



James Oscar Creighton

July 21, 2000

James Oscar Creighton of Rock Hall, MD, died on July 21, 2000, at his home. He was 93.

Born on August 22, 1906, in Piney Neck, Rock Hall, MD, he was the son of the late Robert Burns and Elizabeth Ward Creighton. As a young man, Mr. Creighton worked as a mate and deckhand on various yachts in New York and Florida. He married Bertha Stigile on August 6, 1932, and they lived in Newark, DE, before moving to Rock Hall, MD, in 1945.

Mr. Creighton worked first as a house carpenter, which steered him in the direction of his career as a boat builder. He worked in this capacity until his retirement in 1980. On March 13, 1993, his wife of 60 years predeceased him. Mr. Creighton was a member of Chestertown Trinity Assembly of God and enjoyed watching sports, especially the Orioles.

He is survived by four sons; Joseph Creighton of Rock Hall, MD, Teddy Creighton of Rock Hall, MD, Robert Creighton of Benton, KY, and Victor Creighton of Baltimore, MD; one daughter, Elizabeth Creighton of Rock Hall, MD; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. One grandson, the late John Mark Boulter, predeceased him in 1991.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday July 25, 2000, at 11 a.m. at Fellows,

Helpfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home. Relatives and friends may call at the funeral home on Monday July 24, 2000, between the hours of 7 until 9 p.m. Interment will be in Wesley Chapel Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in his name to Kent County Hospice, 103 Dixon Drive Chestertown, MD 21620 or to Rock Hall Vol. Fire Dept. Building Fund, P.O. Box 577, Rock Hall, MD 21661.

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