



## Katherine Ann Hoffman

August 16, 1948 - July 1, 2012

Katherine Ann Hoffman died peacefully on July 1 in Chester, MD, at the age of 63.

Born on August 16, 1948, in Washington DC, she was the daughter of the late Mary and Arthur Heath, Sr. Mrs. Hoffman was raised in Chillum, MD, where she was active in Girl Scouts and the Youth Fellowship of the United Methodist Church. She graduated from Northwestern High School in Adelphi, MD, and received her Associates of Arts in Education at Montgomery Junior College in Rockville, MD, in 1968. She worked for Arthur D. Heath Corps for 28 years as an office manager. Katherine developed close relationships with staff, clients, Plumbers Local 5, and Steamfitters Local 602 members.

After marriage, the Hoffmans lived in Selby on the Bay in Edgewater, MD, as well as Glen Dale, and Chester, MD. Mrs. Hoffman was a loving caretaker for many foster children through Anne Arundel foster care. She and her husband took legal custody of their daughter, Tommi Lynn, while raising her as a foster child. Katherine was a devoted Christian who was active in her church life by teaching Sunday school, clown ministry, and Adult Bible studies. She was active in the Priscilla Circle at Immanuel UMC in Grasonville, MD, and with Rebuilding Together of Queen Anne's County, helping to renovate and repair the homes of low-income senior homeowners. Mrs. Hoffman also served on the board for Bay Shore Services in Salisbury, MD, where her daughter is a

client for special needs children and adults.

Mrs. Hoffman enjoyed being with family, sewing, gardening, doing crafts, and bicycling. She especially enjoyed celebrating Christmas and birthdays.

Family and friends will miss her kind and loving heart, beautiful smile, and strong Christian values.

She is survived by her loving husband of 43 years, Donald R. Hoffman; her daughter Tommi Lynn McKenzie of Fruitland, MD; her father- and mother-in-law, Charles and Viola Hoffman of Ocean Pines, MD; her brother, Arthur "Butch" Heath and his wife, Mary, of Grasonville, MD; her brother-in-law, Mitch Hoffman and his wife, Jean, of Ocean Pines, MD; her nieces and nephews, John Hoffman (Frankie), Michele Hoffman, Jeanne Clark (Robert), Jack Heath, Julie Troxler (Kelly), and Carrie Mitchell (Jim); and 11 great-nieces and nephews.

Rejoice in knowing we will see her again in heaven.

A funeral service will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Friday, July 6, at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Chester, MD, where friends may call on Thursday, July 5 from 6–8 p.m. and one hour prior to the service on Friday.

Burial will follow at Lakemont Memorial Gardens in Davidsonville, MD.

If desired, donations in her memory may be made to Hospice of Queen Anne's, Inc., 255 Comet Dr., Centreville, MD 21617.

# Cemetery Details

## Lakemont Memorial Gardens

900 W. Central Ave.  
Davidsonville, MD 21035

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 5. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island  
106 Shamrock Road  
Chester, MD 21619  
(410) 643-2226  
info@fhnfuneralhome.com

## Visitation

JUL 6. 8:30 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island  
106 Shamrock Road  
Chester, MD 21619  
(410) 643-2226  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Katherine Ann Hoffman* ”



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**Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home** - September 13, 2022 at 08:31 PM



“ *Katherine Ann Hoffman* ”

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October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Katherine Ann Hoffman* ”

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January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Katherine Ann Hoffman* ”

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January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Cheryl Adams lit a candle in memory of Katherine Ann Hoffman* ”



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**Cheryl Adams** - July 09, 2012 at 09:50 AM

MH

“ Mitch And Jean Hoffman lit a candle in memory of Katherine Ann Hoffman



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**Mitch and Jean Hoffman** - July 05, 2012 at 07:35 PM

JS

“ Jane (Helton) Smith lit a candle in memory of Katherine Ann Hoffman



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**Jane (Helton) Smith** - July 05, 2012 at 05:22 PM

BL

“ Beth Lacey lit a candle in memory of Katherine Ann Hoffman



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**Beth Lacey** - July 05, 2012 at 10:55 AM

BL

*Butch,*

*I was so sorry to learn about the passing of your sister. You and your entire family are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*Beth Lacey*

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**Beth Lacey** - July 05, 2012 at 10:57 AM

KD

“ *Don & Tommi Lynn We Are So Sorry To Hear The Death of Kathy And You Are In Our Prayers And You Will Always Be A Part of This Benedictine Family*

Kevin Duckworth - July 04, 2012 at 08:08 AM

KD

“ *Kevin Duckworth sent a virtual gift in memory of Katherine Ann Hoffman*



Kevin Duckworth - July 04, 2012 at 08:05 AM

KD

“ *Kevin Duckworth lit a candle in memory of Katherine Ann Hoffman*



Kevin Duckworth - July 04, 2012 at 08:04 AM

RD

“ *I have such fond memories of Kathy and I the summers I would go to visit a few weeks, while there sometimes go to the beach house. We walked to the beach, there all day and walked back. Had not seen each other often since then, but some of the best times of my life.*

Rita Ann (Helton) Deem - July 03, 2012 at 07:20 PM

KP

“ Northwestern High School’s Class of 1966 sends our deepest condolences to Don and daughter Tommi as well as extended family. Memories of Kathy will always be with her classmates; she was exceptional and will always have a special place in our lives.

~Kathy Parker, NHS1966

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**Kathy Parker** - July 03, 2012 at 09:56 AM

RL

“ In loving and lasting memory of my dear friend Kathy. We worked together for 24 years in a family-like company and grew to be friends, not just coworkers. Her gentle spirit and kind and loving soul will forever be her legacy. She is a treasured part of my heart. Love,  
Rene Livesay

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**Rene Livesay** - July 02, 2012 at 04:45 PM