



Louise VanDermark Cunningham

July 3, 1915 - December 2, 2011

Louise Van Dermark Cunningham of Chestertown, MD, died on December 2, 2011, at Heron Point in Chestertown, MD. She was 96.

She was born in Carbondale, PA, on July 3, 1915, the daughter of the late, Leroy Henry and Agnes Wilson Ditchburn Van Dermark. She was a graduate of Carbondale High and earned a Bachelors of Arts Degree from Goucher College in Towson, MD, where she was a member of Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority. She married Alan Rodney Cunningham on July 29, 1944; they resided in Springfield, NJ

Mrs. Cunningham was a longtime member of First Presbyterian Church of Springfield and a past president of the James Caldwell Elementary School PTA. She was an avid bridge player and card shark. On December 29, 1991, her husband predeceased her, and, in 1997, she moved to Heron Point Retirement Community in Chestertown. There she continued to improve her card playing skills and had a very active lifestyle. She enjoyed traveling and was also a member of the Presbyterian Church of Chestertown.

She is survived by her son, Gordon Cunningham and his wife, Marian of Morristown, NJ; her daughter, Susan C. Dillon and her husband, Buck of Rochester Hills, MI; five grandchildren, Christopher, Kimberly, Erika, Emily, and Stephen; and four great-grandchildren Alex, Samantha, Andrew, and

Thomas.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 10, 2011, at 11:00 AM at Par-Troy Funeral Home in Parsippany, NJ. Relatives and friends may call on Friday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 PM. Interment will be in Fair Mount Cemetery in Chatham, NJ.

Memorial contributions may be made in her name to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, P.O. Box 1000, One St. Jude Place Bldg., Dept. 300, Memphis, TN 38148-0552.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **9**. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Par-Troy Funeral Home
95 Parsippany Road
Parsippany, NJ 07054

Service

DEC **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Louise VanDermark Cunningham

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Louise VanDermark Cunningham

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Louise VanDermark Cunningham

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ I am employed with another resident at Heron point and that is how I met Ms. Louise. She was a very special person who I just loved. We played cards together and she would sit with me and I would just talk to her like we were old friends. She will be greatly missed.

Lisa Sewell - December 06, 2011 at 12:40 PM