



Katherine R. Seese

February 25, 1925 - December 16, 2014

Katherine Ruth Seese of Easton, MD, died peacefully, holding her daughters' hands, on December 16, 2014, at Shore Regional Medical Center in Easton. She was 89.

Born in Salyersville, KY, on February 25, 1925, she was the daughter of the late Edgar and Julia Reed Rice. She graduated from Eastern Kentucky University in 1946 with a double major in Math and Education, and married Norman Alexander Seese, Jr., that same year. The couple lived in Baltimore during Norman's years in dental school, and settled in Easton in 1953 when Dr. Seese set up his dental practice. After 54 years of marriage, he preceded her in death on January 1, 2000.

Mrs. Seese focused her energy in the early years on raising two children, occasionally working as a substitute teacher for Talbot County Public Schools. In 1977, Mrs. Seese accepted a full-time position at Easton High School teaching General Math and Algebra, a position she held until retiring in 1988. She took great pride in teaching students to both excel in and enjoy math. Even word problems!

She loved her family, her friends, and her church. She enjoyed sewing, playing bridge, visiting with her homemakers group, traveling, antiquing, and refinishing furniture. She was active in her church as a Sunday school teacher

and camp volunteer, and lent a helping hand to numerous causes throughout her community and beyond.

She is survived by her daughters, Kathryn Anderson (Dirk) of Port Townsend, WA, and Barbara Seese of Cambridge, MD; her treasured grandson, Dylan Seese; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Norman, and her brother, Paul Kenneth Rice.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, January 17, 2015, at 2 p.m., followed by food and fellowship, at the Church of the Brethren, 412 S. Harrison Street in Easton. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Easton Church of the Brethren or UM Memorial Hospital Foundation in support of Palliative Care, P.O. Box 1846, in Easton. The family wishes to thank the Palliative Care staff for their kindness and compassionate care.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN 17. 2:00 PM (ET)

Easton Church of The Brethren
412 S. Harrison St.
Easton, MD

Tribute Wall



“ Katherine R. Seese

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Katherine R. Seese

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Katherine R. Seese

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *I was just thinking about Mrs. Seese recently as I went through graduation cards in my attic. I was her student helper during my senior year at EHS. She was so kind and 100% LADY, no doubt. So glad her passing was peaceful with the love of family surrounding her. Something told me to check this website tonight. Shedding some tears for a wonderful woman.*

*Michael Rene (Krauch) Barnes
Class of 1987*

Michael Barnes - February 03, 2015 at 08:25 PM



“ *Ruth was one of the kindest most dependable teachers at Easton High School. She was the epitome of professionalism, good humor and concern for students. She touched many lives and will surely live on in them.*

Dee Rein - January 03, 2015 at 04:04 PM

JM

“ Jennifer Marquardt lit a candle in memory of Katherine R. Seese



jennifer marquardt - December 30, 2014 at 02:55 PM

RS

She was my grand ma my pop was Richard Seese I didn't know she past and been broken hearted wish the family would of tryed to find me i miss he my name is Richard Seese named after my grand pop I wanted to find he family to talk to them any one know we're or how to contact them please call me at 717 342 9954 I would like to talk to them thank you

ri hard Seese - October 06, 2015 at 07:50 AM

LM

“ I am so saddened to hear of Ruth's passing. My memories of Ruth and 'Doc' are warm and rich, and are very important to the Marshall's. As a young girl, I thought Ruth was the epitome of femininity and class. I once said to my mother, "when I grow up I want to be just like Ruth", sensing hurt I quickly added "but when I get really old, I want to be like you". Barbara, Kathy and Dylan, I am so sorry for your loss. I will miss Ruth forever.

*Linda Marshall
Portland, Oregon*

linda marshall - December 27, 2014 at 06:47 PM

FM

“ *Francine Molock-Osborne lit a candle in memory of Katherine R. Seese*



Francine Molock-Osborne - December 24, 2014 at 11:06 AM

FM

“ *Barbara my heart is very heavy to learn of the passing of my dear friend Ms Ruth. She will be missed by me a lot. I would call her sometimes, she would call me and no matter what we talked about we would always talk about the one person that we both loved and that was Marlin Zimmerman. I will miss you my friend but it was an honor to be her friend.*

Francine Molock-Osborne - December 24, 2014 at 11:05 AM

KF

“ *Barb, Dylan, Kathy and family, Just wanted to let you know how sorry I am to hear about the loss of your Mom/grandmother. She will be greatly missed by many people. I feel privileged to have been able to have spent so much time in the early years in the Seese household and to have been under her loving care and guidance. Please let me know if there is anything that I can do during this difficult time.*



kathy foxwell - December 19, 2014 at 12:31 PM