



## Joyce Lee Dennis

June 14, 1938 - April 21, 2010

Joyce Lee Dennis of Chester, MD died on Wednesday, April 21, 2010 at the Hospice Center of Queen Anne's in Centreville. She was 71 years old.

She was born in Baltimore, MD on June 14, 1938 to the late, Benson and Sarah Dean and attended Western High School. Joyce married Norman Alley and resided in Baltimore before that marriage ended. She later married Charles K. Dennis in Ellicott City on April 7, 1969. In 1973, they moved to the Eastern Shore.

She was employed by Montgomery Wards and Commercial Credit Corporation and also worked part-time at Chesapeake College. She volunteered at the Kent Island Elementary School, volunteered 20 years at the Kent Island Fire Department, where she was past president and vice president of the Women's Auxiliary, and she was Mrs. Santa Claus for several years riding on the fire truck and bringing joy to many children. She enjoyed traveling with her husband, visiting relatives in Florida, crocheting and knitting, and working on her household garden.

Joyce is survived by her loving husband, Charles K. Dennis of Chester, MD; daughter, Terry Smith and her husband, Thomas of Centreville, MD; two sons, Michael Alley and his wife, Cindy of Queen Anne, MD and Kenneth P. Dennis and his wife, Nancy of Hurlock, MD; six grandchildren, Thomas Smith, Sean

Smith, Taylor Smith, Michael Alley, Jr., Heather Collier, and Zachary Dennis; five great grandchildren, Shelby and Gabriel Collier, Michael Alley III, Bella Alley, and Mackenzie Alley and an uncle, Donald Farrow.

Family and friends may call on Monday, April 26, 2010 from 12 pm to 1 pm at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, 106 Shamrock Road, Chester, MD where a funeral service will be held at 1 pm. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Queen Anne's, 255 Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Joyce Lee Dennis*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Joyce Lee Dennis*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Joyce Lee Dennis*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Terri: Saw the obituary in the paper and made the connection to you. So sorry for your loss. May the peace of God's understanding be with you through the hard times.  
Sincerely, Holly and Wheeler##imported-begin##Holly and Wheeler Baker##imported-end##*

April 30, 2010 at 12:00 PM



“ *Dear Terry & Mike, Sorry for the loss of your mom. She is dancing in heaven now pain free. Hope that you are doing alright and can find strength to get through this hard time. We are keeping you in our prayers. Lots of love sent your way.##imported-begin##Ruthie & Keith Baker##imported-end##*

April 23, 2010 at 01:54 PM



“ i am so sorry for your lost,your mom was one of a kind i had some good times with her at the firehouse. i will miss her you are all in my prayers###imported-begin##shirley baxter thomas##imported-end##

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April 23, 2010 at 07:20 AM



“ Terry,  
I am so sorry for your loss, Our family has you and your family in our thoughts and prayers.###imported-begin##Karla##imported-end##

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April 22, 2010 at 08:39 PM



“ Terry, so sorry to hear of Joyce`s(a.k.a.George) passing. She was one happy loving woman. Rabbit and I will be thinking of you###imported-begin##Terri##imported-end##

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April 22, 2010 at 08:00 PM



“ Terry & Family,  
As you well know Joyce was one of a kind. Whenever the carnival rolls around I think of her, she kept us laughing the whole time we were making cakes. We have really missed around the firehouse and at family events. May she and Leona be watching over all of us. She will surely be missed by everyone who knew her. Love,  
Cindy###imported-begin##Butch & Cindy##imported-end##

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April 22, 2010 at 04:33 PM



“ Terry...I'm sorry about your Mom's passing, she had a lot of spunk and we will miss her here at work. The nurses said to tell you they are sorriy also. May God give you peace and comfort with your many memories. Take care of yourself...you need it. Love ya girl###imported-begin##Terri (Thomas) Schelhouse##imported-end##

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April 22, 2010 at 12:31 PM