



Joyce Lorraine Santo

May 18, 1928 - February 18, 2020

Joyce Lorraine Santo of Wye Mills, MD, passed away on February 18, 2020, at Talbot Hospice in Easton, MD. She was 91.

Born on May 18, 1928, in Ruthsburg, MD, she was the daughter of the late, Ralph Richardson and Mary Lorreta Nash Schuyler. Joyce attended Queen Anne's County High School. She was happily married to Ralph Allen until his death in 1985. Later she married Robert Santo who also preceded her in death in 1987. In 1989, she met her great love and companion George "Bert" Droter and for 25 years they shared a love for life and spent every day together until his death in 2014.

Joyce, known as "Tune" to her good friends was a loving and compassionate person who did so much for others. She made the best fried chicken on the Eastern Shore and will be sorely missed by her family and friends. One of her greatest joys was in making sure her home was always beautifully kept.

Joyce leaves behind a godson, Shane Moore and his children, Gabe, Nate and Lila; her sweetheart children, Bev, Sue, Bert, Rick and their families; her special friends, Faith and Ronnie Moore; a niece, Nancy Sydney and her husband Art; a nephew, Eddie Schuyler; and many friends and neighbors.

In addition to her husbands and companion, she was predeceased by her

goddaughter, Denise Moore, in 1989.

A funeral service will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, February 22, 2020, at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Centreville, MD, where friends and family may visit starting at noon.

Burial will follow the service in Old Wye Cemetery in Wye Mills, MD.

Contributions may be made to Wye Mills UMC, 28684 Queen Anne Hwy, Wye Mills, MD 21679 or Talbot Hospice, 586 Cynwood Dr., Easton, MD 21601.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **22**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location
408 South Liberty Street
Centreville, MD 21617
(410) 758-1151
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

FEB **22**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Reception

FEB **22** (ET)

Wye Mills United Methodist Church
Wye Mills, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - February 20, 2020 at 12:10 PM

DH

I love you very much and will miss you . You were always so good to us. You will be in my heart forever

Debra Horney - February 21, 2020 at 06:29 PM

NS

I miss you god mother you where one of the best great aunts i had i love you

Noel Alan Schuyler - September 24, 2025 at 02:39 AM



“ *Joyce Lorraine Santo*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Joyce Lorraine Santo*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Joyce Lorraine Santo*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Jane Young lit a candle in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo*



Jane Young - February 22, 2020 at 08:35 PM



Sue, sincere sympathy to you and your family.

Jane Young - February 22, 2020 at 08:37 PM



“ *Beverly Meredith Adams lit a candle in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo*



Beverly Meredith Adams - February 22, 2020 at 08:28 PM



“ *I loved Joyce and hadnt seen her for years. Didn't know she was had passed. So sorry.*

Beverly Meredith Adams - February 22, 2020 at 08:27 PM

BA

Just saw the video and brings back alot of awesome memories. All the parties in eye mills years ago at Joyce and Ralph's and Faith and Ronnies. Those were the good old days and I loved working with Joyce at wye Mills market.

Beverly Meredith Adams - February 22, 2020 at 08:46 PM

JJ

“ Joyce I’m going to miss you. I loved taking you to lunch, all our long talks on the phone, coming over and spending time with you. Even thou we were just cousins you seemed more like my Aunt. Love you wish I could of been there today.

Jeannie Nash Johnson - February 22, 2020 at 03:12 PM

KL

“ Met Joyce and Ralph many years ago at the Seward's. She was a special lady and a joy to be around. Our sincere sympathy to her family and close friends.

Kathy and Greg Lantz - February 21, 2020 at 02:05 PM

KR

*“ My sincere sympathy to Joyce's family and friends, thinking of you!
Love, Kim Ruth*

Kim Ruth - February 21, 2020 at 08:15 AM

ED

“ Elaine Shorts Dell sent a virtual gift in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo



Elaine Shorts Dell - February 20, 2020 at 09:05 PM

ED

Love to the family and friends. Ms. Joyce was such a wonderful woman. She had the most awesome zest for life and freely shared her love and laughter with anyone in her path. My memories are from long ago but definately not forgotten. Rest in peace my dear friend

Elaine Shorts Dell - February 20, 2020 at 09:21 PM

EC

“ *Eastern Shore Dental Care lit a candle in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo*



Eastern Shore Dental Care - February 20, 2020 at 08:54 AM

JC

“ *June Clark lit a candle in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo*



June Clark - February 19, 2020 at 06:07 PM

JE

“ *Julie Eaton lit a candle in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo*



Julie Eaton - February 19, 2020 at 11:02 AM

JP

“ *John And Phyllis Perkins lit a candle in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo*



John and Phyllis Perkins - February 18, 2020 at 07:01 PM

BW

“ *Bob & Sheila Willis sent a virtual gift in memory of Joyce Lorraine Santo*



Bob & Sheila Willis - February 18, 2020 at 06:13 PM