



## James G. Koste

January 9, 1923 - March 10, 2010

James G. Koste of Easton passed away peacefully Wednesday, March 10, 2010 at the age of 87 in the Talbot Hospice House.

He was born January 9, 1923 in Easton, the son of George and Mary Koste. After graduating from Easton High School, he attended the University of Maryland where he received his Bachelor's degree in Education (Industrial Arts) and his Master's degree in Counseling. His time in school was interrupted by service in the United States Army Air Force from February 1943 to February 1946. James was a teacher and guidance counselor in the Washington, D.C. public school system for 32 years. A true craftsman, he worked as a carpenter and draftsman for many summers. He grew up in Easton, moving to College Park during the years he worked, and returned to Easton in 1998, to the place he always called home. He will be remembered as a devoted husband, a loving father, and a doting grandfather.

James is survived by his loving wife of 59 years, Helen Koste; his two sons, George of Easton and Peter and his wife, Jodi, of Midlothian, Virginia; his two granddaughters, Andrea Fahey and her husband, Joe, of Alexandria, Virginia, and Allison of Midlothian, Virginia.

He was preceded in death by his two brothers, Gus of Denton and Nick of Easton, and his sister, Mary of Easton.

A funeral service will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 16, at Christ Church in Easton. Interment will follow at Spring Hill Cemetery. The family will be receiving relatives and friends at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Easton on Monday, March 15, from 6:00 until 8:00 pm.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Talbot Hospice Foundation, 586 Cynwood Drive, Easton, MD 21601.

Arrangements by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., Easton.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of James G. Koste*



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - March 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM



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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *James G. Koste*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *James G. Koste*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ We are so sorry for the loss of your husband and father. Please spend time remembering the good times and bright days with him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Sincerely,

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“ All my love and sympathy to Helen and the rest of the family.

I was very sorry to hear of Jim's passing, The world has lost a very good man.....MaryAnn##imported-begin##MaryAnn  
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March 13, 2010 at 09:41 AM