Trinity Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 597, Chestertown, MD 21620.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Pauls Cemetery (Kent County)

7600 Sandy Bottom Road  
Chestertown, MD

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 9. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Chestertown Location  
130 Speer Road  
Chestertown, MD 21620  
(410) 778-0055  
info@fhfuneralhome.com

## Service

MAR 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Chestertown Location  
130 Speer Road  
Chestertown, MD 21620  
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## Reception

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MAR 9. 12:00 PM (ET)

Dogwood Reception Center at FHN  
130 Speer Road  
Chestertown, MD 21620

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Irene Betty Worthington*



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - March 08, 2019 at 01:35 PM



“ *Irene Betty Worthington*

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Irene Betty Worthington*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Irene Betty Worthington*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Gail, Frank, And Family purchased the Beautiful i n Blue for the family of Irene Betty Worthington.*

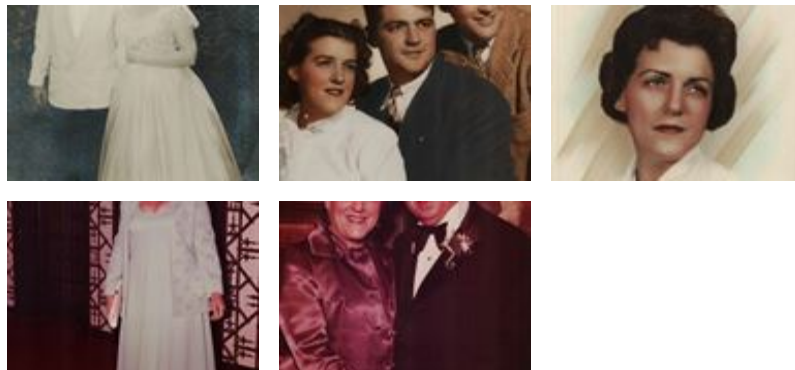


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**Gail, Frank, And Family** - March 08, 2019 at 09:23 PM



“ 28 files added to the album LifeTributes



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - March 08, 2019 at 11:16 AM

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“ I worked with Mrs. Irene at the health department for several years. She was a wonderful lady, who always told you what she thought. She always had a smile on her face, and was a ray of sunshine when she came to work! I know that besides her wonderful "Joe"; Mrs. Sylvia was there to greet her at Heaven's door. The original "Salt and Pepper" team were back together, walking heaven's streets!! My prayers and condolences to her family. Andrea



Andrea Edwards - March 07, 2019 at 03:50 PM

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“ Sharon Wert lit a candle in memory of Irene Betty Worthington



Sharon Wert - March 07, 2019 at 09:27 AM

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“ I was a neighbor to Irene for many years. A small group of us would get together for birthday celebrations. One year, I drove Irene to the American Legion convention in Savannah, Ga. From there we visited the Mighty Eighth Air Force Museum in Pooler, GA. where her late husband's name, Joseph Worthington, was etched in a memorial honoring those who served in WWII. May God bless you and grant you eternal rest.

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**Sharon Wert** - March 07, 2019 at 09:26 AM