



Jean Elwyn Henry

April 16, 1920 - July 10, 2017

Jean Elwyn Henry passed away peacefully on July 10, 2017, at Bayleigh Chase in Easton, MD, at the age of 97.

She was born on April 16, 1920, in Woodstock, NY, the daughter of the late George Elwyn and Hazel Lowther Elwyn. Jean grew up in the Catskill Mountain towns of Woodstock and Bearsville and attended Kingston High School. She graduated summa cum laude from Smith College in 1941 and from Columbia University with a M.A. in Public Law and Government in 1948.

During WWII, Jean worked for the Council of Foreign Relations and for the League of Nations. She later held numerous executive positions in academia and business. She contributed to higher education at Smith College, Drew University, and Fairleigh Dickinson University. She worked for Textron in Rhode Island and for American Management and the National Fuel Gas Company in New York City.

She is survived by her daughter, Donna Jean Henry Nizolek and her husband, Joe, of Easton; her son, David Lowther Henry and his wife Lisa of Colorado Springs, CO; her grandchildren, Tom and Amy Nizolek; and her nephew, Jeffrey Elwyn. Her husband Donald Swift Henry passed away in 1967.

Jean Henry will always be remembered for her brilliant intellect, her love of

poetry and gardens, and her kind heart. A private graveside service will be held in Woodstock.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jean Elwyn Henry*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Jean Elwyn Henry*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Jean Elwyn Henry*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Dr. Donna & Family,*
We are so sorry to learn of your Mother's passing. As you face this most difficult time, may God bless you & bring you the Peace that only His Grace can provide. You are in our thoughts & prayers.
Sincerely,
Judy & Don Van Bourgondien



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“ *Patricia Perry Stevenson lit a candle in memory of Jean Elwyn Henry*



Patricia Perry Stevenson - July 14, 2017 at 02:48 PM